ROADSTERS' CALENDAR.
Sun Rises 7:11 a. m.
Sun Sets 5:17 p. m.
Lanterns must be lighted 5:17 p. m.

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THE WEATHER.
Occasional rain tonight and Saturday; warmer.
Maximum 35, minimum, 22.
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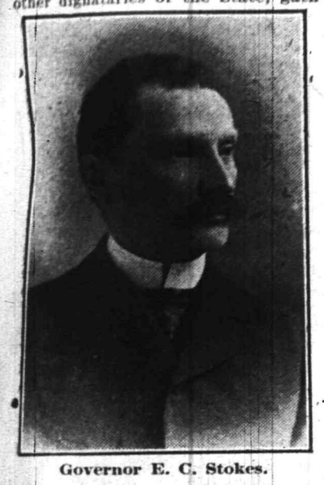
JUNIORS EXTEND HEARTY WELCOME TO STOKES

State's Chief Executive Guest of Honor at the Annual Banquet at the Casino.

OVER 200 PRESENT

Senatorial Question But Lightly Touched Upon in the Speech-making—S. St. J. McCutchen Toastmaster.

More than two hundred citizens of Plainfield and other parts of the State, together with Governor Edward Casper Stokes, Senators Ernest R. Ackerman and Joseph T. Frelinghuysen, Judge Francis Scott and other dignataries of the State, gathered at the second annual banquet in the Casino, last night, given by Franklin, Somerset, Benevolent and Plainfield councils, Jr. O. U. A. M. The affair was a great success in every detail. The dinner left nothing to be desired and the fine list of speakers proved a delightful part of the evening's programme.



Governor E. C. Stokes.

The spontaneous and hearty welcome extended to Governor Stokes and the other visitors was a pleasing feature of the occasion. Especially was this true, when Mayor Charles J. Fisk, the first speaker of the evening, declared that if the people had their say Governor Stokes would be the next United States Senator. This brought forth a genuine outurst of enthusiastic applause from everyone.

Only in one other instance was the United States Senatorial contest referred to and that was by Governor Stokes in his opening remarks. He said on this question: "I am pleased to visit Union county—a county which has an ex-Governor (meaning Foster M. Voorhees) who has no further troubles, and which is the home of an United States Senator who is perfectly comfortable at this hour. I am also glad to visit Plainfield, the home of a unanimous Mayor, and I was thinking how others would like to feel just as unanimous at this time."

Samuel St. John McCutchen, of North Plainfield, who is a member of the State Board of Education, was the toastmaster, and he filled the position perfectly. After putting the assemblage in good humor by his witticisms, he announced the rules of the game, which were that no one could speak as long as he wanted to, except the toastmaster, and here he asked if James Martine was present, knowing the latter's tendency toward oratory. He said that when a man reaches Congress it is different. There he can talk into the Congressional Record, but if any one present felt inclined to kick over the restrictions they could have their speeches printed in a local weekly.

In introducing the first speaker, Mayor Fisk, he referred to him as a man without a party, carrying the vote of the Republican party in one pocket and that of the Democrats in the other. The Mayor's subject was "Our City."

"After such an introduction," declared Mr. Fisk, "I feel like the small boy who said you would scarcely expect one of my age to speak. I extend greetings and congratulations to you all and I herewith present you with the keys of the city, not for tonight but for all time for every good citizen who is ready to fight for the stars and stripes. We as citizens of Plainfield do not appreciate what we have here and others who do not live here don't know what they are missing. This is a typical American city, where the citizens are patriotic, enterprising, progressive and ambitious. This is due to the character of the population. There are not very many rich men in Plainfield, but all work as one man, and it is one place where the government is by the people. We have a population of about 20,000, four banks, sixty miles of macadam roads and some day we hope to own our water supply. We have grown so fast that another community has sprung up next door. We want that little girl for we have fallen in love with her. Some day there is going to be a wedding. Plainfield is going to ask her to come over. We are going to ask the Legislature to be at the wedding and we are going to ask one who sits with us tonight, and who, if the people had their voice in the matter, would be the next United States Senator, to sign the wedding certificate."

State Council Secretary William H. Miers was the next speaker, his toast being "Our Order." He reviewed the history of the order from its inception, told of its incalculable benefits and stated that today it numbers 46,000 members in New Jersey. He told of the success of the order in securing the adoption of satisfactory naturalization laws, the maintenance of the flag on every public school-house and the Bible therein and quoted a number of statistics showing how the order had been beneficial to hundreds of members and relatives through the sick and funeral benefits. He paid a glowing tribute to the public school system of the State and to Governor Stokes for his interest as a member of the order.

Judge Francis Scott, of Paterson, who is a member of the State Board of Education, was introduced as the next speaker. His toast was "Naturalization and Immigration."

He said that the subject was one very dear to his heart. He had been forced to naturalize those who were not fit to receive such papers. "I come from a foreign city—Paterson," continued Judge Scott, "a place of unsavory reputation, but unjustly so. In coming here I feel as though I was in another country, but that is no reflection on my own city. The new naturalization law passed last year makes the future secure and it is satisfactory in every respect, and if the Jr. O. U. A. M. had anything to do with its adoption it deserves the gratitude of every citizen. President Roosevelt is also to be praised for his work in behalf of the law.

"I believe in commissions, Governor Stokes believes in commissions and we all believe in Governor Stokes. Steps have been taken through a commission in this State to handle the hordes of foreigners who come here. Under the old law anyone could get in, it depending on the conscience of the Judge. It is a common occurence to have an applicant for papers say in answer to the question as who is President of the United States, that it is George Washington or Governor Stokes. In the case of the latter it may be prophetic.

"The new law covers in detail nearly all of the errors of the old one. The applicant must swear that he intends to reside here permanently and one of the best features is that he must speak the English language. Governor Stokes deserves great credit for his efforts in helping to eliminate the purchasable vote and to keep out the vast horde of undesirable people that flock to these shores. The immigration laws are not so satisfactory, I am sorry to say. A million immigrants a year, who can neither read or write, are coming to this country and three-quarters of them at one port of entry. We have got to handle them and digest them and in this respect Governor Stokes' commission will help to solve a perplexing problem. America can take care of herself. I believe that we can handle the negro question, although I think it was one of the mistakes of the century to give the black man a franchise to vote, at a time when he had no other qualification than a black skin. How can the law be administered? Limit the number of immigrants. Suspend immigration for a period if the foreigners are coming in too fast. I don't believe in a literary test. This is not absolutely necessary, but I should insist on a physical test. We want honest, strong immigrants, but not paupers and the ignorant poor classes of other countries. I believe in the United States of America, a Republic instead of an Empire, in George Washington instead of Napoleon Bonaparte, that today is better than yesterday and that tomorrow will be better than today."

Mr. McCutchen in introducing the next speaker, Senator Joseph T. Frelinghuysen, who spoke on "Citizenship," said that he desired to present the bridesmaid for the marriage of Plainfield and North Plainfield. The Senator from Somerset said that Mayor Fisk had referred to fair North Plainfield, and while he was not opposed to divorce and believed that compatibility of temper desirable he would take the offer of marriage into consideration.

Continuing Mr. Frelinghuysen said that he felt proud of the principles of the Jr. O. U. A. M., and he congratulated the members of the order. He

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CHICKEN SUPPER OF W. R. C. A SUCCESS

EXCELLENT COOKERY ENJOYED BY 250 DINERS, IN PLEASANT ATMOSPHERE.

Success to a notable degree marked the chicken supper held by the Women's Relief Corps, the G. A. R. auxiliary, at G. A. R. hall, East Front street, last night. Fully 250 suppers were served, and the menu and cookery were such as to send the 250 home, if not exactly "loud in their praises," at least earnest and decided.

Three large tables were attractively laid, and the walls were hung with the national colors. The dinner was informal, and the homelike atmosphere added to the enjoyableness.

The committee in charge was made up of Mrs. Andrew Cox, chairman; Mrs. Sarah Mattox, Mrs. Sarah Baglin, Miss Mary Smith, Miss Virginia Devine, Miss May Howlett, Mrs. Frederick Wenzel, Mrs. M. C. Dobbins. Mrs. Baglin, Miss Howlett, Miss Smith and Miss Devine presided at the table. Mrs. W. C. Smith assisted the committee in preparing the supper.

AWARDED $125 IN SUIT AGAINST AUNT'S ESTATE.

Mooney Had Asked for $500 as Compensation for Caring for Her.

The case of the heirs of the estate of the late Miss Agnes A. Stansbury against the executor, Samuel R. Mooney, was heard before Judge Atwater at Elizabeth on Wednesday. The suit was brought by F. S. Cutter, of Sandford avenue, to secure a final accounting, and the court allowed the executor $125 instead of $500 as claimed by him.

Mr. Mooney put in a claim against the estate for $500 for services rendered by himself and wife in taking care of his aunt, Miss Stansbury, during her last illness, covering a period as he claimed of two months.

The evidence showed that Mr. Mooney had not attended his aunt more than five weeks and the court decided that a remuneration of $25 per week, amounting in all to $125, was all that he was justly entitled to.

Miss Stansbury lived for some years with her sister in Rahway and in the spring of 1895 went to visit relatives on Staten Island. While there she was taken ill. Meanwhile, her nephew, Mr. Mooney, who was afterward named the executor of the estate, took charge of her until her death, and later put in a bill for $500. Mr. Cutter and the other heirs took exception to the claim on the ground that it was excessive. The care of Miss Stansbury was looked upon as a labor of love and that no agreement was made as to compensation.

A SCOTCH PLAINS WEDDING.

Miss Minnie Guest Made the Bride of John H. Lewis, of Flemington.

Miss Minnie Guest, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Guest, of Scotch Plains, and John H. Lewis, of Flemington, were married at 6 o'clock Wednesday night at the home of the bride's parents. There were guests from Westfield, Plainfield, Somerville, Flemington, Middle Valley and Scotch Plains. The ceremony was performed by Rev. James F. Hoffman, of Drew Theological Seminary, Madison.

The bridesmaid was Miss Mattie Hull, of Scotch Plains, and Mr. McAuslen, of Philadelphia, was the best man. A reception followed the ceremony and super was served. After a wedding journey the couple will reside at Flemington. The bride was formerly employed as a saleswoman at H. A. Bonn's store on West Front street.

S. S. A. L. Meet.

Over 100 entries have been received for the initial meet of the Sunday-school Athletic League at the Y. M. C. A. tonight. Not that many individual contestants have entered, but numbers of the 62 young men registered will double up in the different events. The competition is expected to be keen. Some of the entrants are youths who have done noteworthy work in Y. M. C. A. and secular school athletics, and some new marks may be set up.

Mr. Whiton Gives His Lecture.

John M. Whiton delivered his lecture on Sicily before the Men's Club of the First Presbyterian church last night. It had been twice postponed. The attendance was large. Mr. Whiton showed seventy-five of the views with which his story of travel is illustrated.

State Y. M. C. A. Convention.

The third biennial State convention of the Y. M. C. A. will be held at Elizabeth, February 21 to 24. W. D. Murray, of this city, will be one of the principal speakers. Plainfield Y. M. C. membership will be well represented.

CITY TAX RATE TO FIGURE IN CONSOLIDATION PLANS

RECOMMENDATIONS OF COMMISSION WILL BE BASED UPON INCREASE.

In the opinion of those well informed concerning the investigation into the question of consolidation of the borough and city, which is being conducted by a commission appointed a few weeks ago, the recommendations of the commission either for or against the proposition, will be based solely on the increased expense to the taxpayers of Plainfield. One of the most important questions to be taken up soon will be that of tax rate. Under the consolidation plan there would be undoubtedly an increased rate and the chances are that as Plainfield has the largest population the greatest expense would be upon its taxpayers.

There will also be a consideration of the fact that North Plainfield would have to be supplied with sewers, greater police and fire protection, which would mean a great expense and the question to be decided is would the taxes paid by the residents of the borough be adequate to meet the increase. The question of tax rate will probably be one of the most difficult and it is said that upon that will largely depend the recommendations of the commission. It is said that the tax rate question will be taken up at the next meeting of the commission for consideration.

NO CONTEST OVER WILL OF MR. AND MRS. ISAAC DUNN.

All of Wife's Property Is To Revert to Her Sister, Mrs. Cuming, of This City.

There will be no contest over the disposition of the property of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Campbell Dunn, who were killed at the Stelton crossing of the Pennsylvania Railroad on December 18. The will of Mrs. Dunn has been filed with Surrogate Peter Francis Daly at New Brunswick, and its terms make a contest on her property impossible. Letters of administration have been asked by Mr. Dunn's family, there being no will.

At the time of the tragedy it was said that both Mr. and Mrs. Dunn had left wills leaving their property to one another, and that to settle the estates it would be necessary to prove which died first, something eye-witnesses were unable to testify to. Mrs. Dunn's will, however, disproves these suppositions. It provides that all her property shall go to her children, if she had any, which she had not, and, failing issue, it was to be divided into five equal parts, two going to her sister, Mrs. Ada M. Cuming, of this city, and three to her husband, he to have the income from his share during his lifetime and to draw on the principal only in case of his exhausting his private means. The husband's share was to revert to Mrs. Cuming at his death. The Dunns were reputed to have a large amount of property.

Rev. Dr. Lewis Will Preach.

Rev. George B. Shaw, pastor of the Seventh-Day Baptist church, has gone to New England, where during the next three or four weeks he will represent the American Sabbath Tract Society at the denominational churches. Rev. Dr. C. W. Parsons, of Grace M. E. church, who was to preach at the Seventh-Day Baptist church, tomorrow morning, will be unable to do so because of illness, and Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis will occupy the pulpit. His theme will be "The Bible Strengthened by Higher Criticism." Strangers will be welcome.

Passengers Have Narrow Escape.

While the 5:45 eastbound express to New York was passing through Garwood, last night, the passengers in one of the coaches were greatly frightened by the breaking of window glass, and Paul Symons, of East Third street, narrowly escaped injury. Some one threw a couple of large stones at the train, and they smashed the window panes into a thousand pieces. The broken glass fell about the face of Mr. Symons and other passengers, but fortunately did not cut them.

New Law Has Good Effect.

The good effects of the new naturalization laws were in evidence at Elizabeth, today, when County Clerk James C. Calvert sat to receive applications for papers. Out of the number that applied first papers were granted to only one person and no second papers were granted, which was due to the fact that the applicants were unable to come up to the requirements.

—More bargains tomorrow at Levy Brothers' big stock reducing sale in all departments. Window shades 12c.

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—Fancy Maine corn and asparagus makes a desirable accompaniment to a good dinner and Neuman Brothers can supply you with both. They are among the White Label specials at their store.

COMPANY K TO HOLD CAUCUS MONDAY NIGHT

MEMBERS LIKELY TO SELECT LIEUTENANT KITCHELL FOR CAPTAIN.

The members of Company K have notified that following the drill on Monday night, February 4, at the armory, there will be a caucus for the purpose of selecting a captain to succeed Captain Martin, who was recently elected major of the Second Regiment. At the meeting all other vacancies existing will be filled.

As stated in The Daily Press a few days ago the position of captain is likely to be given to Second Lieutenant Harry B. Kitchell, formerly of this city, but now residing in Westfield. Several other candidates have been considered, but the general opinion seems to be that Lieut. Kitchell will be the choice of the members of the company.

Lieut. Kitchell has been a member of Company K since its institution in this city and has been one of the most active in all its affairs. He has distinguished himself on the State range at Sea Girt, where he has won many medals for his fine markmanship. He has always been popular with the members and it is believed that the success of the company will continue under his leadership.

POLICE APPOINTMENTS LIKELY MONDAY NIGHT.

Reported That Chairman of Committee Will Offer Resolution for Confirmation.

The February meeting of the Common Council will be held Monday night, when several matters of importance are expected to be taken up. It is likely that the chairman of the police committee will be prepared to offer a resolution about filling the newly-created offices in the police department, which was laid over at the last meeting. At that time Councilman Frank Randolph, chairman of the committee, wanted the three appointments confirmed by one vote, but according to the rules this cannot be done, a separate vote being required for each appointment.

The appointments made by Mayor Fisk are as follows: Captain, Christian Frederickson sergeant, Jonn Flynn; detective-sergeant, Florence McCarty. As yet no outward sign of disapproval has been seen in Common Council meetings to the appointments, although Councilman Tyler by opposing Mr. Randolph's resolution, indicated that he might have something to say on the subject when action is taken.

CONCERT AND DANCE.

Pleasant Affair Held by St. Faith's Guild Last Night.

Under the auspices of St. Faith's Giuld, the Plainfield Brass Band gave a concert at the parish house of St. Stephen's church, Netherwood, last night. Dancing followed the concert. The attendance was large. The auditorium was handsomely decorated with flowers, and large framed portrait of George Washington.

The band played excellently, under the leadership of David Lawson. Ten numbers were rendered, and all of them were enthusiastically applauded. The band was tendered a testimonial luncheon after the concert.

The Guild conducted an ice cream sale in connection with the dance. The whole membership worked as a committee in charge, under the direction of Mrs. Herbert Guinn and Miss Edna Willis.

Martin Ptaschinski Dead.

Martin Ptaschinski, aged 83 years, an old resident of the borough, died in the State Hospital, Trenton, yesterday, where he was accepted three weeks ago for treatment. He was taken ill several weeks ago with mental trouble and it was thought best to remove him to Muhlenberg Hospital. He soon grew worse and upon the advice of the family physician, Dr. A. H. Dundon, Mr. Ptaschinski was taken to the State Hospital. His trouble did not yield to the treatment given and he failed rapidly, passing away yesterday morning. The body was brought to this city in the afternoon. The funeral services will be held from the late home on Duer street, Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Mr. Ptaschinski leaves four daughters, Mrs. Charles Smith, Mrs. John Schorb, Mrs. Schaffer and Miss Helen Ptaschinski, of this city, and a son, George Ptaschinski, of Newark.

Open New Department.

A new department has been opened at the Woodhull & Martin Company store, which enables one to purchase a "Demorest" sewing machine on the easy payment plan.

Pension for Plainfielder.

Senator John Kean has introduced a bill to grant an original pension of $12 a month to James Huntington, of this city.

Mrs. George Morton, of Westfield, has been visiting relatives in town for a few days.

SPLENDID SINGING BY GRACE CHURCH CHOIR

"THE DAUGHTER OF JAIRUS" RENDERED WITH MARKED EXCELLENCE.

Unusual excellence marked the presentation of Stainer's "The Daughter of Jairus," by the choir of Grace Prostestant Episcopal church last night. The choral work was all that could be desired, and the solos were splendid. A large congregation enjoyed the programme.

The work is short, but it is intensely religious and it was presented with a noteworthy degree of impressiveness last night. Mrs. Theodore Mantz, William Tallamy and Arthur Chamberlain sang the solo parts as the most exacting would have them sung. Mr. Tallamy's singing was especially fine. His enunciation, expression and phrasing were of that high order of merit that calls for the highest words of praise in the critic's vocabulary.

W. E. MacClymont, the organist, directed the singing with his usual skill. The works that are being presented at Grace are worthy of larger congregations than they have drawn. They are given solely for the benefit of the music-loving public, and the latter would be but caring for itself by showing that they are appreciated. The music-lovers who failed to hear last night's service missed an evening that would have lingered long in their memories.

MRS. ELIZABETH C. MORRIS.

Passed Away Suddenly at Home of Her Nephew, E. M. VanBuren.

Miss Elizabeth Crary Morris, aged 82 years, died suddenly last night at the home of her nephew, Edward Morris VanBuren, on Central avenue, from heart failure. She was born in New York and had been a resident of this city about twenty-five years. She lived a quiet retired life, and while not publicly identified with any charities, was a liberal contributor to those in this city, which included the hospital and the missionary societies of Grace church, of which she was a member.

Prior to moving to Plainfield Miss Morris used to spend some time at the country seat of her father at Belleville. She is survived by a sister, Mrs. D. T. VanBuren, three newpehs, Lewis G. Timpson, Edward M. VanBuren, Laurens H. VanBuren, of this city; two other sisters, Mrs. William Stiger, of New York, and Mrs. Robert Helfenstein, of Elizabeth, and a niece, Mrs. F. R. Lefferts, of New York.

The funeral services will be held from the residence of Edward M. VanBuren on Central avenue, Monday morning at 11 o'clock. The interment will be in the family plot in Greenwood Cemetery, Brooklyn.

AFTER POLICE JOBS.

Nine Candidates Were Examined Mentally and Physically Yesterday.

Nine candidates for the vacancies on the police force were examined yesterday. They were pounded and tested for physical defects at the Y. M. C. A., by Dr. C. B. Lufburrow and Physical Director Listman, in the afternoon, and put through a course of mental sprouts at the Council Chamber by City Stenographer George H. Wean, at night. The result of the examinations will not be made known until after the Police Board reports on them.

The candidates are: Frank Sweeney, 29 years old; Joseph Murphy, 35 years old; J. D. Ammerman, 21 years old; Theodore W. Miller, 24 years old; William R. Overland, 25 years old; Cornelius McCarthy, 22 years old; William J. Hartpence, 31 years old; William E. Karlsen, 31 years old; Tobias W. Nolan, 27 years old.

A DOUBLE CELEBRATION.

Mother and Son Observe Birthday Anniversaries at Same Time.

An event of unusual interest occurred at Oak Tree, last night, when a double birthday celebration was held at the home of Mrs. Eugene Van Court. Last Sunday Mrs. VanCourt was sixty-seven years old and her son, W. E. VanCourt, celebrated the forty-ninth anniversary of his birthday yesterday. Both anniversaries occurred in the same week. The events were observed at the same and place.

A sumptuous dinner was served, about twenty-five guests being present. After the feast the time was spent in playing parlor games and enjoying excellent music. Both Mrs. VanCourt and her son were the recipients of many handsome gifts from relatives and friends. They have been residents of Oak Tree for many years and are well known in Plainfield.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Leggett and son, Raymond, of Morristown, Morris county, were in Plainfield today. Mrs. Leggett is a daughter of Mrs. R. C. Fisher, of West Fourth street, who is critically ill with paralysis.

BIKE THIEF USED ALIAS

Pawned Knife Leads To a Disclosure of Damaging Facts.

WHEELS CLAIMED

And Three Complaints of Larceny Against the Young Man—Pleads Guilty and Is Held for Grand Jury.

James Wilson, the young man who confessed to the theft of four bicycles after his arrest Wednesday night, following an unsuccessful attempt to sell a stolen wheel to Clarence Thorn, a dealer, pleaded guilty to three charges of larceny before City Judge Runyon, sitting as a State magistrate, this morning. He was held for the grand jury in $150 bail. He does not know anybody here, and is not hopeful of getting a bondsman.

The prisoner is referred to as Wilson, because that is the name he gave when his pedigree was taken at the station house, but there are well-founded doubts as to his right to bear it. The police learned this morning that he gave another name to the management of the Somerville hospital a week ago, when he went there with a companion, who was hurt by falling from a train at Bound Brook. He gave his name there as William Walters, and James Wilson was the name given by the injured man. It his confession to Chief Kiely, yesterday, the prisoner said his companion's name was William Racine.

The disclosure of the prisoner's use of at least one alias came as the result of the discovery that he had pawned a hunting knife here. Chief Kiely taxed the prisoner with having stolen the knife, and the young man said "Racine" had given it to him. Chief Kiely called up the Somerville hospital this morning, after the prisoner's hearing, and asked the authorities there to question "William Racine." They didn't know anybody by that name, and the disclosure of the alias followed.

The discovery convinced the Chief that "Wilson" and "Racine" were a pair of crooks. The investigation into his past and that of his injured pal will be prosecuted with renewed interest.

Wilson made no statement to the court. He pleaded tersely, and was taken back to his cell. He is a good-looking young fellow, clean-cut in appearance, and not at all of the criminal type. Judge Runyon commented on his appearance after the hearing.

Wilson told Chief Kiely yesterday, in a statement supplementary to the written confession, that he was moved to steal because he was "up against it." He said he had never stolen before, and wouldn't have taken the bicycles if they had not fallen so temptingly across his path. The chief took the statement with some seasoning, but he had been impressed by the prisoner's apparent frankness in talking of himself and his thefts.

Three of the bicycles have been claimed by their owners. They belong to Dr. R. E. Emerson, Edward Conway and Edward Baker. Dr. Emerson and Conway got their bicycles from Harry Dreier's store, and Baker's wheel was found at Thorn's. It was the Baker wheel that led to Wilson's arrest. Thorn recognized it when the thief brought it to his shop for sale Wednesday night, and telephoned to the police.

The fourth wheel, held at Thorn's, is still unclaimed, but it is thought to belong to Health Inspector William Addis. M. C. VanArsdale has been looking for his bicycle since last week and it was thought the remaining one at Thorn's was his, but he said it wasn't after seeing it. Addis lost his wheel last Friday. He will look at the unclaimed bike this afternoon.

The complaints against Wilson were made by Dr. Emerson, Conway and Baker. As soon as the fourth wheel is claimed another complaint against him will be drawn up.

Open P. P. A. Meeting.

Everybody interested in the question will be welcomed at the meeting of the Plainfield Protective Association, to consider the report on the election and gas lighting conditions here, at the Casino, tonight. The meeting will be open to all citizens. It will begin at 8 o'clock.

Box Party at Casino.

Mrs. Charles A. Reed, Mrs. Ernest R. Ackerman, Mrs. Samuel St. John McCutchen, Mrs. Joseph T. Frelinghuysen, Mr. and Mrs. Max Munger comprised a box party at the Casino, last night, at the Junior banquet. They arrived just in time for the speech-making.

Frank Allen, who has been detained in his room at the Hotel Iroquois for several weeks with paralysis, is gradually growing weaker and his chances for recovery are very slight.

SALE OF RUGS.

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AFTER INVENTORY SALE.

We have just completed taking inventory and find some departments overstocked. We must get rid of this surplus stock at once at any price in order to make room for our spring goods that are already arriving. Note the

Prices for Friday and Saturday's Selling.

GOOD NEWS FROM THE CLOAK DEPARTMENT.

BLACK SATIN LINED COATS FOR LESS THAN COST OF MATERIAL.

20 Black Satin Lined Coats full length, trimmed with wide soutache braid, handsomely tailored, black or white satin lining. Friday and Saturday's price - - - - - - - - - - **7.98**

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(SEE SHOW WINDOW.)

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Come here during the next few days if you want to buy Sleds cheap.

49c Sleds for - - - - - - - - - -	39c	1.98 Sleds for - - - - - - - - - -	1.50
1.85 Sleds for - - - - - - - - - -	1.49	2.39 Sleds for - - - - - - - - - -	1.98

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

The February dance to be held Thursday night of next week by the Suburban club will be one of the most enjoyable dances the club has yet held. The committee in charge is working hard with this end in view and is preparing to take care of the largest crowd of the winter.

Of course you are interested in your public library and intend attending Rev. William Mulford's lecture on Washington Irving to be given in the parlors of the Baptist church Wednesday night of next week.

Day and Gahagan, one of the Suburban Club's two-men teams entered in the bowling tournament being rolled on McLaughlin's alleys, Plainfield, have dropped out because of Mr. Gahagan's leaving for the South.

Strawrides seem to be popular with the young people everywhere but here. Hardly a night has passed since sleighing commenced but what three or four sleigh loads have passed through town.

Joseph Perretta, the village barber, is beginning to wear a smile again. Nearly a month has passed by without having his shop broken into or a window broken.

Some of the local Jr. O. U. A. M. members attended the Junior banquet held last night in the Casino, Plainfield.

Mrs. Otto Peterson, of Newark, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Clark, of Prospect avenue.

The regular monthly church covenant meeting will be held tonight in the parlors of the Baptist church.

WESTFIELD.

Henry C. Sargent, of Westfield, well known in mechanical circles and for many years associated with the Ingersoll-Sargent Rock Drill Company, is seriously ill at his home from a stroke of paralysis.

Miss Sarah B. Agnew, of the State Library Association, is in charge of recataloguing the books of the Westfield Public Library. She has announced that the work will take several weeks.

The new officers of the relief association of the Aeolian works at Garwood are William Littlefield president, Fred E. Inipp secretary and Daniel Snyder treasurer.

The spring meeting of the Northern New Jersey Conference of the Congregational church will be held in the Congregational church here Thursday, March 7.

Douglass Lane, musical director of the Westfield Methodist church, has called a meeting for February 4, at the church, to organize a vocal society.

BERNARDSVILLE.

An invitation has been extended to the women of the village to become members of the Bernardsville Improvement Society, and it is understood that a number of applications will be received at the next meeting, to be held in Lyric Hall next Tuesday evening.

Eugene Van Riper will have charge of the prayer meeting tonight at the Methodist church, and speak on "Work and Workers." Mr. Van Riper was a member of Dr. C. H. Yatman's first class of trained workers.

The King's Daughters meet at the home of Miss Eleanor A. Tunison this afternoon.

NORTH BRANCH.

Jacob H. Kershaw, of Somerville, has been a guest for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron J. Thompson, near North Branch Depot.

The congregation of the Springdale church tendered its pastor a donation visit Wednesday night at the home of John C. Cooper.

Theodore Staats will entertain a large number of young people tonight at a dance at the North Branch Hotel.

Miss Anna Case, of South Branch, organist in the Reformed church at Neshanic, has been ill at her home.

William Conover, of Somerville, has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Conover, near this place.

James Van Fleet has returned from a visit to relatives in Raritan.

SOMERVILLE.

Mrs. Griggs and Miss Annie McMurtry entertained the Woman's Club at their rooms yesterday afternoon.

Miss Lillian Meseroll has been spending part of this week with Mr. and Mrs. Van Nuys, at Belle Mead.

Mrs. Kenyon and Miss Augie Kenyon have been staying this week at Allenhurst.

William J. Kirby has been spending a few days in Baltimore.

C. V. Knowles has left for a trip abroad.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

Charles F. Starker's household goods were moved yesterday to the house he recently built on Washington avenue.

Mrs. Elizabeth Beatty, of Hackettstown, has returned home after a visit to her sister, Mrs. F. W. Vail.

Miss Tillie Miller will entertain the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Presbyterian church tonight.

John W. Wagner has been appointed sexton for the year at the Methodist church.

Several local teachers attended a lecture at the Plainfield High School last night.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Apgar are happy over the arrival of a small son.

Frank Smith, of Topeka, Kan., is visiting A. G. Nelson for a few days.

The parish meeting of the First Baptist church will be held tonight.

Dr. P. W. Brakeley was in New York yesterday, on business.

The Guild of Holy Innocents' church met last night.

George Vliet is recovering from an attack of diphtheria.

William Herlich has recovered from a brief illness.

George Jenner has been a sufferer from grip.

H. L. Pierce was in New York yesterday.

MARTINSVILLE.

The following women will be in charge of the apron and necktie sociable next Tuesday evening at Mrs. Harriet Edmonds' home: Miss Olive Elliott, Miss Josephine Taylor, Miss Doris Van Winkle and Miss Ella Davis.

Mrs. Ella Parson, of New Brunswick, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ida May Codington, at Mt. Horeb.

James E. Van Nest, of near Mt Horeb, is spending a week with relatives in Philadelphia.

BASKING RIDGE.

The Shapeskeare Club will meet tonight with Miss S. Ella DeCoster at her home on the Morristown road. The study of King Henry V. will be commenced at this time.

The Whist Club will meet this evening at the home of Miss Agatha Grenfock on the Liberty Corner road.

Frederick C. Sutro, of New York city, spent a short time recently at Ozonia farm, his summer home.

The prayer meeting of the Presbyterian church was led Wednesday evening by Herman Childs.

URGE GOULD FOR OFFICE.

Effort Will Be Made to Place Millionaire on State Education Board.

Asbury Park, Feb. 1.—It is said in political circles here that another effort is to be made to lift George Gould, of Lakewood, into the limelight of New Jersey politics. This time it is sought to give Mr. Gould a position on the State Board of Education, to succeed Edmund Wilson, of Red Bank. Those who pretend to know say that the matter rests entirely with Mr. Gould, and that he can have the office if he desires it or will accept it.

The appointment should naturally go to Monmouth county, but as there is an irreconcilable contest on in this county between R. A. Tusting, of Asbury Park, and T. Frank Appleby, of the same city, it is believed the Governor will appoint an Ocean county man. Thus far, though frequently urged to stand for important offices in the State, Mr. Gould has refused to mix himself in politics, and it is generally believed he will not favor the present proposition.

Wise Guys' Annual Dinner.

The Wise Guys Club held its annual dinner at Maul's Washingtonville Hotel last night. Speeches and songs were enjoyed at the conclusion of the menu. The committee which made the arrangements was composed of Henry Hansen, William Callahan, John Lynch and Frank Day.

T. C. Smith, of Madison avenue, has recovered from an attack of the grip.

HOLD-UP MAN TRACKED BY FOOTPRINTS IN SNOW.

Cranford Police Distinguish Themselves By Capturing Fellow In Short Order.

Cranford, Feb. 1.—The police of Cranford distinguished themselves yesterday morning by capturing John Stefen, formerly of New Brunswick, for whom an alias warrant had been issued on a charge of assault made by Albert Heitman, of Roselle Park, a conductor on the Main Line trolley.

Stefen held up the trolley car, of which Heitman was in charge on Tuesday night. It was the last car from Elizabeth, and after it had passed through Cranford and was about to round the curve at Lincoln avenue, Stefen, who was the only passenger, stepped out upon the rear platform of the car and pulled the trolley pole down. Conductor Heitman jumped off his car and put the pole on. As he was about to board the car Stefen pulled a revolver from his pocket, and, pointing it at Heitman, told him to deliver up his cash.

Heitman called to the motorman, who ran to assist his partner. Stefen, seeing that he was about to have two men to handle, ran across the fields. The car proceeded westward to the trolley junction, where the police of Westfield and Cranford were notified.

The Cranford police tracked Stefen by marks on the snow, which led to 207 Walnut street, where the man boarded. Stefen was employed at the Droescher Oil Stone mill, and here the police rounded him up yesterday morning. When taken before Judge Mendell, Stefen denied being away from his boarding place on Tuesday night. He also claimed that he had another boarding place at Garwood. He claimed that he came here from New Brunswick last Saturday.

Conductor Heitman positively identified the man as the same person who drew the pistol upon him on Tuesday night. William Allen, of Cranford, who was a passenger upon the car to this place, also identified Stefen. Stefen, in default of $200 bail, was sent to the County Jail to await the action of the Grand Jury.

FALL LIKELY TO BE FATAL.

One Painter May Die and Another Is Seriously Hurt by Accident.

Elizabeth, Feb. 1.—One man was probably fatally and another seriously injured Wednesday afternoon by the collapse of a scaffold at a house where they were working on McLane street, this city. The victims were two painters in the employ of Contractor Jacob Gordon, who is interpreter for the Union County Court. The men fell thirty-five feet.

One of them, Samuel Goldstein, twenty-two years old, and single, had his skull fractured and back hurt. He lives at 759 Trumbull street.

The other man, Samuel Black, fell on top of Goldstein and had his spine broken and was hurt internally. At the Alexian Hospital, where the painters were taken, it was said yesterday that Black cannot recover. He is thirty-two years old, married and resides at 758 Trumbull street.

Mr. and Mrs. Thilo Failer, of West Second street, are rejoicing over the arrival of a boy, born to them on Sunday.

J. R. Truell, of Central avenue, who underwent an operation in Boston, a few days ago, has fully recovered.

PERSONAL.

Miss Lizzie Frech, of Raritan, has been visiting friends in town has returned home.

John P. Hall, of East Fifth street has been detained at home the past few days by illness.

Percy Sandford, of Englewood has been spending several days in town with relatives.

Mrs. J. C. VanDyke, of East Fifth street, is recovering from an illness of two weeks with grip.

Mrs. Julius Feley and daughter of Winsted, Conn., have been guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Dunn, of Sandford avenue.

Mrs. Charles Woolston, of Park avenue, who has been at the hospital under treatment, is much improved and hopes to return home in about a week.

Slight improvement is reported in the condition of Letter-carrier William Deamerest, of the borough, who has been detained at home by a serious illness.

Miss Edna VanCleaf, of East Millstone, who has been visiting relatives here for several weeks, is spending several days with her uncle and aunt in Jersey City.

Edward Cooley, of Watchung avenue, who with Mrs. Cooley and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sanford, of East Front street, are in Virginia, writes home that his health is much improved. The weather is delightful and Mr. Cooley has enjoyed several hunting trips.

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Have any trouble with the supply of milk, cream, butter or eggs you are getting? If so patronize Bokaw's creamery on East Front street and your troubles will disappear.

That celebrated Flemington sausage, in bags, at Barnes' grocery, 7 Park avenue, is delicious, with cakes these cold mornings. Try it and you always buy it. Also, everything usually sold in an up-to-date grocery.

When shopping bear in mind that "The White Store," A. E. Force & Co., proprietors, offers exceptional bargains in every department. A visit to this store will quickly convince you of the wisdom of trading there. No matter whether you want a dress or a paper of pins you will find them here and of the best at low prices. Trading stamps with every purchase.

COFFEE WAGONS FOR EAST ORANGE POLICE

Traveling Restaurant As Auxiliary Patrol and Preventative to Use of Liquor.

East Orange, Feb. 1.—With the purpose of putting a stop to intoxication, which has got so many of the local policemen into trouble lately, the Police Committee of the East Orange City Council is considering the use as an auxiliary to night patrol a horse, wagon and supply of hot coffee and waffles or rolls. Chief of Police Bell has been instructed to look the field over and find out what a temperance cart will cost.

The members of the committee have looked up the temperance records and have decided that the policemen have drank to excess to keep warm. Four policemen have been before the committee lately charged with unsteadiness on post. Three were dropped, and the other, who is the son-in-law of the chief, was fined.

Theatrical Trust Leaders Indicted

New York, Feb. 1.—The Grand Jury has returned indictments against Marc Klaw, A. L. Erlanger, Daniel Nixon, I. P. Zimmerman, Charles Frohman and Al Hayman, the leaders of the theatrical trust, charging them with conspiracy. The complainant is David Balesco. The indictments are voluminous affairs and cover fully seventy pages of typewritten matter. The gist of these indictments charges the men with conspiring to injure the trade of independent theatres. Mr. Hayman and Mr. Frohman are at present in Europe, but inasmuch as it is a misdemeanor, counsel can appear for them in their absence. Edward and Abe Lauterbach represent the theatrical managers, and will appear in court this afternoon to arrange the fixing of bail.

Legislator a Suicide.

New York, Feb. 1.—Assemblyman William J. Donohue, thirty-three years old, of No. 132 Bedford avenue, Brooklyn, representative of the Fourteenth Assembly district, Senator Carren's home district, in the Legislature, committed suicide yesterday in Edward Lingers' saloon, No. 6 Oakland street, by shooting himself in the head. The only probable cause which the police could discover was that he had been drinking heavily and feared he would lose a suit which he had pending against the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company. When the case was called yesterday by Justice Fawcett he was dead.

—The Jolly Twenty-Four Club will hold a dance and euchre at the Plainfield Camera Club rooms tonight.

WHAT'S THE USE?

What's the use of making trouble when
it's with you every day—
What's the use?
What's the use of doing things in the
most inconvenient way—
What's the use?
What's the use of hunting worry?
What's the use of fret and stew,
When there's not a ghost of reason
To believe it eases you
What's the use?

What's the use of lamentation when a
good thing passes by—
What's the use?
What's the use, when you may laugh and
shout, to turn it to a cry—
What's the use?
What's the use of breeding frenzy
And indulging in a howl
When the world is not disposed to
Listen to your peevish growl?
What's the use?

What's the use of blaming others for the
fault that is your own—
What's the use?
What's the use of shifting burdens you
should carry all alone—
What's the use?
Will it make your burden lighter
If the world refuses to
Weep about the home made troubles
That have made their home with you?
What's the use?
—Denver Times.

How De Musset Bought a Lunch.

One day, says Harper's Weekly, three friends in Paris were taking a walk together.

"I should like to have an exquisite lunch," said one of the three.

"I should be satisfied with a lunch," said the second, "which is a little short of being exquisite."

"And I," remarked the third one, "should feel content with any kind of lunch."

Unfortunately none of them was possessed of the necessary money.

Presently one of the trio was struck by an idea. He led his friends to a music publisher and made him an offer: "Buy from us a song. This gentleman wrote the text, that one set it to music, and I shall sing it, as I am the only one of use with a good voice."

"Well, sing it for a trial," answered the publisher. The young man complied, and the publisher seemed to be satisfied. He paid fifteen francs for the song, and the friends hastened joyfully to a restaurant.

The author of the text was Alfred de Musset, the musician was Monpor, and the singer Dupre. The song, which was bought and paid for with fifteen francs, "The Andalusian Girl," yielded the publisher 40,000 francs.

Close Questioning.

The Washington Star gives an account of an investigation of election frauds in the lower section of the State. In the course of the proceedings it developed that the ballots in an important precinct had not been sealed after the final count, thereby being exposed to fraudulent practices. The chairman of the investigating committee closely questioned the election judge as to why the prescribed duty of carefully securing the ballots had been neglected.

"Could you not obtain any mucilage in the town?"

"No, sir."

"Could you not procure some sealing-wax, someshoemaker's wax, if nothing else?"

"No, sir."

"Well, then, sir why didn't you go out into the woods and get some resin? Do you mean to tell me that there were no pine trees around there shedding tears at your infamous rascality?"

Puritan Book Titles.

The chats about books serve to recall some of the publications of the Puritan age and the queer titles they bore. One runs "The Seven Sobs of a Sorrowful Soul for Sin, or the Seven Penitential Psalms of the Princely Prophet David; whereunto are added William Humin's Handful of Honeysuckles, and Divers Godly and Pithy Ditties, Now newly augmented." Another, equally long-winded, was "A Reaping Hook, well tempered for the stubborn Ears of the coming Crop; of Biscuit baked in the Oven of Charity. Carefully conserved for the Chickens of the Church, the Sparrows of the Spirit and the Sweet Swallows of Salvation." After these "The Spiritual Mustard Pot to make the Soul Sneeze with Devotion" is quite time!

Steel Dinner Knives.

Steel dinner knives should be cleaned every time they are used. Otherwise they will look black and dull. Bristol brick with soap is the best thing to use. Let the blade of the knife rest flat upon a board and rub the steel with a bit of soaped cloth diped in the brick reduced to a powder. Some housekeepers use a small potato for cleaning knives instead of a cloth. If the blades have become rusted cover them with olive oil and quicklime. Put away for two or three days, then rub with brick.

Escaped.

Stranger (at Hayrick farm)—Boy, can you tell me where old Farmer Cornshack lives?

Boy—He's dead.

Stranger—Dead? Why, I've come all the way from Amerika to visit him.

Boy—He must have been expectin' yer, I guess.—London Tit-Bits.

He Loaned Money to Papa.

She—Have you ever loaned papa any money?

He—Once or twice.

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Everyone of the two hundred dozen waists in this purchase are just from the factory, have never been on sale before and are fresh, clean and nice.

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Bernards School Overcrowded.

Bernardsville, Feb. 1.—When the new $100,000 schoolhouse, erected and donated by Frederick P. Olcott to the residents of Bernardsville and Bernards Township, was planned, it was generally believed that the accommodating capacity of the building would not be taxed for many years to come. This opinion was based on the assumption that the increase in attendance would be normal, as indicated by existing conditions. The reverse of this, however, has taken place, as shown by the fact that the enrollment has more than doubled that of previous years and gone far beyond anything that could be reasonably expected. The question now confronting the Board of Education is one of supplying more and adequate room, and in this connection the erection of another building during the coming vacation period is under contemplation.

New Job For Cleveland.

New York, Feb. 1.—Grover Cleveland has been unanimously elected, and has accepted, the position of chairman of the recently organized Association of Life Insurance Presidents, and will also act as its chief counsel, at a salary of $25,000 a year. In addition to these duties Mr. Cleveland will act as referee in cases of dispute between the companies and will also remain a trustee of the majority stock of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, but for these services he will receive no compensation from any source.

NOTES AND INCIDENTS OF FOREIGN LIFE.

The Hottentots in arms against the Germans in Southwest Africa number only about 150, but, owing to the size and nature of the country, which is mostly bare of supplies, even fodder, the German military authorities consider 8,000 troops the smallest force that should be kept in the field, without exposing the settlers to attack.

The colosseum that is to be erected in London for the Olympic games of next year will provide sitting accommodations for no fewer than 367,000 spectators. It will hold four times as many as did the Colosseum at Rome.

In the reduced regiments of the British Army there are now twice as many non-coms and commissioned officers as are needed, and promotion promises to be so slow that a great many of the latter are sending in their papers, rather than waste their years in the service.

A number of doctors have offered their services free to the anti-suicidbe bureau of the Salvation Army, just opened in London, Birmingham and Bristol.

The public school children of Hull, England, were required recently to write essays on "alcohol." Some striking remarks were made in the course of them, such as: "Seafaring men who are in the habit of drinking are liable to collide with other vessels." "Today many people are in jail for committing suicide while under the influence of drink." "Alcohol is a mockery; at least it biteth like a servant, and stingeth like a hatter."

The Rev. Dr. Hunt, of Burgess Hill, England, remarked to his parishioners in the course of a recent lecture that he saw advertised many alleged cures for insomnia, but had never seen recommended the surest and cheapest remedy—going to church.

Cornelius O'Sullivan, for forty-four years head brewer of Bass' ales at Burton-on-Trent, England, died on January 8. He was an Irishman, made many scientific discoveries and was a member of the Royal Society.

After having been in use for 159 years an Axminster carpet is in the carpet factory at Wilton, England, having some slight repairs made to it.

According to official statistics France imports annually 170 tons of human hair, twenty-five tons of which come from Italy and 100 tons from China. Apparently the London Gentleman's Magazine is not altogether enamored of Carnegie's favorite game. It says: "Golf is a noble game, but it requires the best part of a county and a beast of a caddie with a load of furniture before you can play it at all."

When the Ameer of Afghanistan arrived the other day at Agra it was raining in torrents. As he rode at a walking pace, between lines of British troops, the General in command, seeing he had no overcoat, expressed regret at his getting wet. The Ameer replied :"I had a greatcoat in the carriage, but, seeing the army—my friends—lining the roads without coats, I felt that it would have been unbecoming in me as a soldier to wear one."

The general in command of the 33d Infantry at Arras has ordereda large mirror to be fixed in the barrack yard so that the soldiers may make sure they are spruce before they pass the gates.

ARRANGED HER FUNERAL.

Aged Newark Woman Named People She Wanted at the Service.

Mrs. Annie Kreamer, eighty-two years old, who committd suicide in her rooms at No. 416 Fifteenth avenue, Newark, some time Monday afternoon by swallowing carbolic acid, made full preparation for the funeral which was held yesterday.

Under date of January 23, she made out a list of eighteen persons she wished to have attend her funeral. The note reads:

Mr. George Brueckner: To be interred between her two daughters and two sons, in Woodlawn cemetery. This is Mrs. Anne Kreamer's wish when she passes away from this world. This to be given to Mr. George Brueckner when the time comes. Persons who are to be in the four coaches.

Then follow a list of eighteen of her relatives and friends. Mr. Brueckner is an undertaker.

Pin the Ring Case.

A useful case for hatpins, pins and rings is made of a piece of fancy ribbon with one of soft flannel tacked on to it and the two bound with narrow ribbon. At one end are sewed two or three little pieces of chamois leather, scalloped round the edges. This is to stick the pins into. At the other end a little bag is made, which draws together at the rim and is intended for rings. The hatpins are run into the lining, and the whole case is rolled and tied with ribbon.

Mrs. F. W. Iredell, of Madison avenue, is detained at home by illness.

Mrs. Dudley S. Miller, of Orchard place, has recovered from a recent illness.

Mrs. G. R. Vanderhoef, of West Front street, has recovered from a recent illness.

Mrs. William Springer, of Newark, who has been visiting relatives here has returned home.

Miss Carrie Smith, of Newark, has returned home after spending several days with friends in town.

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IF A DEADLOCK ENSUES.

The question as to what would be the result in the Senatorial question if a deadlock should ensue in the Legislature has been answered by the Newark News in the following editorial:

"There is an impression among some of the citizens who have not had opportunity to obtain accurate information on the Senatorial question, that if Mr. Dryden should not receive enough votes to secure his election and a deadlock ensues in the Legislature, he would continue in office until his successor is chosen and qualifies. This is not the case. If Mr. Dryden is not elected and is able to prevent the election of any other Republican until the Legislature adjourns, New Jersey will have only one member of the United States Senate after Mr. Dryden's term expires.

"This was the case in Oregon a number of years ago. A struggle there lasted through the whole of a legislative session, and for two whole years Oregon had but one Senator. Delaware has had even more bitter experiences. Ever since the beginning of the fight against "Gas" Addicks and the gang of politicians he represented there has been a bitter struggle over the election of United States Senator. In the past twelve years Delaware has at times had but one Senator, and a part of the time has had no Senator at all, the Legislature failing to fill either of the vacancies.

"Should it happen—which is not at all probable—that the New Jersey Legislature adjourn without agreeing upon any man to succeed Mr. Dryden, this State will be represented in the United States Senate by Senator Kean alone. Mr. Dryden does not hold over. When his term expires he will have no further voice in the shaping of national legislation. The fact that there will be a vacancy and a lack of full representation is what spurs the Republican members of the Legislature to make every effort to agree upon another candidate when they feel certain that Mr. Dryden cannot be elected."

The action of the January Grand Jury in placing the stamp of disapproval upon the custom of making gifts to the foreman and clerk has been commended in every part of the county. There was never any good reason advanced as to why it should be done and the wonder is that it was not stopped long ago. The foreman has duties of importance to perform but his reward should be the honor and the consciousness of faithfulness to the trust imposed, instead of some costly gift for which the jurors were taxed.

That Ohio preacher who married thirteen women was just determined to make trouble for himself. If he had stopped at twelve things might have been different.

Silver Wire In His Heart.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 1.—In the Medico-Chirurgical Hospital Professors Mann and Ashton fed fifty feet of fine silver wire into an aneurism of the heart of Frederick Williams, a barber, yesterday. The aneurism was pricked and as the silver wire was fed into the opening through a needle it was coiled around inside, so as to form a framework on which the blood could coagulate. It is hoped the blot thus formed will grow into a new tissue and form a wall, so that when the aneurism does burst the aorta will remain intact. The surgeons cannot yet tell whether the operation was a success.

Peace Portrait of Teddy.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 1.—President Roosevelt is having made a full length portrait, which is to be placed in the Peace Palace of The Hague. The gift will be from a group of peace friends in Europe.

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CIRCUS MAN CALLED RELATIVES "BAD LOT."

Michigan Kin of Millionaire James A. Bailey Fighting to Break Will.

Mount Vernon, N. Y., Feb. 1.—The contest brought by Michigan relatives to set aside the will of James A. Bailey, the showman, was heard yesterday by Surrogate Millard, of Westchester county.

Mr. Bailey, who died in Mount Vernon about a year ago, left his entire estate, including the controlling interest in the Barnum & Bailey, Sells, Forepaugh and Buffalo Bill shows to his widow, Ruth McCaddon Bailey, cutting off the contestants, who live in Michigan, without a cents.

The estate, it is said, amounts to about $5,000,000.

The contestants, nephews and nieces, claim to represent about three-fifths of the estate. Through their Detroit attorneys they are trying to prove that the showman was mentally incompetent when he made his will, and that Mrs. Bailey and her brother, Joseph McCaddon, also a circus man, exercised undue influence over him.

In their depositions they alleged that all of Mr. Bailey's brothers and sisters in Michigan became insane before they died.

Daniel W. Childs and Hergert G. Hull, of New York, who were attorneys for Mr. Bailey at the time he drew the will, testified that he was perfectly sane and competent then.

Mr. Hull said that when Mr. Bailey made the codicil to his will he said that he had a lot of bad relatives.

"They are a bad lot," said he, "and would make trouble for Mrs. Bailey if they could. I want to make a will that they can't break."

Mrs. Bailey testified that when she first met her husband in 1868 he led her to believe that he was alone in the world, with no parents or relatives.

It was several years, she said, before he told her he had run away from his aunt's home in Detroit to follow his circus life. Mrs. Bailey said that when she married Mr. Bailey he was advance agent for a circus with a salary of $25 a week.

Later he had a wagon show, and she traveled with him as mistress of the wardrobe.

She denied that Mr. Bailey was ever in an insane asylum, sanitarium, hospital or institution of any kind, and said that his mind was always clear as a bell.

The case was adjourned in order to call the physicians who attended Mr. Bailey in his last illness.

SOUTHERN MILLS FIGHT TO SAVE CHILD LABOR.

Railroads and Coal Operators Also Against His Bill, Says Beveridge.

Washington, Feb. 1.—Senator Beveridge yesterday resumed his speech in behalf of the measure prohibiting interstate commerce in articles which are the production of child labor.

He said three-fourths of the cotton factories of the South were opposing the bill; that the railroads of the South were opposing it, and that the coal mine operators of the South were opposing it.

When Mr. Beveridge made the statement that the recently enacted Child Labor law of Georgia was "a dead letter" Mr. Bacon took issue with him.

Mr. Beveridge asserted there had been filed 3,000 applications for permits for child labor under the law.

"How many of them have been granted?" asked Mr. Bacon.

"All of them," replied Mr. Beveridge.

Senator Tillman acknowledged the very great evil of child labor in his State, and asked Mr. Beveridge to submit all the evidence possible that it might be used in a crusade for State legislation.

Adding to the difficulty in his State, he said, was the Northern millionaire who came down there, invested his money in cotton mills and then influence the Legislature against Child Labor laws.

"The Senator is to a certain extent right," interrupted Senator Gallinger; "there is Northern money in South Carolina, and God help South Carolina if there was not Northern money there!"

"Rather than have Northern money there exercising its lobbying influence," retorted Mr. Tillman, "I would to God the Senator and all others would keep Northern money out of my State!"

Death Notice Bride's Gift.

Baltimore, Md., Feb. 1.—Among the death notices in an afternoon paper here yesterday appeared this advertisement:

"BURGER—Suddenly, on Tuesday, January 29, 1907, Lois A., aged 18 years.

"Chicago, York, Pa., and Norfolk, Va., papers please copy. Funeral at Portsmouth, Va."

Instead of being dead, the young woman is very much alive. She was married Wednesday, in defiance of the wishes of her parents, to Hugh McConville, and is now with her husband at his home, in Portsmouth, Va. "To all intents and purposes she is dead the me," said John D. Burger, the father of the bride, "and I have sent her a copy of the death notice as a wedding present. I want her and everybody who knows us to understand she is dead to us to all intents and purposes. She can never come home. I will never see her again."

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Ladies' $3.00 Dress Skirts	$1.98
Ladies' and Misses $10.00 Coats	$5.98
$12.00 and $15.00 Coats	$7.98
$10.00 Fur Scarfs	$5.98
Outing Flannel Gowns	41c
Ladies' and Children's Hats, felt shapes, &c., values up to $2.00, to clear up, at, each	.25
Outing Flannel Underskirts, value 35c, for	19c
Good Muslin	5¾c
$2.00 Blankets	$1.19
2 lots of R. & G. Sample Corsets, values from 75c to $1.50 each.	
Lot 1	39c
Lot 2	79c
Assorted lot of fine Muslin Underskirts, trimmed with five rows of Val. lace and insertion and pin tucks	.98
Others 4½ yards wide with 18-inch lawn ruffle, dust ruffle and 8 tucks and 8 rows of hemstitching, for	.98

Not Jewish But Idumean.

Protest should be made against the idea which has been given currency through the press that the degenerate manners represented in the shocking and abominable representation of life at Herod's Court were in any way characteristically Jewish. Both in the drama "John the Baptist," represented by Mr. Sothern and Miss Marlowe, and in the shockingly degenerate tone drama by Richard Strauss, which horrified visitors at the Metropolitan Opera House on Tuesday night, the impression was given that the wild riot of lust and cruelty represented in both were in some sort characteristic of ancient Jewish life. This is quite erroneous. The Herods were Idumeans, and were foreign rulers of the Jewish people, supported on their thrones by the menace of Roman power behind them. The true virility of the Jewish people of the period was shown seventy years later, when they faced, single-handed, the whole power of Rome in a manner which extorted admiration from the Roman victors themselves.—American Hebrew.

—Daily Press want ads. pay

—The regular meeting of the McAll Auxiliary will be held at the Public Library on Wednesday morning, February 6, at eleven o'clock.

—William R. Buckley, of South avenue, has purchased a lot at Scotch Plains and has had plans drawn for a house which he proposes to erect there for his own occupancy in the spring.

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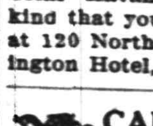

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Wings and Flies

By Tom Muir.

"The County Chairman," the play with which the New Plainfield theatre was opened, will return on February 11. The leading role will be taken by Maclyn Arbuckle, who played it during the original run of the comedy at Wallack's theatre. When it was presented in this city before Theodore Babcock appeared in the role and George Thatcher was seen as "Sassafrass Livingston."

Justice Leventritt, of the New York Supreme Court, has granted the permanent injuction asked for by Edwin Milton Royle restraining Charles B. Dillingham and Mrs. Carter Payne from producing "Cleo," which was to have been the actress' starring medium. It was said in court when argument was heard that over $50,000 had been spent in the production of the play, and that it was to have begun at Buffalao next Monday. The justice says he considered it expedient to render an early decision so that the parties might, if possible, compound their differences. According to the contract there were to be no changes in the play without the consent of Royle, and the author contended that Mrs. Carter Payne had not carried out this part of the contract.

Joe Hortiz, who is the star in "Our Friend Fritz," to be at the New Plainfield theatre tomorrow, had a theatrical company out when he was fifteen years old. He had a show out in the small towns around and about St. Louis. It consisted of ten people, all of the barn storming variety. The title of the show was "Frisky Fritz." It was a great troupe so he says and showed in any kind of a hall that they could get. While running this company Mr. Hortiz used to work in a factory. So after each performance at night he would have to run back into the city so as to be ready for work in the morning. Each night he would come out and take his place as the star in "Frisky Fritz." With the money he made in the factory he says he moved the company and paid their board many a time when they had had a bad night. At the close of the first season, which lasted six weeks, he had made a profit of $178, which was a large sum to his idea. He kept running these small troupes out every year until at last he was picked up by a prominent minstrel man and featured as a singer and from that day on he has followed that line of work, until this new venture of his which in a way is an order of the late J. K. Emmet's plays.

Snakes Not Sleepy.

Winter seems to have come into his own, but early in the week there were still signs of the misplaced spring that threatened last month. Wakeful snakes at this time of the year are supposed to be indicative of the quick approach of budding blossoms, and two of the liveliest snakes he ever saw, whatever the season, confronted Paul R. Collier, a surveyor, when he helped a man on Woodland avenue, near the city line, dig a post hole several days ago. The shovel disclosed two blacksnakes less than four feet below the surface, and both of them were as active as if winter and hibernation had never been heard of. They wriggled out of the hole and Collier had to swing his shovel fast to kill them. Snow was on the ground at the time.

Offers Blood for Girl.

New York, Feb. 1.—Heroic measures were decided on yesterday after a consultation of physicians to save the life of Miss Ellen B. Platt, daughter of Frank H. Platt and granddaughter of Senator Thomas C. Platt, who is critically ill of typhoid fever at the home of her father, No. 242 West Seventy-fourth street. By the transfusion of blood from a healthy subject it is hoped to conquer the disease, and a senior student of Yale University, a close friend of Livingston Platt, brother of the young woman, has offered himself for the operation.

—Justice Nash will be at his office, 207 Park avenue, at 5:30 o'clock Monday morning to make out pension papers.

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

Miss Margaret Randolph, who has shown a decided improvement in her recent attack of rheumatism, is again confined to her room with rheumatism in one of her arms instead of her knee.

The Gold Medal minstrel troupe, which gave a show in New Market, Tuesday night, are to appear in Washington Hall in the near future.

Frank Kellogg's infant daughter, which has had a slight attack of scarlet fever, is today around the house.

(Additional suburban news on page 2).

MRS. STEELE LEAVES PORTLAND.

Bret Harte's Daughter No w On Her Way to New York.

Mrs. Jessamy Steele, daughter of Bret Harte, and formerly of this city, left the Portland, Me., almshouse last evening to take the 6 o'clock train for New York.

"They have been good to me here," she said; "as good as if I had been a high priced boarder, but I am delighted to get away to new scenes and brighter prospects. I have been stranded in Portland nearly a year. I had hoped to find some literary or musical employment here, but failed in my endeavor, and even my attempt to give recitals from my father's works increased my burden of indebtedness.

"Accepting charity is a heart touching business, but I appreciate the kind spirit in which it is proffered, and shall accept it as a means to my re-establishment on a more sound footing. It is my desire to get on the stage. I shall trust to the good judgment of Miss Robson, whose guets I am to be in New York, asa to whether I can begin at once a fulfilment of that desire." Miss Eleanor Robson, who is appearing in the dramatic version of Mr. Harte's story, "Salomy Jane," will give a benefit performance for Mrs. Steele next week.

ATLANTIC'S TREASURY SHORT NEARLY $25,000.

Experts Trace Raised Bills and Padded Payrolls to a Former Clerk.

Atlantic City, Feb. 1.—Nearly $25,000 has mystreiously disappeared from the city Treasury during the last two years, is the substance of the report submitted by the expert accountants who have been overhauling the accounts of the city. John T. Andrews, formerly chief clerk in the City Comptroller's office, is now under $10,000 bonds on charges of larceny and embezzlement from the city.

The experts declare a former chief clerk carried fictitious firms and individuals as city creditors, and accuse him of paying large sums to such accounts, of altering receipts and bills, and also of padding the labor pay rolls in the Department of Labor.

They also show a system of padding the city pay rolls so as to make xecess charges amounting to over $4,000; the balance of the money that is alleged to have been taken, the experts say, was obtained by raising bills from a few dollars to hundreds.

WOMAN THREY SHOE AT BURGLAR, WHO FLED.

Thump Against Door Too Much for Nocturnal Visitor's Nerves.

Williamsport, Pa., Feb. 1.—Williamsport's gentleman burglar is busy these nights. Friday night Mrs. John Dailey thought she heard a rat gnawing in a closet. She threw her shoe, which made a great thump against the closet door.

The "gnawing," it developed, was the sawing by a burglar of a first-floor window, but the thump of the shoe evidently frightened him away.

Wednesday night the burglar selected the home of Mrs. Lydia Augruch, a wealthy widow living in the Grampian suburban section. The entire household was away, and the intruder evidently spent the greater portion of the night in the house, as it was ransacked from top to bottom.

Money and a revolver were taken. A track in the snow across the lawn was the only clue left for the police.

Would Open New York Streets.

New York, Feb. 1.—Declaring it was impossible because of quicksand to proceed further with the construction of its tunnels in Thirty-second and Thirty-third streets, in sections between Madison and Seventh avenues, without opening the pavement, counsel for the Pennsylvania Railroad Company yesterday applied to the Rapid Transit Commission for permission to complete the work by the open trench method. After long arguments by representatives of the company and property owners for and against permission to dig two trenches from building line to building line, sixty feet in depth, through these important streets, the question was referred, on motion by Mayor McClellan, to George S. Rice, chief engineer of the commission, for investigation and report.

Miss Rita Dalley, of Raritan, has been spending several days with relatives here.

Russell Stewart, of East Fifth street, is convalescing from an attack of pneumonia.

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DIVIDEND NO. 60.

CITY NATIONAL BANK,
PLAINFIELD, N. J.

The Board of Directors have this day declared the usual semi-annual dividend of four per cent. on the capital stock of this bank out of the earnings of the past six months, and an extra dividend of one per cent. upon the capital stock of said bank, payable on and after Tuesday, February 5, 1907.

Wm. F. Arnold, Cashier.
Dated, Plainfield, Jan. 30, 1907.
1 31 7

DIED.

PTASCHINSKI—On Jan. 31, 1907, Martin Ptaschinski, in his 83d year.

Funeral at his late residence, 114 Duer street, on Sunday, February 3, at 1 o'clock. 2 1 2

MORRIS—On Thursday, Jan. 31, 1907, Elizabeth Crary Morris, in her 82d year.

Services at the residence of her nephew, Edward Morris Van Buren, 810 Central avenue, on Monday, Feb. 4, at 11 a. m. 2 1 2

Look Into Starvation Plea.

New York, Feb. 1.—Investigation is being made by the Charity Organization Society concerning a man who, under the name of Alois Hoffman, has signified his willingness to sell his skin for grafting purposes in order, he says, to save his wife and two children from starving. There was an advertisement yesterday in the newspapers signed "Janitress." She is the wife of the man who declares he is ready for such a sacrifice, and they live in a tenement house, in East Eigthy-eighth street.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

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Help Wanted.

GIRL wanted to cook, wash and iron; references required. Apply 526 West Seventh St. 1 29 tf

WANTED—Stewart for a suburban club; married man preferred. Apply to W. B. Toucey, Westfield, N. J. 1 30 3

WANTED — GENERAL HOUSEWORKERS, COOKS, CHAMBERMAIDS AND OTHERS, IMMEDIATELY; WHITE AND COLORED. PLAINFIELD EMPLOYMENT OFFICE ON DRIVEWAY TO STATION OFF PARK AVE.

WANTED—A nurse. 915 Hillside avenue. 1 26 tf

GIRL wanted to assist at housework. 129 Grove street, corner Park place. 1 30 tf

WANTED—Good cook, white; references. Call 441 West 8th street. 1 4 tf

Help Wanted.

WANTED—Neat colored girl as chambermaid. Apply 138 Crescent Ave. 2 1 2

WANTED—White woman as laundress and chambermaid; reference required. Laundress, care Press. 2 1 3

WANTED—Waitress and chambermaid; first-class reference required. 537 East Front St. 2 1 2

WANTED—First-class all round cook, at Trueil Court; good wages. 1 31 3

WANTED—At 324 Franklin place, cook and laundress; white or colored. Apply evenings. 1 31 2

WANTED—White girl for general housework. Call afternoons, 955 West Sixth St. 1 24 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework; references required. Apply 923 Woodland avenue. 1 31 3

WANTED—Two foundry helpers. Aluminum Press Co. 1 31 tf

WANTED—Cooks, waitresses and general houseworkers, at once; good places and good pay. Call or address Mrs. Day, South Plainfield.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply 96 Mercer Ave. 1 23 tf

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at once at Mrs. Keller's Intelligence Office, 22 Somerset place. 12 29 tf

WANTED — General housework girls. Mrs. Day's Intelligence Office, South Plainfield, N. J. 12 12 tf

For Rent.

TO RENT—House of 11 rooms and bath, on West Front street. Apply 422 West Front street. 2 1 3

FOR RENT—From April 1st, 8-room house, with barn; all improvements; fine location. Address A. E. M., care Press. 2 1 tf

FOR RENT—Central location, house, 8 rooms and bath. J. F. MacDonald, 149 North Ave. 1 31 tf

TO RENT—16 acres farm. Address Mrs. William Martin, New Brunswick Road, city. 1 30 6

FIVE rooms; all improvements; 16 per month. A. Young, agent, 815 South Second St. 1 28 5

TO LET—Large, new store, No. 407 Watchung avenue. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin building. 9 24 tf

DENTIST office, heat, telephone, light, water, door attendance. 178 East Front street. 1 11 tf

TO LET—A number of small houses, $10 to $25 per month. M. F. Gano, 221 Park Ave. 12 22 tf

Wanted—Miscellaneous.

WANTED—$150 on first class chattel mortgage. Address A. B. C., care Press. 2 1 3

WANTED—To buy, milk route, with or without stock. Address F. W., care Press. 1 31 3

MILK WANTED—100 quarts by April 1st by the year. Address Milk, care Press. 1 28 6

WILL care for good horse for the winter for use of same. Address Good Care, care Press. 10 6 tf

UPRIGHT piano wanted cheap for cash; any condition. Address Box 605, Plainfield. 11 8 tf

Chickens and Eggs.

FOR SALE—Good size laying B. P. Rock and Black Wyandotte Pullets, 80 cents each; also customers for first-class fresh eggs from our own yards, delivered twice a week at market prices. Address B., care Press office. 2 1 2

BLACK ORPINGTON COCKERELS AND PULLETS—A few choice ones for sale; fine shape and color; good enough to show; brothers to first prize winners at the late large shows; write for prices; eggs $5 per setting. Oak Tree Poultry and Game Farm, Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J. 1 21 tf

Real Estate Agents.

ASK Manning or McIntyre, 163 North avenue, to show you the plans of the two new houses they are building on West Eighth street; each house contains 11 rooms, three baths, with every modern improvement; open sanitary plumbing, tiled bath rooms, steam heat, large open fire-places, hardwood floors and cabinet trim; large porch, lot 100x240; numerous shade trees and nearly opposite the beautiful residence of Mr. Robert Rushmore and adjoining the house of Elliot T. Barrows. 1 31 1m

THOSE desiring to own a farm should consult one who has been selling farms for years, and he is yours truly, William Henry Rogers, 136 Park avenue, Plainfield; telephone 44. tf

Lost and Found.

FOUND—Tan color misses' glove. Call at Daily Press office. 2 1 3

LOST—By poor workwomen on Elm place, last evening, purse containing $12. Return to Daily Press office, reward.

LOST—Wednesday, two old style photographs. Reward for return to Daily Press office.

Miscellaneous.

MRS. BONY — High-class dressmaking; French models; fine work remodeling; moderate prices. 12 Stone St., North Plainfield. 1 24 1m

ALL MY stock of sleighs will be reduced at half price; several second hand coupe rockaways. W. J. Conroy, 175-177 Somerset St. 1 17 tf

NEXT—We are next to station and next to bargain; bring in your bargain and be next to buyers. Ira L. LaRue, 152 North Ave. 1 8 tf

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A REFINED masseuse would like few ladies to treat at their homes. Address Mrs. Ashley, 1326 Park avenue, 'phone 538-J. 1 8 1m

PAINTING and paperhanging, 1907 patterns; estimates furnished. Francis Bartels, Watchung, N. J. 1 14 1m

AUTOMOBILES sold by us guaranteed right; we thoroughly overhaul every machine before selling, and still sell way below market prices; we only buy and sell late model slightly used cars of the kind we know give satisfaction; investigate before buying. Thompson Auto Co., 315 West Front. 1 12 1m

HIGHEST cash price paid for trading stamps in books or loose. The Plainfield Loan Co., 170 East Front street. 1 3 1m

TEDDY BEARS, only a few left; 35 cents each. 24 Chatham St. 2 1 3

BABIES crochet sacques for sale; all prices; also ladies' knitted sweaters made to order. Mrs. Mayer, 54 Pearl street, North Plainfield. tf

THE highest cash price paid for household goods, furniture, etc. Fred W. Hand, Auctioneer, 136 East Second street. 'Phone 1722. tf

Money to Loan.

TO LOAN on bond and mortgage, $3,000, also $3,500, on satisfactory risks. J. F. MacDonald, 149 North avenue. 1 31 tf

MONEY to loan, five per cent. gilt edge real estate. J. T. Vail. 1 14 tf

MONEY to loan at 5 per cent. on first mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot. tf

TO LOAN—Money on first mortgages at 5 per cent. V. W. Nash, Jr., 221 Park avenue. 6 22 tf

$4,000.00 TO LOAN on first bond and mortgage, on Plainfield property at five per cent. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin Building, East Front street. tf

TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street. tf

Rooms and Board.

TO LET—Furnished rooms; steam heat. 226 East Front St. 2 1 3

NICE hall room for gentleman. 209 West Front street, Diehl. 1 30 6

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YOUNG man would like to get board in private family, near trolley; West End preferred. Address P. O. Box 360, city. 1 30 3

FURNISHED rooms for gentlemen in refined neighborhood. 402 Grant avenue. 12 6 tf

FURNISHED rooms, with all conveniences for light housekeeping; improvements; reasonable. 445 Orchard place. 1 28 tf

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Situations Wanted.

IF ANY one wants a girl apply to Mrs. Miller's Intelligence Office, 330 East Fourth St.

WANTED—Refined girl would like position as chambermaid in private family; best reference. Address M. C., Bound Brook, N. J., Box 512. 1 2

COLORED woman wants two unfurnished rooms. Martha A. Jones, 418 West Fourth St. 1 31 6

For Sale.

SLED runners, new set, for light delivery purpose; cheap. 78 Somerset street, store. 1 30 3

SECOND-HAND Mosher safe for sale cheap. Call or address Y. H. Ackroyd, 147 East Fifth St. 1 31 3

LOTS at sacrifice sale; plot 134x100, within one minute of trolley. J. T. Vail. 1 31 2

CUTTER for sale cheap; good as new. Inquire Blair's stable, 114 West Sixth St., or 75 Mercer Ave. 1 30 3

TWO-SEATED light sleigh for sale. Apply at 740 Belvidere Ave. 1 28 6

For Sale.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Country store and residence property for sale, or will exchange for improved real estate in Plainfield or vicinity; large house of nine rooms; large two-story store building; a good business stand with a good business; property free and clean; price $6,000; stock in store goes with property. Inquire from 7 to 9 p. m., P. W. Fisher, 47 Chatham street, Plainfield. 1 29 5

FOR SALE—Fine new 10-room house situate on a high terraced lot, 100x250, in the best section of Netherwood; hard wood floors and trim; 2 tiled bath rooms, 3 fireplaces, steam heat; occupancy April 1; will finish to suit purchaser. Plans can be seen at the office of William H. Abbott, 163 North Ave. 1 29 1m

FARM, 24 acres, for sale, near Somerville, on macadam road; good buildings. McNabb, lawyer, 209 North avenue. 1 28 1m

FOR SALE—Automobile, very desirable light side entrance touring car; cape top, etc.; like new; exceptional bargain; $650. Thompson, 315 West Front. 1 28 6

REAL ESTATE for sale, rent and exchange at bargain figures; insurance in strong companies at lowest rates; money t oloan at five per cent. Thickstun & Emmons, 197 North avenue. 9 28 tf

FOR SALE—House and lot on Webster place, near Watchung avenue; fine location; 8 rooms; all improvements. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

FOR SALE—White Rock and White Leghorn Cockerels; also Pekin ducks. Netherwood farm, Mountain avenue. 1 30 6

HOUSES for sale, some to rent; lots for sale; good locations. Apply D. F. Dugan, 511 East Seventh St. 1 30 4

LOT FOR SALE on John street, near West Seventh, 50x150; fine location; will sell very reasonable. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

FOR SALE—Coal and lumber business, grocery, butcher, livery, trucking, automobile garage; all kinds of business bargains. Ira L. LaRue, next to station, next to bargain. 31 tf

FOR SALE—Kitchen range, first-class condition; has been used but six months. Address Range, Daily Press. 1 31 3

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FOR SALE—Very desirable new house, Union street, corner Arlington avenue, nine rooms and bath; all improvements. J. T. Vail, 177 North avenue. 12 15 tf

FOR SALE—Handsome two-seated bob sleigh with springs, pole and shafts; bargain. Enquire Frank Hedden's livery, 118 East Fourth St. 1 26 6

FOR SALE—1 seated sleigh; $10. Inquire William H. Abbott, 163 North avenue.

FOR SALE OR FOR RENT—Several houses, stores and offices. J. P. W. Taylor, 102 North Ave. 12 20 tf

A CHANCE for a working man to buy a home on West Second street; very little cash required. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

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FOR SALE—Three eleven-room houses; all improvements; possession April 1st, if sold by February 15th. D. C. Ivins, No. 937 Hillside Ave. 8 tf

FOR SALE—Seasoned cord wood; cut in lengths to suit purchaser; also mill slabing at $6 per cord; orders will be given prompt attention, John V. TenEyck & Son, P. O. Box 57, Metuchen, N. J. 1 8 3m

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FOR SALE—An elegant lot on East Second street, size 50x200 feet; close to town; just the spot for a good double house. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

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ANNUAL REPORT OF RAHWAY REFORMATORY

SUPERINTENDENT MARTIN DETAILS WORK OF THE PAST YEAR.

Trenton, Feb. 1.—In his annual report to Governor Stokes, Captain Martin, the superintendent of the Rahway Reformatory, says:

"Opinions differ as to the desirability of convict labor under contract, but the fact remains that contracts for the use of this labor are in force and should be made as productive as possible until, at least, the State does away with the system."

In connection with the superintendent's report there are also reports from Harlan P. Hough, the physician of the institution, also a report from Robert J. Shearer, principal of the school of the reformatory.

The report shows that at the close of the year there were 405 inmates confined in the institution. At the opening of the year of 1906 there were 376 persons in the reformatory. During the year one prisoner died; seven escaped, three of whom have been captured; one released by order of the court; three transferred to insane asylums; two returned to the Middlesex county jail, 224 paroled; 48 returned for breaking their paroles, and 216 received during the year.

Of the annual appropriation it is shown that at the close of the year there was a balance of $304,742.09. In this balance is the sum of $300,000 appropriated for the erection and completion of the new wing. The total earnings of the institution during the year were $17,849.50, of which amount $13,871.89 has been turned over to the State Treasurer.

The commissioners in the report join with Captain Martin in seeking an appropriation so as to enable them to provide a better water supply and a large sewage system. Appropriations are also asked for a new engine, dynamo and boilers for the power house. It is also pointed out that the commission has no funds with which to furnish the new wing.

In speaking of the trade schools Mr. Martin says he is again compelled to direct the attention of the Governor to the absolute necessity of no longer delaying the erection of at least two suitable buildings in which may be housed the present eight trade schools that are now either without accommodation at all or are required to locate in the engine and boiler rooms of the power house than which no more unfit place could be found.

Dr. Hough, the physician of the institution, reports that the health of the inmates has been particularly good and he makes special mention of the fact that there was but one death at the institution during the year. The one death was caused by typhoid fever. The disease, the doctor says, was traced to the drinking water, which is supplied to the institution from the Rahway River.

Mr. Shearer, the school principal of the institution, says that in addition to the usual studies, that have added a stenographic class. In this class the principal states that many of the inmates have attained a speed dictation of 100 to 115 words a minute. The total membership of the classes reaches 404 persons.

RAILROADS MUST PAY "MAIN STEM" SCHOOL TAX.

Gov. Stokes Will Use Entire Resources of the State to Enforce It.

Trenton, Feb. 1.—With a view of having the Perkins "main stem" tax act of 1906 upheld by the courts, Governor Stokes has announced that the entire resources of the State will be used to defeat the efforts of the railroads in their fight to have the law declared unconstitutional.

Attorney General McCarter has announced that in order to meet the arguments and work of the large number of the legal representatives of the railroads he has retained former Supreme Court Justice Van Syckel to assist him in his efforts to uphold the constitutionality of the Perkins law.

The Attorney-General said he would do all in his power to have the case advanced upon the causes already listed for argument, and if successful in this would use his best efforts to have the court render a decision in the matter at the very earliest possible moment.

The Attorney-General also said that if it was found necessary that he would employ other legal talent in addition to the services of former Justice Van Syckle.

Red Cross Aid for China.

The American National Red Cross is arranging to send 5,000 bushels of wheat for Spring planting to China to help relieve famine conditions there. It hopes to make the shipment at once from the Pacific coast. This step is being taken at the request of American Consul Rodgers at Shanghai, the acting representative of the Red Cross, who cabled last week that "famine conditions are still worse; Chinese officials sending refugees home; smallpox prevalent. Will wheat for spring planting be sent?" The Red Cross announced this week that $17,000 had been collected for the Chinese famine fund, and that of this $5,000 had been abled to Mr. Rodgers for immediate use.

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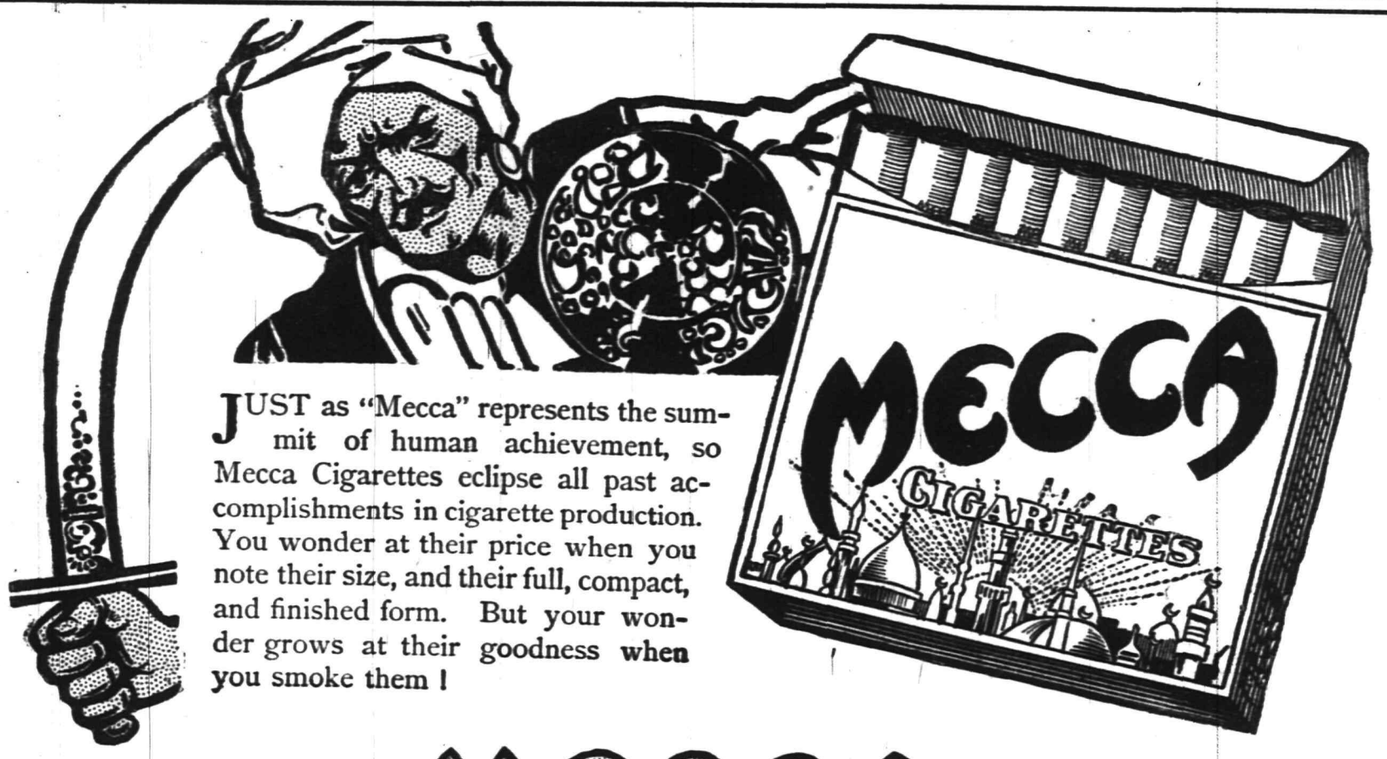

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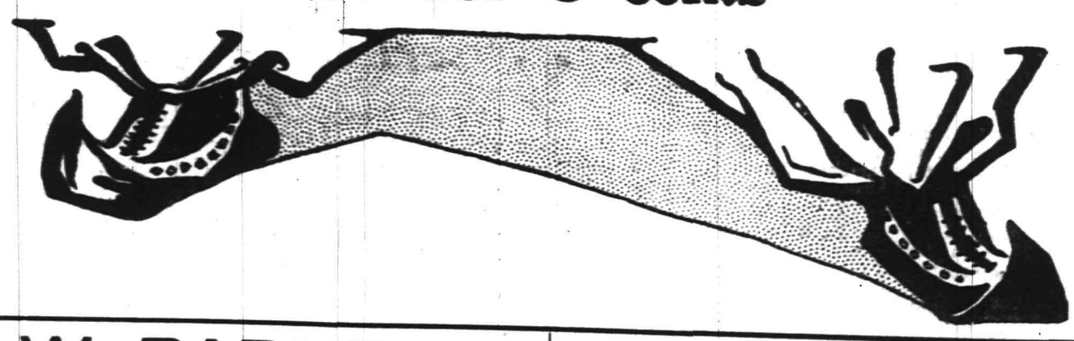

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LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

The arrangement of a good moving picture bill is a task more difficult than that of the arrangement of any other class of entertainment. First of all is required discrimination of a high order, due greatly to the tremendous field of subject matter, of widely diffused differences and thought. It is the master hand that can choose the most popular. Archie L. Shepard makes the claim of doing so, for he has consulted popular taste and the public is its judge, consequently the appeal for their approbation is merely the endorsement of their own judgment. The judgment decides in favor of the people's choice, subjects that interest the many, subjects that appeal to their sympathies, that enliven with comedy or humorous interest come in climaxes to a surmounting laugh or thrill, and leave a lasting after effect. That only is the class of pictures used by Mr. Shepard whose company will be at the New Plainfield theatre tonight.

Joe Hortiz, who has been selected as the star of "Our Friend Fritz," which comes to the New Plainfield theatre tomorrow afternoon and night, is the possessor of the greatest yodeling voice ever heard. It is said by many who have heard him that he surpasses all who have ever attempted that class of lyics. Admirers of vigorous up-to-date melodrama will find in "Our Friend Fritz" considerable to rouse their enthusiasm.

Some of the scenes of "When Women Love," the newest heart interest play, are claimed to have never been surpassed on the stage. One of these is the brilliant lawn fete, in which, in front of the great house, brilliantly illuminated, a brook and a fountain of running water are shown, the water being brilliantly lighted with various colored electric lights. In the course of the fete, a vaudeville entertainment is given on the lawn. The scene is one of the brightest and most attractive to be seen this season at the New Plainfield theatre where "When Women Love" will be given next Tuesday night.

"As Told in the Hills," one of the strongest theatrical attractions of the season, will come to the New Plainfield theatre next Friday night. The principal character is that of Pamnena, the daughter of an Indian chief who was adopted by an emigrant and his wife and reared as their own child. The character is regarded as one of the strongest and most interesting that has been created in any modern melodrama, showing as it does the influences of education and refinement on a typical "child of nature," who has inherited all of the strong characteristics of her Indian father and mother. In the play she appears as the ideal type of young womanhood retaining the best traits of chartcter that she has inherited and combining them with the accomplishments acquired from her life in an American home and an advanced education.

Wilton Lackaye will be seen in his own version of Victor Hugo's epoch-making masterpiece, "Les Miserables," at the New Plainfield theatre, matinee and night, February 12. Mr. Lackaye calls his play "The Law and the Man," which will strike theatre-goers familiar with the work of the great French novelist as being particularly appropriate. In his work of adaption, the actor-playwright has followed with remarkable fidelity and skill the story as told in the five novels which are segregated under the one title. In many instances and really as far as practical for stage use the dialogue is that of Hugo himself. The piece is in a prologue and four acts.

The February Burr McIntosh Monthly.

The color work of this beautiful magazine has always been a source of great admiration of those who have seen it, particularly, as the publishers have been able to get some most unique effects by the use of color. The February number, now on the news stands, is unusually strong in this respect. In its pages of celebrities fine reproductions of photographs are shown of Geraldine Ferrar, Emma Eames, Madam DiCisneros, Madam Jacoby, M. Renaud, M. Delmores and Fernand Sonbeyran, all of the Metropolitan Opera Company. An extremely pretty page illustrates scenes from "Madam Butterfly" as presented by the Savage Opera Company. An interesting illustrated article on American opera singers on the German stages will be appreciated by all Americans who are interested in music. Under the always interesting caption, People of Note, Professor Stoddard, the author, Charles Klein, the famous playwright, the late Samuel Spencer, of the Southern Railroad, Cardinal Gibbons, representing the Church of Rome in America, the late Walter Appleton Clark among the foremost illustrators of the day, and H. H. Rogers, of Standard Oil fame, are prominent. A specially interesting form is printed in a shade of purple, illustrating in text and picture the winter exhibition of the National Academy of Design. Altogether this issue is unusually beautiful as well as extremely varied in its contents.

Augustus Nash is detained at his home on Prospect avenue with an attack of the grip.

Mrs. White and son, of Hartford, Conn., who have been visiting in Plainfield, are now stopping with Mrs. White's mother, Mrs. Williams, of Roselle.

SENTENCE SERMONS.

We live by the joy we give.

Significance is not a matter of bulk.

Good-will on earth is God's will for man.

A week end religion is weak at both ends.

There are no saints without their service.

He who cheers another encourages himself.

There are no single admission tickets to glory.

No man can be free, who holds another in bonds.

Many have found life's crown bending over a cradle.

The dew of heaven is not in the mildew on the sermon.

The path of happiness always leads by some sad one's side.

It often takes a vacant place to bind the family fast together.

Giving is always a poor investment when it is an investment only.

The true servants of heaven are known by an atmosphere of happiness.

The only way to get some folks to forgive and forget is to lend them a dollar.

He who is always looking for a soft place finds one in the slough of despond.

Nothing worth seeing comes from the life that knows nothing of the unseen.—Chicago Tribune.

WARPED WISDOM.

Better not be witty than half-witted.

Uneasy lies the head that wears a frown.

Love your enemies—but not John Demijohn.

To a big-headed man the world is very small.

Heart failure and cash failure often go together.

Too bad that most good eating is bad for one.

Knockers get big audienees, but no gate receipts.

You can have a mighty hot time on a cool million.

The best man at a wedding cannot always prove it.

If you are a gay old dog you have no right to whine.

A cheerful lie is often better than the solemn truth.

Two heads are better than one—especially at kissing.

You can also tell a man by the company he doesn't keep.

The last person to forget a kindness is the one who does it.

When a man makes a show of himself he's not always comedy.

Many a man smacks of freshness, but freshness gets no smacks.

It's a wise Satan who keeps his beard away from the candles.

WISE MAN'S VIEWS.

Here is a little screed of life formulated by a wise man:

I have grown to believe that the one thing worth aiming at is simplicity of heart and life.

That power leaves a bad taste in the mouth.

That congenial labor is the secret of happiness.

That the world is a very interesting and beautiful place.

That meanness, hardness and coldness are unforgivable sins.

That one's relations with others should be direct and not diplomatic.

That pleasure exists, not in virtue of material conditions, but in a joyful heart.

And many other things which seem, as I write them down, to be dull and trite commonplaces, but are for me the bright jewels which I have found beside the way.

PITY 'TIS 'TIS TRUE.

In love, at least, consistency is a fool.

A man is as old as his arteries; a woman is as old as her art.

If she has bad manners, she's poor; if she is eccentric, she's rich.

Man was created first—women have kept him waiting ever since.

Remember that there is no praise quite so sweet as praise that is undeserved.—N. Y. Evening Post.

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Tournade's Kitchen Bouquet, 25c size, a bottle **19c**	Crosse & Blackwell's Essence of Coffee, 25 size, a bottle **19c**	Armour's Extract of Beef, 45c size, a jar **37c**	Dr. Johnson's Educator Crackers, 45c kind, a tin **39c**
Leggett's Gelatine, One package makes two quarts, a package **4c**	Swift's White Ribbon Soap, 5c kind, a cake **3½c**	Franco American Potted Beef, 10c kind, a can **7c**	Libby & McNeil's 5-lb Tins Boiled Beef, 65c kind, a can **35c**
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Rye Flour, fresh ground, 5-lb bag 14c
Oatmeal, best White Rolled Oats, 6 lb bag 21c
Corn Meal, best granulated, yellow or white, 6 lb bag..... 14c
Hominy, fresh ground, in bulk, 4 lbs for 10c
Barley, new course, 3-lb bag, 11c
Farina, Best Wheat Farina, 4-lb bag 15c

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Let a man speak what is true, and speak what is pleasing; let him not speak what is true but unpleasing, nor what is pleasing but untrue. This law changes not.

No other reaps the fruit of a deed which a man commits in this world of men; the fruit of every deed which a man commits, he shall reap, and no deed whatsoever goes without its fruit.

In the true light seek thou the little master of the house within, while thou holdest in check the wind blowing before the door and the leader of the senses? Why many words? Through words a man cometh not to vision. Behold the master within the body! Why wanderest thou further in the darkness of errors taught by the books?

After much search in many doctrines the wise have determined the four ways of giving that lead to welfare in this world and the next. To those who fear shall a man give confidence; to the sick, medicine; to those that desire knowledge, he shall give knowledge; to the hungry, food.

NEWSPAPER WAIFS.

Uncle Frank (who has been 24 hours in the house)—Have I told you the story of the rat and the bird, Dulcie?" Dulcie—"Yes; twice."—Punch.

"De man dat thinks he can't make mistakes," said Uncle Eben, "is makin' one of de mos' dangerous dat is, right there."—Washington Star.

Friend—Is the bride you're working for getting to be a good housekeeper? Cook—No, she hasn't learned to keep out of the kitchen yet.—Detroit Free Press.

Rollingstone Nomoss—Can you oblige me with a little help, lady? Mrs. Subbubs—I'm afraid not. All my help left this morning. It's very hard to get help in the suburbs.—Philadelphia Record.

"I got a shock from a 'lectric battery, to-day," said the first hobo. "Gee! It's a funny kind of a feelin'; feels just like taking a bath." "Say," exclaimed the other one, "you must have a great memory."—Philadelphia Press.

Schoolma'am—Now, tell the truth, Johnny Jones. You know what will happen if you tell a lie, don't you?" Johnny Jones—Yes, ma'am. I'll go to the bad place. Schoolma'am—Yes, and that isn't the worst of it. You'll also be expelled from school."—Chicago Daily News.

JUST REMARKS.

Men are disposed to use many useless words in the writing of a letter.

When a woman reaches middle life she increases her demand for attention.

A woman first fiercely resents criticism and afterward considers the force of it.

Men are disposed to base an opinion on how it will effect their own interests.

Some men fall into the habit of praising themselves without being aware of it.

When a woman engages in church work she makes enthusiasm overrule judgment.

The majority of men have no hesitation in assuming their ideas in politics to be absolutely correct.

The love correspondence of a woman is disgested and remembered no matter how foolish it may seem to others.

To a man there is a pleasure in being spoken of as charitably inclined. —Philadelphia Bulletin.

NUGGETS FROM GEORGIA.

The country is doing the best it can and it isn't old enough yet to know better.

Lots of ways of racing in the world, but it's a question whether or no a fellow's worth the dynamite.

The growler has his uses in this world. He causes many to thank God they have nothing to growl about.

If you can't make the world turn over out o' time, you're lucky if you have time to just sit around and feel good in it.

According to some o' the brethren, "the devil's in the weather" anyway you take it; and yet he has been accused of manipulating an ice trust.

Newton Newkirk, the humorist of the Boston Post, has given racy reading to the brethren in his "Recollections of a Gold-Cure Graduate." There's a laugh in every line of it, and it has many humorous illustrations.—Atlanta Constitution.

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Bowling and General Sports

DILKS AND GADDIS GET ANOTHER THREE

HANDED TO THEM BY WOOLSTON AND CUNNINGHAM.

Gaddis and Dilks had three games handed to them in the bowling tourney, last night, practically on a silver platter. They came from Charlie Woolston and Sam Cunningham, the latter rolling the poorest he has done at any time since he learned the game. His best score was 141 while he is generally looked upon as a 200 man. Woolston's best was 182 and in one game he dropped to 145. Gaddis rolled poorly and if the opposing team did as it should have done, they could have easily overcome Dilks' average of 182.1.

Mullen and Conklin played two sets of games last night and started off by taking three straight from Causebrook and McLaughlin. Conklin was the "candy kid" with an average of 186.1 and his partner was close behind with 184.1. In the second series with Nash and Skelly later they lost two out of three, one of them by a single pin.

The scores:

Gaddis	136	190	150
Dilks	181	201	201
	317	391	351
vs.			
Woolston	145	182	167
Cunningham	141	136	133
	286	318	306
Causebrook	163	187	190
McLaughlin	184	163	144
	347	350	334
vs.			
Mullen	157	213	183
Conklin	195	163	201
	352	376	384
Mullen	186	135	195
Conklin	175	169	160
	361	304	355
vs.			
Nash	170	170	199
Skelly	192	185	145
	362	355	344

BOWLING

In the standing for the Central Journal Bowling League trophy, it was stated last night that the Elizabeth Club and the Parks are tie for first place. The Parks have won 16 and lost 5 games, while Elizabeth has won 13 games and lost 8. There is a difference of three games to the good for the Parks, but the average is nearly the same. Tonight these clubs will roll on the Park Club alleys, when the home team hopes to increase its lead.

INTER-Y. M. C. A. MEET.

Plainfield and Passaic Associations to Contend February 21.

Arrangements are being made for an athletic meet between the Plainfield and Passaic Y. M. C. A.'s. The teams will contend on February 21, at the local gymnasium.

The events will be of a character to try out the best there is in both associations. The winning team will be awarded a shield, and there will be medals for individual winners.

JUNIOR FIVE FAST.

Defeat Heavier Leal's Combination In a Lively Game.

Keeping up their winning gait, the five rapid youngsters on the Y. M. C. A. junior basketball team defeated the Class of 1909 team of Leal's school at the Y. M. C. A. yesterday afternoon. The score was 13 to 8.

The Leal's players were markedly heavier than the juniors, and a less stout-hearted and cagey a combination than the youthful association stars would have succumbed to fright at the appearance presented by the school lads. The juniors played a swift and admirable game, overcoming as hardy a combination as they have ever faced.

Line-up and score:

Y. M. C. A.	Leal's.
Robbins	Campbell
Vanderbeek	Lawrence
forward.	
Richardson	Gluck
centre.	
Manley	Duke
Vail, Lindzey	Adams
guard.	

Goals from field, Robbins (3), Vanderbeek (2), Campbell, Duke, (2); goals from fouls, Robbins, Richardson, Vail, Campbell (2).

BURGESS TAKES LEAD.

High Dives Into First Place in Y. M. C. A. Competition.

By winning the running high dive event, last night, Burgess pushed Banks out of first place in the all-round Y. M. C. A. athletic championship competition. He leads by a few points.

Burgess dived five feet seven inches, which is only two inches shy of McNaughton's local record. McNaughton's big dive, which is practically a national record, was made at Newark. Stutsman dived five feet five inches into second place. Banks and Douglass were tied for third with five feet 3 and one-half inches.

Log Cabin Gun Club Meets.

The Log Cabin Gun Club met at the Casino, last night, to consider plans for the coming year. The old officers were re-elected and it was decided to hold several special events during the season for prizes. This club, organized two years ago, has been steadily growing in numbers and has been very successful. The club has grounds and a clubhouse near the Plainfield Country Club and every Saturday during the spring, summer and fall shoots are held there.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Christian church will hold an entertainment on Monday night, February 18. Home talent will present the programme.

Prepartory services will be held at Warren chapel tonight and the Lord's Supper will be observed on Sunday morning. Rev. J. O. McKelvey, pastor, will be in charge.

In connection with the Epworth League meeting in Vincent chapel, tonight, there will be a social. All the young people of the church and congregation are invited.

Just bear in mind that the Ladies' Christian Work Society of Trinity Reformed church will hold its annual turkey supper on Thursday and Friday nights, February 7 and 8, and that Kenneth Stuart's orchestra will render popular selections.

CLOSED PORTALS.

Queen City Lodge, No. 226, I. O. O. F., will meet Wednesday night and initiate six candidates.

There will be initiation and several applications received for membership at the meeting of Somerset Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., tonight.

Martha Washington Council, No. 23, D. of A., will hold a dime social on Thursday evening, February 7, at the home of C. S. Bye, Chatham street.

Crescent Company's Dance.

Crescent Company, No. 13, U. R. K. of P., gave its annual reception and dance in the rooms of the Camera Club last night. It was largely attended and proved an enjoyable social occasion. The committee in charge comprised William Baker, Harry L. Keen, Fred Douglas and John H. R. Hall.

Y. M. C. A. Circus.

New talent is being added to the Y. M. C. A. circus programme daily. It was announced this morning that B. G. Hanson, well known locally as a juggler, would appear. Tornello, the wire-walker and juggler, will also appear. The circus will be held February 11 and 12.

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WELCOME TO STOKES

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paid a compliment to Governor Stokes, adding that his name should be dear to the hearts of all, for he has given the best years of his life for his State and he knew it to be the prayer of everyone that his life be spared for many years of service. He then referred to the fact that Somerset county furnished a signer to the Declaration of Independence in the person of Dr. John Witherspoon, at one time president of Princeton College, and he described his spirit of independence in quoting from the "Old Farm," a story by the late Andrew Mellick, of this city. The Senator declared the American to be a distinct type of citizen and he paid tribute to the thousands of adopted sons who have come here and given their lives for the country. New Jersey had taken a step in the education of foreign born and he considered that the State has a duty to perform in preserving the nation, the sanctity of the home and the ballot.

In presenting the last speaker, Governor Stokes, Mr. McCutchen referred to him as a "modest little gentleman." Turning to the chief executive he said, "I am the ruler for this evening and you are the subject." Mr. McCutchen briefly described his association with Governor Stokes, when the two with J. B. Betts formed a commission to revise the school laws, and he said that the willingness of the Governor to admit an error, he considered to be the finest trait and evidences of a great man.

As Governor Stokes arose to speak, the entire assemblage stood up and greeted him with applause. It was at the outset that he said that it was a pleasure to come to Union county, a county the home of an ex-Governor, who has no further troubles, the home of a United States Senator who is perfectly comfortable at this time, and he was glad to visit the home of a unanimous Mayor.

"You have the spirit of growth," continued the Governor, "and now you want to absorb Mayor Smalley and the toastmaster of the evening. I am willing to sign the matrimonial papers, although I never signed my own. Still, I think it would be a good way to get my hand in. The United States has grown like the farmer who wanted to annex only the land adjoining his own. You can put England sixty-nine times on the map of the United States, without any danger of her slipping into the sea. However, territory never made a nation. It seems as though God intended the United States to play the important part in the world's history.

"The Panama Canal will bring that point 10,000 miles nearer to New York. As Senator Beveridge has said that a ship starting for the Orient will be greeted by the American flag in Porto Rico, Hawaii and the Philippines. The resources of this country are adequate for the growth. Four single days' earnings of the American people will pay for the Panama Canal, and it begins to look as though Gladstone's words that we are becoming the workshop of the world are coming true.

"Throughout the world we see American products, American enterprise and we have ships second to none. The American people are a free people, with every opportunity to reach the highest places. We lead in the peace negotiations, being an important factor in the peace tribunal, where forty-seven matters of dispute have been arbitrated, notably the Japanese and Russian differences and the Venezuela controversy."

Governor Stokes closed his interesting talk by giving a graphic picture of the work of the United States in Cuba, the Philippines. He referred to the fine public school system, a united country of 80,000,000 people and he said that with mighty hopes for the future and with perfect reliance in Him who rules above, the country could march on with confidence and courage. As the Governor closed his speech, the orchestra began playing the "Star Spangled Banner," while the audience rose and joined in the chorus. This was followed by an informal reception when all were given an opportunity to meet the Governor and other speakers.

It was announced early in the evening that State Councilor Frank R. Sharp and Dr. Grafton E. Day, who were expected to speak, were detained, the former by illness, and the latter by business. State Vice Councilor J. M. Thompson, of New Egypt, represented the councilor, but did not speak. During the evening an excellent programme of music was given by the Vivo Orchestra, Martin A. Korff, leader.

The committee which arranged the banquet and attended to all details follows: A. D. Honeyman, chairman; Walter C. Walker, secretary; T. E. Currin, Jr., treasurer; H. C. Runyon, Dr. R. D. Tomlinson, P. H. Bennett, C. F. Platts, A. R. Tranchand, F. L. Soper, Jr., J. A. Dow, J. G. Bicknell and E. Gibson Smith.

The guests:

Mayor C. J. Fisk, Judge Francis Scott, Senator E. R. Ackerman, Governor Edward C. Stokes, S. St. J. McCutchen, Senator Joseph Frelinghuysen, William H. Meiers, A. D. Honeyman, James M. Thompson.

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PERSONAL.

Ralph L. Morrow, city editor of The Daily Press, is detained at his home on East Fifth street by illness.

A slight improvement has been noted in the condition of John Doud, of Duer street, who has been very ill.

Wilbur R. Dyson, of Winsted, Conn., has returned home after spending a few days in Plainfield with friends and relatives.

Mrs. William H. Teeple, of Trenton, and her sister, Mrs. Lewis D. Hall, of this city, are visiting their brother, William Liable, of Dunellen.

Fred Armstrong, of Duer street, who has been detained at home by illness during the past two weeks, has sufficiently recovered to be able to sit up a little.

Governor E. C. Stokes, who spoke at the Junior banquet in the Casino, remained in town over night as the guest of Senator Ernest R. Ackerman. He and Mr. Ackerman went to Trenton this morning on the 9 o'clock train.

CENTRAL OFFICERS HONORED.

Vice President Besler and Gen. Supt. Huntington Presented With Badges.

Badges of honorary membership in the Veteran Employes' Association of the New Jersey Central were recently presented to Vice President and General Manager W. G. Besler and General Superintendent Huntington, as per resolution adopted at the last annual meeting of the association, held at Lake Hopatcong.

The badges are in the form of the official button of the association, suspended from a bar, containing the word "honorary." They are of solid gold and suitably inscribed.

Messrs. Besler and Huntington are the only honorary members of the organization, membership in which is exclusively confined to such employes of the corporation as have been in the continuous employ of the New Jersey Central since 1876, thirty-one years.

The honor conforred upon the officials in question speaks in the most convincing terms of the reciprocal feeling which exists between the rank and file and the management of the Central.

The presentation of the badges was made by Messrs. Haines and Phipps, of the Executive Committee of the association.

Fierce Blaze in Harrisburg.

Harrisburg, Pa., Feb. 1.—More than $1,000,000 worth of damage was done here by a fierce fire that broke out at 2 o'clock this morning, and which burned steadily for eight hours before the firemen could get it under a semblance of control. The block containing the Grand Opera House was completely destroyed, as was also the Park Hotel. The Security Trust Company's building, the Columbus Hotel, the Bijou theatre, the George Harris cigar store, the United Telephone Company's building the building of the Harrisburg Gas Company and Boshan's photograph studio were partially gutted. All these buildings are located near Third and Walnut streets.

Ground Hog Due Tomorrow.

Tomorrow is the day when the ground hog rouses up to prognosticate the weather for the next six weeks. If he sees his shadow he goes back to his lethargy for that length of time and winter weather continues.

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$6.90 for Suits and Overcoats that were sold up to $12, worsteds, cassimeres, cheviots, black and oxford.

$10.48 for Suits and Overcoats that were sold up to $20, in all new shapes, also French back models.

$4.98 for Youths' Suits and Overcoats, from 16 to 20 years, in fine goods and excellent patterns, all new models.

.69 for Men's excellent Pants, worth $2.00, guaranteed make, all sizes, 32 to 42 waist and lengths 29 to 35 inches.

.11 for all Wool Socks, in black, oxford, natural gray and camel hair, all sizes.

.9 for the regular 2 for 25c Silver Brand, 2,000 Linen Collars, 50 different up-to-date styles.

$1.99 for Child's Military Overcoats, from 4 to 8 years; these were sold for $4.50.

.99 for Boys' Double-breasted Suits, from 8 to 15 years; these suits are worth up to $4.50.

.31 for that very good Sanitary Fleeced Lined Underwear; it is of extra heavy weight; sizes 30 to 46 inches.

.19 for Men's and Boys' Gloves, heavy, warm, are actually worth 25c to 75c; not many left.

.9 for Boys' Caps; a lot of different kinds; all sizes and excellent value.

.19 for the balance of the $1.00 and $1.50 Bosom Shirts; sizes only 16, 16½ and 17.

.3 for Working Socks and Handkerchiefs, in half dozen different varities.

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CURRENT VERSE.

The Sabbath Bells.

The old man sits in his easy chair
And his ear has caught the ringing
Of many a church bell far and near,
Their own sweet music singing.
And his head sinks low on the aged breast,
While his thoughts far back are reaching
To the Sabbath morns of his boyish days
And a mother's sacred teaching.

A few years later and, lo! the bells
A merrier strain were pealing
And heavenward bore the marriage vows
Which his manhood's joys were sealing.
But the old man's eyes are dimming now
As memory holds before him
The sad, sad picture of later years
When the tide of grief rolled o'er him;

When the bells were telling for loved ones gone,
For the wife, the sons and daughters,
Who one by one, from his home went out
And down into death's dark waters.
But the aged heart has still one joy
Which his old life daily blesses
And his eyes grow bright and his pulses warm
'Neath a grandchild's sweet caresses.

But the old man wakes from his reverie
And his dear old face is smiling,
While the child with her serious eyes keeps on,
The Sabbath hours beguiling.
Ah! bells, once more ye will ring for him
When the heavenly band shall sever
The cord of life and his free soul flies
To dwell with his own forever.
—Gil W. Barnard.

In Peace Secure.

I will build me a cot on the mountain side
Away from the toiling town,
Where the sunbeams lure and the air is pure
And the winds come sweeping down;
Where the much-loved birds in their leaf-roofed halls
Will herald my morning in,
And my days shall be and my nights shall be
As a world that has no sin;
Where this life's fierce cares and its wild unrest
Cannot reach my sun-garbed day,
And the whole of my time shall be the rhyme
And the theme of an artless lay.

I will poise me a cot on the mountain's brow
Where the eagle whirls his flight,
Above the vale with its gentling tale
Of a life that is lived for right;
Where the joys of sublimity linger around,
Giving rest to the overcrushed soul—
As the drooping lark sings on its low-lying wings
Ere it runs to its coveted goal;
Where the heat of ambition, the glitter of shows,
The falsehood of friendship or love;
There forever must cease to ruffle my peace
Or darken my pathway above.

The Tie That Binds.

I am sure that death is a pleasant thing—
I am sure it is sweet to lie
Alone, unmoved from spring to spring
As year by year goes by,
And I would go to that happy bed,
For my tired spirit's weal—
But there is a heart if I were dead
Whose love I could not feel.

And if I were sick in body and soul
And nothing on earth could cure—
If my doom were sealed beyond control
And the wreck of my life were sure;
If close to the edge of the grave I were pressed
By the wrath of the powers above
I would still refuse that longed-for rest
That I still might feel that love.

The years are long and the miles are long
Between me and that love divine,
And the heart that beats for me leal and strong
Will never beat close to mine,
But in spite of the miles and all the years
And all that the world can give
Of blows and sorrows, of sighs and tears,
I can feel its power—and live.
—Cleveland Leader.

Jennifer's Lad.

Sweet Jennifer came calling me
Along the shining beach.
"There's green upon the hawthorn tree,
There's bloom upon the peach.
O, April's found the upland larch,
The hazel in the hollow."
But louder was the snare drum's "We must march, march, march,"
And clearer called the bugle: "Will you follow?"

Young Jennifer came seeking me
With love upon her lips:
"O, all kind angels keep the sea,
And fortune guide the ships.
The autumn winds have rent the ...h,
The south has won the swallow;"
But clearer beat the snare drum, with its "March, march, march."
And sweeter sang the bugle: "Will you follow?"
—Marjorie L. C. Pickthall, in the Metropolitan Magazine.

The Pines.

These are the whispering pines,
And the selfsame song so low,
Where under the lash of God
I walked one year ago!
O aisles of murmuring shade,
When it seemed that hope had died,
And the black night filled the world.
How low to me then you sighed!

To-day, how the earth o'erruns
With rapture and joy and spring!
How golden the sunlight falls
Where the dark pines sigh and swing!
But thanks to the grief that wanes.
And the hope that wakes again,
My soul is as light as a bird's—
But the black pines sigh with pain!
—Arthur Stringer, in Smart Set.

The One Man Out of Ten.

Nine men toil while one man plays,
Nine men serve one all their days;
Nine men beg what one may give,
Nine men die that one may live.

One man laughs while nine men sigh;
One succeeds where nine men try;
One man wins the love he craves,
Nine men to pretense are slaves.

One man hopes while nine despair;
One usurps what nine should share;
"Some time," nine men weakly say,
Boldly one man says, "To-day!"
—S. E. Kaiser, in Chicago Record-Herald.

The Prayer.

Earth o'er her plains and mountains hath unrolled
A royal carpet all of red and gold,
Whereon November, on his exiled way,
Like some doomed sultan may bow down and pray.
—Thomas Walsh, in Everybody's.

Heartache.

The heart that goes on laughing
And the lips that sing and sing
That the way before them's rosy
And the world is always spring,
And never half so merry
And never half so wise
As the heart that keeps on laughing
Though an ache within it lies!
—Exchange.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Two swelled heads are worse than none.

The art of living consists in not being a dead one.

A woman is seldom a heroine to her 16-year-old daughter.

It's as easy to annoy grown folks as it is difficult to amuse a baby.

Lots of women claim to be man-haters, but they can't prove it.

Many a man's credit isn't good because he is unable to make good.

The worst thing about a bore is that it's almost impossible to insult him.

Many a man becomes weary from trying to dodge people who make him tired.

An average woman judges the worth of a picture by the beauty of the frame.

No girl is really in the spinster class until she begins to get angry when called one.

Show us a man who thinks he knows it all and we will show you the personification of ignorance.

When a woman neglects to put her hands to her back hair occasionally she hasn't much left to live for.

Oyster soup as served by some restaurants is probably so called because one occasionally finds an oyster in it. —Chicago Daily News.

PROVERBS AND PHRASES.

He that spares the wicked injures the good.—Syrus.

The soul is not where it lives, but where it loves.—From the French.

The virtue of the divine spirit illuminates everything.—From the Chinese.

Any mind that is capable of real sorrow is capable of real good.—Mrs. Stowe.

The best of the sport is to do the deed and say nothing.—From the Spanish.

Keep yourself from opportunities and God will keep you from sin.—From the Italian.

He who rides on the giant's shoulder sees farther than he who carries him.—From the French.

He that speaks of things that do not concern him, shall hear of things that will not please him.—From the Arabian.

Every state will be delivered from its calamities when by the favor of fortune, great power unites with wisdom and justice in one person.—Plato.

WISDOM'S WHISPERS.

A man's vanity is shown in the style of neckwear he affects.

Man's accomplishments are best shown after a good dinner.

Most men take kindly to a story which has a flavor of the unsavory.

Women delight in telling how much they influence the actions of others.

To a woman there is a feeling of satisfaction in being considered clever.

A man's knowledge often brings upon him troubles he would like to have avoided.

Men like to be able to convey a piece of information heretofore unknown.

Tell a woman a business secret and the chances are she will tell it in a distorted form.

The woman who professes to have a distaste for society usually is the most eager seeker therefor.

Few women like to be regarded as deserving of censure, no matter what they do.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

MUSINGS OF THE GENTLE CYNIC.

Don't wear out your welcome. It's hard to get another.

No man can make a mistake without learning something.

No man can serve two masters such as dyspepsia and optimism.

Some people believe everything they hear, and take the rest for granted.

The easiest way to flatter a girl is to talk about the hearts she has broken.

Some men never succeed because they are afraid of doing more than their share.

It doesn't do much good to grasp an opportunity unless you know what to do with it.

Some men seem to get a heap of melancholy satisfaction from being misunderstood.

Necessity is the mother of invention, but the children don't always turn out well.

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For Long Branch and Asbury Park, etc.—8.37, 8.11 (10.55 Saturdays only), a. m., 12.42, 3.50, 5.07, 4.45, 6.29, 11.28 p. m. Sunday—3.37, 8.52 a. m., 3.30, 8.13 p. m.

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PENNSYLVANIA—West of Easton. Close 12.35 p. m.

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Arrive—8.40 a. m.; 2.30, 5.30 p. m. Close—7.30, 9.30 a. m.; 1.00, 2.30 and 6.30 p. m.

PHILADELPHIA—Direct.

Arrive—7.30, 8.40, 11.30 a. m., 2.30 and 7.00 p. m.

Close—7.15, 7.30, 9.30 a. m.; 12.35 4.30 7.45 p. m.

Through fast mail for West and South close 4.30 and 7.15 p. m.

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It it more than 20 years since the deadly South American snake known as bushmaster, of which a specimen has just reached the Zoological gardens at London, was last exhibited by the society.

For obvious reasons it is difficult to obtain exact measurements of a live serpent, but the newcomer appears to be about nine feet long. It is evidently partial to moisture, for it has taken possession of a stoneware pan filled with damp moss, which had been placed in the cage for its benefit. The ground color of its skin is yellowish, and its markings are in the form of dark triangular patches.

The scheme of coloration is bold and renders the creature very conspicuous. This combination of black and yellow is usually present in poisonous reptiles and may thus be taken as a signal of danger. Not only does its large size render the surucucu—to give it its Brazilian name—a most dangerous reptile; its poison fangs are enormous and its bite is quickly fatal. Fortunately for its neighbors this deadly monster is nowhere common.

Where De Quincey Went to Church.

St. Peter's church, Manchester, England, which is shortly to be pulled down, is the church which De Quincey attended as a lad and to which there are some entertaining references in "The Confessions of an Opium Eater."

The first rector was De Quincey's tutor, and he possessed apparently a stock of 330 sermons which the pupil confessed became to him "a real instrument of improvement." He only heard half of them, because he attended only the morning services; but he says "Those same 330—2 sermons (lasting only through 16 minutes each) for me became a perfect palaestra of intellectual gymnastics, far better suited to my childish weakness than could have been the sermons of Isaac Barrow or Jeremy Taylor." De Quincey gives his impressions of the opening of the church, which took place when he was in his tenth year. That is now 111 years ago.

First Use of Ice Cream.

Though the ancient Greeks and Romans used ice for table purposes to get through the hot months of summer, they knew nothing of "ices." These were introduced into France from Italy about 1660 and were known at first as "fromages glaces," iced cheeses, although they were made of strawberries and apricots, and contained not a drop of cream. From 1762 the use of "glaces" in the plural was sanctioned by the French academy, but not before 1825 did "une glace" force its way into recognized acceptance. "Ices" are referred to from time to time in the eighteenth century in English people's letters from abroad. "Iced creams," however were known as early as 1689, and by the middle of the eighteenth century "ice cream" figured in cookery books.

Divorce-Law Suggestion.

A clergyman was railing against divorce.

"We ought to have the divorce law that was enforced in ancient Greece," he said. "If that old Greek clause was tacked to every separation, I am persuaded that divorces would fall off 60 or 70 per cent.

"This law was that, when a man got a divorce he could not, under any circumstances, marry another woman younger than his ex-wife.

"An innocent law. A brief law. Not much to look at. But how many, many divorce suits would be nipped in the bud if all husbands knew that, after the separation, they could not marry younger women than the wives they had cast off."

High Prices in Japan.

This is a time of high prices in Japan. The cost of everything has advanced enormously. The rates of five or ten years ago are recalled with regret. Rents and wages have advanced proportionately. Dwelling houses that could be obtained for 45 or 50 yen ($22.50 or $25) a few years ago now cost 90 or 100 yen, and the wages of domestic servants are approximately double what they were formerly. Taxes have been enormously increased—the income tax is 250 per cent. higher now than it was before the Russo-Japanese war—and the tobacco monopoly has exactly doubled the cost of even the most ordinary cigarette.

Sailor Knew His Business.

Capt. Moriarity, of the British navy, who has just died in England at the age of 91, had a great deal to do with the early attempts to establish telegraphic communication between England and America. When the first cable parted in midocean he proved his value, instantly taking the ship's bearings. So confident was he of the accuracy of these bearings that when, some time later, the vessel returned to the same point he declared that the ship was "over the spot." This proved to be correct, for almost simultaneously one of the Great Eastern's officers shouted: "We've hooked it!"

Explaining It.

"This talk amout millions o' dollars fur the Panama canal gits me," remarked Si Slocum. "Thet's a power o' money fur jist a canal."

Mebbe," suggested Rube Robbins, "they're going ter have the towpath asphalted. Thet runs into a heap o' money."

SUPERIORITY OF THE MULE.

Lowly Animal Has Much More Instinct Than the Horse.

The mule is less nervous than the horse and therefore loses less energy in useless fretting. In fact, one of the chief characteristics of the mule is his ability to take care of himself under all circumstances, says Farming. Much of the apparent shirking which is charged against the mule is an inborn tendency to husband his strength and make every effort count. The result of this instinctive care on the part of the mule is that he is able to turn out more work than would be possible for a horse of the same weight under the same conditions.

The mule instinctively avoids holes, sharp obstacles, barbed wire fences and varous other forms of danger which are not so successfully avoided by horses. It is a matter of common observation that in instances where mules run away they seldom injure themselves to any serious extent. In mining, mules are quite superior to horses for the reason that they seem to understand the requirements and dangers of the work more clearly than horses.

MEANS MONEY FOR SOMEBODY.

Mrs. Blinxly's One Objection to Link Sleeve Buttons and the Moral.

"Mrs. Blinxly tells me," said Mr. Blinxly, "that she wishes they'd wear the old style of sleeve buttons, not links.

"The old style buttons, going through the button holes in such a manner as to make the ends of the cuff lap, made the cuff round when worn and so made it present a uniform wearing surface; whereas link buttons, tending as they do to flatten the cuff, tend to break the cuff at the bend in the back, made sharper as it is by the flattening of the cuff, while sticking out there as it does and so brought in chafing contrast with the inner side of the coat sleeve the cuff wears out sooner than a uniformly rounded cuff would do.

"That's what troubles Mrs. Blinxly. She doesn't object to the link button as such, but because it makes it cost us more for shirts. I tell her not to worry; we can't expect to have everything come our way. The link button may be bad for us, but anyway it's good for the jeweler and the shirtmaker."

HAD THE YOUNGSTER SCARED.

Boy May Have Doubted, But He Took No Chances.

Shrill whistling by a boy on a lake-bound car was stopped last night by a remark addressed to the conductor after other means to check the "warbler" failed. The boy's whistling greatly annoyed all the passengers.

The conductor said to a passenger in so low a tone that the whistler could not hear him: "Isn't it a pity that there is no rule to stop a nuisance of that kind?"

"Watch me fix him," said the passenger, and then he remarked aloud: "I'd have just as big a mustache as yours if it hadn't been for the fact that I was continually whistling when I was a boy. But I didn't know at the time that whistling prevented hair growing on the upper lip."

That boy was about 17 years old and he had just a suspicion of fuzz on his upper lip. He stopped whistling.—Worcester Post.

Darkest Pittsburg.

In three small adjoining towns not far from Pittsburg visitors have often noticed remarkable irregularity in the numbers of the houses. On one dwelling would be seen No. 12, on the next No. 210, on the next No. 417, on the next No. 110, and so on. The cause of this confusion was brought to light the other day when a woman from one of the little towns made a purchase in a city store and requested that the goods be delivered at her home, naming the street in which she resided.

"What is the number of your home?" asked the clerk who had made the sale.

"We have no number just now," said the purchaser. "We moved on April 1 and forgot to bring our number with us."—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

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Beasts Live Out Their Days.

One of the Smithsonian scientists calls attention to the fact that the duration of the lives of the lower animals differs from that of men's lives in being far more uniform.

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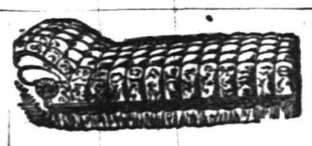

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Amber is simply fossilized rosin, derived apparently from certain coniferous trees. The conditions under which it occurs in Santo Domingo do not appear to differ substantially from those on the Baltic seacoast.

It is found near Santiago City, associated with lignite, sandstone and conglomerates. These beds probably belong to the oligocene formation and are found containing amber at a number of places on the north coast, as well as on both flanks of the Monte Cristi range. It also frequently occurs in the streams flowing through these beds.

The amber is usually in ovate lumps, ranging from the size of a pea to a man's fist, often flattened, dull on the exterior, being covered with a kind of brownish crust. None of these deposits has been studied scientifically, although several abortive attempts have been made to operate them for commercial purposes.—Cassier's Magazine.

HELPED STEAL HIS OWN HOG.

Mean Trick Successfully Played on Maine Farmer.

A well-to-do farmer of Gardiner, Me., was awakened late one night about a year ago by some one loudly pounding on his door. When he asked what was wanted he was informed that a lone man was taking a hog to town in a sheep cart, and in some way piggy had escaped. Would the farmer be so kind as to assist him to reload piggy.

In a few minutes the farmer came down, and made short work of loading piggy into the sheep cart. The other man, with many thanks, resumed his journey, and the farmer went back to bed.

The next morning the farmer rose early and began doing his chores. By and by it came piggy's turn to be fed, but piggy was gone. A large gap in the fence explained his absence.

Then it dawned upon the farmer that he had got up in the night and helped steal his own hog.

Ideas of the Creation of Man.

Indian mythology is quite as beautiful as Biblical lore. Bury your prejudices and read what the aborigines of America say of the creation. The angels Gabriel, Michael and Israfil were sent by God one after the other to bring, for the purpose of creating Adam, seven handfuls of earth from different depths and of different colors (which may account for the various complexions of mankind); but the World, being apprehensive of the consequences and desiring them to represent for her to God that the creature he designed to form would rebel against Him and draw down His curse upon her, they returned without obeying God's command. Whereupon God sent Azarali on the same errand, who executed his commission without remorse; for which reason God appointed that angel to separate the souls from the bodies, being therefore called the Angel of Death.—N. Y. Press.

Night Working Hens.

"I have the smartest flock of hens in Kansas City," said a man who lives on East Fifteenth street the other day.

"Lay boiled eggs, I suppose," ventured his friend.

"No, sir, they don't. But they have learned the best time to work and ought to have credit for it."

"Learn it from you?"

"Well, maybe they did—you see," he continued, "I work nights, and when I come home on the two o'clock owl car this morning I was surprised to see my flock of hens darting about under the arc light in front of the house, catching bugs that were attracted by the light. They may have been waiting for me, for soon after I entered the house they returned orderly to their roosts. Today they were sleepy and didn't leave the henhouse until afternoon."—Kansas City Star.

Light on Ancient Sinai.

Sinai was known as the "turquoise land" in very ancient times, and Dr. Flinders Petrie believes that it was the first mining center in the world. In his recent book on the subject Dr. Petrie tells of the various expeditions sent to Sinai by the Egyptian government. At the head of the party was the "commander," or "bearer of the seal of the god," the Pharaoh. The official staff consisted of "masters of the house of metals," or assayers, scribes and secretaries, to make inventories of the output of the mines.

Goodness Undigested.

The simple savage who had just bolted a missionary, and had a fit of acute indigestion, tried to take the matter philosophically.

"Another good man gone the wrong way," he remarked with a wan smile.—Baltimore American.

ROADSTERS' CALENDAR.
Sun Rises 7: 0 a. m.
Sun Sets 5:1 p. m.
Lanterns must be lighted 6.18 p. m.

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THE WEATHER.
Rain tonight turning to snow Sunday morning; colder tonight in extreme north portion; cold wave Sunday.
Maximum 40, minimum, 22.
24 hours ending at noon. Ther. at noon 40

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URGES LEGAL ACTION AGAINST COUNTY BOARD

F. DeL. Hyde Says Somerset's Freeholders Discriminate Against Borough in Spending Money.

QUOTES THE FIGURES

Asserts That Citizens Should Be Treated Better Even If They Have to Appeal to the Legislature.

Asserting that North Plainfield has been grossly neglected by the Somerset county Board of Freeholders in the expenditure of moneys, Francis De L. Hyde, one of its largest taxpayers, made formal protest to the Borough Council last night. In a lengthy communication based on facts and figures obtained by two men at his personal expense, he declares that legal steps should be taken to bring about a change and that if the citizens cannot secure their rights in any other way, the Legislature should be appealed to in order to have taxes distributed in a fair and proportionate manner.

The communication was in line with what Mayor Smalley said in his annual address to the Council last month and it was the opinion then that something should be done. The executive again commented on the matter last night and Mr. Hyde's statement was placed in the hands of the committee on Laws, Ordinance and Taxation with instructions to act.

The communication from Mr. Hyde was as follows:

To the Mayor and Council of the Borough of North Plainfield:

Gentlemen:

The gross disproportion between the amount of county taxes paid by property owners in this borough and the amount expended by the Board of Freeholders for public improvements within the limits of the borough has long been the cause of indignant protest by our taxpayers, but if such protests have had any effect upon the Board of Freeholders beyond exciting their amused indifference and their assumption of the attitude of "what are you going to do about it," it has escaped my notice. Perhaps the most striking disparity is to be found with respect to the expenditures by the Board of Freeholders for county road improvements. Taking the years from 1897 down to May 10, 1905, the total expenditures by the Board on county roads, as shown by the official reports of the County Collector, amounted to $337,935.73, of which there was expended during those years upon the county roads located within the Township and Borough of North Plainfield only $10,788.91. On the basis of taxes actually paid by the taxpayers of this Borough and Township our share ought to have been more than four times as much; and on the basis of population, our share ought to have been more than five times as much. Hillsborough Township, with less than half the population of the Township and Borough of North Plainfield, has had expended by the Board of Freeholders upon its roads during these years nearly eight times as much as we have in proportion to tax valuations. Out of the total number of miles of road built at the expense of the county during these years, namely, approximately seventy-three miles, we had built not exceeding two and one-half miles.

Accompanying this communication, are tables showing the several amounts expended during each of the years referred to in the several political divisions of the county and the percentages which such several expenditures bear to their population and net valuation of taxable property respectively, and a map of the county on which are graphically shown by zigzag lines in red the location of all the county roads built during said years. These documents speak for themselves and reveal an abuse of the power lodged in the Board of Freeholders so great as to shock every man's sense of justice and equity. If such abuse of power is subject to correction by the courts, your Honorable Body, I respectfully submit, ought in the interests of the public welfare, to initiate such legal proceedings as will be effectual in righting the wrong. If the statute under which the Board of Freeholders has made such an unjust and inequitable apportionment of public moneys among the several political divisions of the county gives the Board power to make any apportion-

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MAY AMEND COUNTRY CLUB CONSTITUTION

TWO PROPOSITIONS TO BE VOTED ON AT ANNUAL MEETING THURSDAY.

Two amendments to the constitution of the Plainfield Country Club will be voted upon at the annual meeting to be held at the Casino Tuesday night. The first relates to nominations. Heretofore the nominations made by the nominating committee have been sent out with the notice of the annual meeting, and every member of the club has thus known in advance the names of the regular nominees. But there has never been any provision for equal publicity with respect to independent nominations. Under the existing rules, other candidates can be nominated and elected at the annual meeting without previous notice.

There are 390 voting members; but twenty members constitute a quorum. Usually, when only routine business is to be transacted, there is barely a quorum at a meeting. The existing rules make it possible for a very small minority of the voting members to control the elections. The only way a large majority of the voting members, if satisfied with the nominations, can be sure that the regular nominees will be elected, is to attend the annual meeting. The proposed amendment simply requires that independent nominations shall be filed with the secretary in advance of the meeting, so that he can send out another notice. In this way, if there are two tickets in the field, all voting members will have notice of the fact.

It is believed to be only fair, in a club where less than a majority constitutes a quorum, to require that all members shall have notice in advance of any minority independent ticket.

The second amendment is for the purpose of enabling any member or regular guests of the club to have meals at the clubhouse on Sunday, provided he occupies a room there as a boarder. It does not permit such boarders at the club to invite others there on Sunday as their guests. Under the existing rule, a person living at the clubhouse must pack up and move out at 12 midnight on Saturday and cannot return until Monday.

COULDN'T FIND SMALL BOY'S SISTER FOR HIM

POLICE WILL SEND TEN-YEAR-OLD BACK TO LITTLE WASHINGTON.

Arthur Lanning, the ten-year-old Washington, N. J., boy, who wandered into the care of the police after an unavailing search for a sister who was supposed to live here, yesterday, was still at the station house this morning. The sister, whose name he said was Mrs. Edward Backer, could not be located by the police. Arthur will be sent back home on the 2:12 train.

Arthur made no attempt to conceal the fact that he had "sneaked away." He was also frank as to the reason.

"My father do be an awful bad man," he said. "He do be drunk most all the time, and beats me a lot. No, he don't beat my ma. She do beat him. And she do be a good ma, too. But pa do be a bad pa. Pa do work in a factory, but he do get drunk lots of times and don't go and the factory people do say they will put him out."

Arthur financed his trip himself. He went to Phillipsburg by trolley, from there to Somerville by train, and completed the trip by trolley. "I did open my bank to get the money," he said. He giggled as at a joke. "Ma didn't see me. I did take a dollar'n a half. There do be fifty cents left. Wish I had it, 'cause the cars did use up all I took."

Arthur said the sister he was looking for is named Myrtle Annie. Her husband works at "a place where they do raise lots of turnips and such things in a glass house, to sell." He said there were four other children, and that the family lived with one of the sisters, Mrs. Grace Nixon, at 88 Taylor street, Washington.

Chief Kiely telegraphed to the Boy's father, Stewart Lanning, yesterday afternoon. He had received no answer up to noon today.

J. McCauley, Bum.

James McCauley, 29 years old, was sentenced to sixty days in jail by Judge Runyon this morning. He was arrested last night for drunkenness. His occupation on the police records is down as "bum."

CITIZENSHIP BY FRAUD

U. S. District Court Alleges Plainfielder Secured Papers By False Testimony.

PLACED UNDER ARREST

New Law Covering Applications Much Harder Than the Old Way—Requirements Hard to Fill.

County Clerk James G. Calvert received notice yesterday morning from Henry L. Stinson, United States Attorney for the Southern District of New York, that citizenship papers had been withdrawn from Gaetano Picozri, of this city, because of fraudulent testimony in the procurement of the papers. Picozri obtained his papers on June 29, 1904. They were granted by Judge Vail. The witness for Picozri was Giovanni Ignagio, also of this city. It appears that false testimony was given as to the length of residence of Picozri in the country, and on becoming aware of this United States District Attorney Stinson took action.

Picozri was placed under arrest and his papers were taken from him. County Clerk Calvert received them yesterday morning with instructions to expunge them from the records of the county, so that no duplicate could be made. Picozri made an affidavit before District Attorney Stinson, admitting that there was fraudulent testimony given at the time he obtained his papers.

It is believed that Picozri was caught in an effort to obtain a passport to Italy. In applying for the passport, and answering questions then, he made statements that conflicted with the records on his citizenship papers. There have been about half a dozen caught in Union county in the same way. After swearing falsely in order to get citizenship papers some years later the men applied for passports. In answering questions they forgot what they had sworn to when they took out papers, and so were tripped up. The offense is punishable by a severe sentence.

Under the new law, which has been in effect since September, it will be much harder to become a citizen by any other than legitimate means. Though the law has been in force since September, it first went into practical effect yesterday, when the regular blanks reached the office of the county clerk from Washington. From September till yesterday no applications for citizenship were received because the old law was no longer in force, and the blanks for the new law had not yet come. There were about half a dozen applicants for papers yesterday morning, but none of them could fill the requirements of the new laws. There must be two witnesses for each applicant, and there are any number of questions in detail for which the applicants must be ready. The applicants yesterday morning were not prepared to answer all the questions.

MISS BUCKLEY SURPRISED.

Young Friends Tender Her an Enjoyable Party.

In honor of Miss Florence Buckley a surprise party was given to her at her home on Orchard place, last night. The affair was arranged by Miss Mamie Day and Miss Margaret Townley. A feature of the evening was a flashlight picture taken by Thomas Fay. There was an informal programme of vocal selections by Miss Ida Quinn and Harold Gloak. The home was attractively decorated in pink and green. Following the evening's festivities refreshments were served.

Those present were the Misses Mamie Day, Margaret Townley, Florence Buckley, Sadie Leahy, Marion Haffner, Margaret Buckley, Helen Higgins, Ida Quinn, Stella Maag, Mary Burns, Madeline Seaman, Nora Callahan, Virginia Buckley, Jennie Higgins, May Hughes, May Buckley and Joe Carty, Edward O'Loughlin, Bert Miller, Clifford Cole, George Flatly, William Townley, Jr., Harold Gloak, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Buckley, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fay, Mr. and Mrs. Finnesy, Mr. and Mrs. McClellan and William Jukes, of Frederick City, Md.

Another Grove for Democrats' Fete.

The outing committee of the Elizabeth City Democrat executive committee completed yesterday all arrangements for the annual outing of the Union county Democrats. It had been planned to have the affair take place at Donnelly's Grove, College Point, but owing to the recent death of Mr. Donnelly the programme was changed and the Democratic warriors will now go to Witzel's Grove, Pointview Island. Thursday, August 22, has been selected for the date of the outing and the iron steamboat Sirius has been chartered for the event.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

DISAGREES WITH P. P. A.

Policy of the Association Not to the Liking of Former Mayor W. L. Saunders.

RESIGNS AS MEMBER

Explains His Action to President Depew and States Reasons for Taking Exception.

Taking exceptions and disagreeing with the Plainfield Protective Association in its adopted policy concerning certain matters, William L. Saunders, of North Plainfield, tendered his resignation as a member at the meeting in the Casino, last night. The resignation was not acted upon in open meeting, but as Mr. Saunders insisted upon resigning there will be nothing left to do but accept it.

Mr. Saunders in resigning as a member of the association, explained his reasons to R. Henry Depew, the president, as follows:

"Since our conversation yesterday and in view of your statement of the policy of the Protective Association, it is plain that our ideas on this subject differ, and I regret very much that under the circumstances I feel that I must withdraw from membership in the Association.

"I fully realize the difficult position you have been in and I know how hard it must be for an association of this kind to please everybody. To uproot error in any community is a task which always involves difficulties and which creates antagonism, and although during several months past I have not in everything agreed with the position taken by the association, yet, as I have been during much of the time incapacitated from active servie and co-operation with you, I have not felt that it was proper for me to make criticisms or to interpose any obstacles in the good work which you started out to perform. I am now, however, brought face to face with a question of principle which seems fundamental. I refer to the action of the executive committee in connection with the report of Mr. Alfred Spice on 'Gas and Electric Lighting Conditions in Plainfield and North Plainfield.' You have confirmed the statement that when this report was laid before the executive committee, the chairman of the committee on lights and trees of the City Council, Mr. Montgomery, was present at the request of the Mayor, and after being asked to turn over to the committee the contract between the city and the electric light company, he was told that his presence was no longer required and no intimation was given him of the substance of Mr. Spice's report until the matter was brought out in the public press, sometime thereafter.

"I cannot assume that the City Council or that any of its committees are either incompetent or corrupt until they have been tried, or until they have failed to act properly upon complaints when laid before them and I hold it to be the duty of the Protective Association and the duty of all citizens who may have discovered errors to lay the facts before the governing body in this community, before taking any other action, either in the public press or otherwise. As the present Council only came into existence on January the 1st last and as Mr. Montgomery, as chairman of the committee on lights was appointed since the present Council was organized, it seems just that we should give him a fair trial and should work with him, not against him, by frankly taking him into our confidence and if we have any reports of experts or any other information against the business under his charge, we should lay the whole matter before him and ask his committee to take action, offering our services and our full co-operation and interest. I cannot agree with you that the Protective Association is in any sense superior to the governing body, as the association is self-constituted and the governing body represents the people elected at the polls. Your statement that 'the Protective Association is the people' cannot be sustained, in view of the fact that the association represents only those who are able to pay the price of admission. As such it can be made a valuable auxiliary but when it attempts to exert supremacy in public affairs it is treading upon dangerous ground.

"Permit me to assure you of my sincere personal regard and my admiration of the zeal and earnest work which you have shown in this organization."

Church Meeting.

The New Market Baptist church held its annual meeting last night. The reports showed excellent conditions in all departments. Every one of the current debts are paid and there is a balance in the bank. The church membership increased during the year. John Nelson and B. De Witt Giles were elected trustees. A social hour followed the meeting.

NOT IMPRESSION MERELY

More Than a Notion in the Opposition to Dryden.

SAYS SEN. ACKERMAN

Must Be Something Stronger Than An "Impression" to Cause the Deep-Seated Objection to Newarker.

Further comment by Senator Ackerman on Senator Dryden's idea as to the extent and the basis of the opposition to his re-election was made public this morning. Referring to the letter sent him by the Prudential head, Senator Ackerman says:

"Senator Dryden states in his letter that it is his belief that it is merely an impression on the part of Mr. Ackerman's constituents that they are opposed to him.

"The opposition to the election of Mr. Dryden is not based on an "impression" or notion or belief held by the popular mind without adequate grounds.

"The members of the Republican party have more than an "impression," a slight or indistinct remembrance of the conditions which made it possible for the serious division of opinion which existed in our ranks last fall.

"It is time the differences mentioned should be closed and called a past incident so that we may all get together and score a triumph in the coming election against our friends the Democrats who are unusually active and aggressive. These things are more than "impressions." They are potent facts. I have never wavered in my support of the Republican party and I believe now as always that it is the staunch and true friend of the people as it was in the days of the immortal Lincoln. This opinion is not an "impression," for it is written deep and legibly across the page of history.

"I think it is fair and reasonable to credit the members of the Republican party who represent the constructive forces of our advance statesmanship, with an ability to think, deeply, safely and wisely. I feel sure that no one man, even with the addition of an attractive personality, could cause a wide split in the ranks by creating merely an "impression." There must be something stronger than that to account for the deep-seated objection on the part of the people. An impression indeed! Are the members of the Republican party like sheep to be led astray by an "impression?"

"No one can successfully dispute that there is a strong desire among the people and the regular voters of the party to have a Senator elected in a way which will meet with popular approval so that the party can be brought together to carry on unitedly the progressive work in this State, which was the marked feature of the last Republican Legislature. Would not a happy result like that create more than an "impression?" Would it not strengthen the party among the people?"

TAKEN TO JAIL.

Bike Thief Transferred to Elizabeth; Acknowledges Uusing Alias.

James Wilson, or William Walters, the young man held for stealing four bicycles, was sent to the County Jail this morning. He was guarded by Patrolman Higgins.

Before he went Chief Kiely asked him about the use of an alias at the Somerville hospital. He acknowledged giving his name as Walters there, but said he did it because he didn't want to figure in newspaper reports and acted on the impulse of the moment. The chief believes the impulses he acts on principally are those to gather up other people's property.

The wheel at Clarence Thorn's shop, supposed at first to be that of M. C. Van Arsdale, was identified yesterday as his by Health Inspector Addis. Wilson-Walters insists that he only took four wheels, and did not get Mr. Van Arsdale's.

A Farewell Surprise.

Several young friends tendered a surprise party to Lawrence and Elmer French, of Washington avenue, last night from 7:30 until 10 o'clock, prior to their departure soon for the South. The young people met at the home of Miss Helen Roberts on Prospect place, and from there proceeded to the home of the surprised boys. The evening was spent in playing games, vocal and instrumental music and later refreshments were served. The affair was planned by Miss Adelia French. Those present were the Misses Helen Ryder, Helen Roberts, Ethel Runyon, Elsie Tier, Adelia French, Ethel Searing and Edson Woodhull, Ralph Martin, William Taylor, Carl Taylor, Elmer and Lawrence French.

Mayor Charles J. Fisk is detained at his home today with a heavy cold and was unable to visit his office as usual.

URGES COUNCILS TO MAKE NEW LIGHT CONTRACTS

BOROUGH FINANCES DETAILED IN REPORT

EXPERTS PRESENT RESULT OF RECENT AUDITING OF BOOKS.

At last night's meeting of the Borough Council, Suffern & Sons, who recently audited the books of the clerk, tax collector and other officials, submitted a complete and concise report of the fiscal year ending December 31, 1906. It went further than is usual under the circumstances and detailed the presumably realizable assets of the municipality and the liabilities. Mayor Smalley had the entire report read for the benefit of the councilmen and it showed them as nothing else has in a long time just where the borough stands in the matter of finances. Part of it will be embodied in the regular report of the clerk prepared for publication.

According to the statement from the experts, the cash balance on hand December 31 was $3,370.76. The total receipts for the year were $81,756.31 and the expenditures $78,385.55. The current assets and liabilities are given as follows: Current assets, cash, $3,370.76; unpaid taxes, $13,527.10; total, $16,897.95; current liabilities, Board of Health, $10; special school tax, $13,329.25; notes payable, $3,500; total, $16,839.25.

Referring to the assets and liabilities, the report says: "Through these it will be seen that if the borough were able to collect all the unpaid taxes standing on its books, they would only suffice to meet the amount still due to the Board of Education for the special school tax and the notes payable at the bank. This illustrates the rigid operation of the new school law which requires of the borough to pay a specific proportion for school purposes of all taxes levied, whether the same be collected or not. The deferred obligations will in the future as in the past be easily met, as their maturity dates makes the burden light."

In the regular business routine, a petition was received from residents of Somerset street asking for the widening of that thoroughfare from Jackson avenue to Johnson's drive. It was signed by Charles Jenser, John Wolf and others owning over two-thirds of the property frontage.

Recorder Dolliver reported that fifteen prisoners had been arraigned before him during January and that $11 in fines had been collected. He also informed the board that he had adopted a docket and index card system in the conduct of the court. On resolutions offered by Mr. McGee $2,000 was ordered borrowed for general purposes and $2,500 if found necessary for Somerset street certificates and Watchung avenue bonds. Patrick McDonough was appointed a call man in the fire department.

PHILIP WEINBERGER RETURNS TO UNCLE'S HOME

FOUND THROUGH NEWSPAPER ADVERTISEMENT AT BUFFALO.

Philip Weinberger, the seventeen-year-old son of the late Max Weinberger, of this city, who left Plainfield last October to visit his uncle in Chicago, and who was advertised for in last Sunday's New York Herald, has been heard from and this week he returned to the home of his uncle, Moscowvitz Weinberger, at Summit, where he is at present and where he will remain indefinitely.

Young Weinberger was found employed on one of the steamers sailing on Lake Michigan and he had no thoughts of returning home for some time. The lad heard that he was wanted through the advertisement which was copied in Buffalo papers and decided to get into communication with William Newcorn, who represents the estate of the late Mr. Weinberger, whose son is one of the principal heirs.

Now that the son has been found further steps can be taken toward settling up the estate. The lad has always been of a roving disposition and on several occasions has left home for indefinite periods. At one time he worked in his father's clothing store on West Front street, but it is said that he did not like the business, preferring to travel.

Miss Miller's Tea.

Invitations have been sent out by Miss Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac L. Miller, for a tea in honor of Miss Bowen to be given on Tuesday, February 5th, at her home on Watchung avenue.

Mrs. F. W. Iredell, of Madison avenue, is convalescing from an illness that has detained her at home.

P. P. A. Considering Expert Spice's Report, Charges P. S. C. With Giving Only Half the Light Paid For.

ICE QUESTION DISCUSSED

Dealers Said to Be in the Big Trust, But Safe Because Statutes Are Too Weak—Other Worriments Touched.

Pretty nearly all the ills The Suffering Public is heir to were considered at the special meeting of the Plainfield Protective Association at the Casino, last night. The meeting was called for a consideration of the report on lighting conditions, but the members held that off until they had brought the dissatisfaction with the ice dealers, the telephone company, short weights, and soft coal smoke up to date. The session was attended by only 25 members, but it had all the liveliness of the first meeting.

The discussion of the lighting report brought out nothing newer than the statement of Alfred Spice, the expert, contained. The consideration of public lighting conditions was passed on to the city and borough councils, by resolution. The private lighting conditions were left for further action.

Mayor Newton B. Smalley, of North Plainfield, came into the meeting in time to hear the discussion on street lighting, and he gave the Association assurances of his co-operation in the effort to better the service.

Expert Spice was present, and cleared up the technicalities in the report that were not understood by members. Practically the whole of the report was published early in the week. Mr. Spice explained the effect of voltage not adapted to lamps fed by it, making it quite plain that where the candle power of lamps dropped by reason of lower voltage the consumer lost much more than he appeared to gain by reason of decreased current consumption. Mr. Spice suggested that the variation in voltage might be met by dividing the city into voltage districts, and having lamps fitted for the voltage supplied to the people in the various districts. The voltage variation, Mr. Spice thought, might be beter controlled than at present by attention to the switchboard at the proper time.

The P. S. C. was severely scored in the discussion on public lighting. The report showed that the average of candle power furnished the city was 13, just about half of what the municipality was paying for. It was estimated, on a basis of the amount spent for lighting by the city, that Plainfield had been paying the P. S. C. $7,500 a year for light it had not received.

"It is about time public sentiment was aroused to this condition of affairs," said President R. Henry Depew. "It should be met as we would meet similar conditions in our private affairs. If a tradesman were to deliver half the goods he charged us for and we found it out, can you not imagine the heated time that would ensue for that man?"

Mayor Smalley was called upon for a statement by President Depew. The borough executive said he welcomed the investigation, and promised hearty co-operation in remedying the conditions. He had thought the borough was getting pretty good lighting service, and just about what it was paying for, but that would not interfere with his readiness to help in any attempt to better the service. He explained that his satisfaction with the lighting came from recollections of the time when North Plainfield had depended on moonlight or unstable gasolene lamps. He was quite ready to believe that the lights could be improved, and every effort to make them better should be encouraged.

President Depew announced that Mayor Fisk had asked him to bring the result of the investigation before the Council, and he had Secretary H. C. White read the resolution, afterwards adopted, putting the matter up to the municipalities. The resolution authorizes the executive committee to take steps to correct the conditions, and asks the councils of the city and borough to investigate for themselves; offers the co-operation of the association in clearing up the matter; suggests that new contracts with

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GOVERNOR TO REVIEW THE SECOND REGIMENT

COMPANY K AND ITS MEMBERS TO RECEIVE MEDALS.

Orders will be issued in a few days for a review of the Second Regiment of the National Guard of New Jersey, to be given for Governor E. C. Stokes, as commander-in-chief of the military forces of the State, in the Second Regiment Armory, Trenton, on the night of Thursday, February 21. Company K, of this city, will take an important part.

This will be the first review of the year, and elaborate plans are being made for it by Colonel Dennis F. Collins and Adjutant John M. Rogers, of the regimental headquarters. At the review the Governor will be attended by all of the members of his staff in full dress uniform and men who are high in the military service outside the Second Regiment will be invited as guests.

The military order of the evening will be a regimental drill in close order, to be followed by regimental parade, salute to the colors and an informal dance. Admission will be by ticket only.

One of the features of this review will be the presentation by Governor Stokes of the various service medals and military trophies which have been won by individuals and organizations of the Second Regiment during the past year.

The presentations to be made by the Governor are twenty-year service medals to Captain John M. Rogers, Captain John W. Stevens, Captain Joseph A. Yard, First Sergeant William R. Grant, Quartermaster-Sergeant Edwin H. Lawyer, Private John D. Brooks and Musicians Albert Winkler, Emil Winkler, Alfred Huddy, Frank H. Sherbaum, William Kirk, Jr., and David B. Naar.

The Collins Medal to Corporal William E. Bond, of Company K, for marksmanship.

Fifteen-year service medals to Lieutenant John A. De Roche, Lieutenant Edward M. Oliver and Commissary-Sergeant Charles F. Sylvester, of Princeton, for marksmanship.

The regimental trophy for marksmanship to Company L.

The regimental trophy for highest per cent. of duty to Company K.

One hundred per cent. duty medals will be presented to about seventy-five members of the regiment.

PERSONAL.

George Williams, of West Sixth street, has returned from a business trip.

A. J. Amerman, of Roycefield, who has been visiting friends here, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vail, formerly of Valley, Hunterdon county, are visiting in town.

Abram VanCleef, of Elm place, has been spending a few days with friends at Roycefield.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Hegeman, of New Germantown, have been visiting relatives in Plainfield.

Mrs. James Field, of Watchung avenue, has returned from a visit with friends at Somerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah Fisher, of this city, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fisher, of Fairmount, Hunterdon county.

Judge Francis Scott, of Paterson, who spoke at the Junior banquet, was the guest of S. St. John McCutchen, of the borough, while in Plainfield. He returned home yesterday.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The McAll Auxiliary will meet at the Plainfield Public Library on Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock.

Communion services with reception of new members will be held at the First Baptist church, tomorrow morning.

Rev. E. E. Roberson will give the first of his series of talks at the Y. M. C. A. tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock; subject, "The First Question God Ever Asked a Man."

Tenth anniversary services will be held at the Monroe Avenue M. E. church, tomorrow and during the coming week. Rev. E. E. Roberson, the pastor, will be in charge.

The Young People's Association of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church began a study in the life of Christ before His ministry, last night. The study will continue during February and March.

The Mission Study Class of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church attended the meeting of the Women's Home Missionary Society, yesterday afternoon, in the chapel and engaged in the discussion of "Immigration."

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

WHITEHOUSE.

Mrs. Theodore Cramer, of Lebanon, has been entertaining a house party. The guests were Mrs. Jacob H. Dilts, Mrs. Elmira Kline, Mrs. Eugene Hoffman and Mrs. William Y. Pickell, of Whitehouse Station; Mrs. David Rinehart, of Potterstown; Mrs. G. Force, of Lebanon, and Mrs. Theodore Melick and Mrs. Wesley Conover, of Round Valley.

A silver medal contest will be held under the auspices of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union in the Reformed church at Peapack, Thursday evening, February 14. The contestants will be six young people of Peapack and Gladstone. The State president, Mrs. Emma Bourne, of Newark, will make an address and present the medal.

Mrs. Mary A. Suydam, sixty-three years old, passed away Wednesday at the home of George Colyer, at Gladstone, after a long illness from apoplexy. She leaves a son, Oscar Suydam, of Rocksbury, and a daughter, who resides in Bound Brook.

The women of the Reformed church at Whitehouse Station are making arrangements to present a play in Bonnell's hall on Thursday, February 28, and Friday, March 1. The drama is entitled "Down in Maine."

Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Layton and Mr. and Mrs. William Layton and the two children of the latter couple, who live near Whitehouse, are suffering from grip.

Miss Isabelle Stewart and Leslie McClelland, of Newark, have been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. James R. Welsh, at Peapack.

Mrs. Frank A. Blackwell, of Pennington, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. William W. Shampanore, at Whitehouse Station.

Mervin Rarick has returned to Pottersville, after a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Rarick, in Chester.

Jesse Myers is critically ill at his home at Whitehouse Station; from pneumonia.

HUNTERDON COUNTY.

Senator William C. Gebhardt, of Clinton, has received a large consignment of fish from the New Jersey Fish and Game Association for the purpose of stocking his lake near Jutland.

Justice of the Peace Fitzgerald, of Hampton Junction, recently placed Charles Fenwick and George Simpson, of that place, under bonds to keep the peace.

Owing to the rural free delivery route recently established from the Glen Gardner post office, the Woodglen post office has been discontinued.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Rice, of Milford, have been entertaining Miss Rachel McIntyre and Miss Margaret Mutchler, of Phillipsburg.

Miss Catherine C. Apgar, of Mt. Pleasant, and Roy Smith, of Alberta, Canada, were recently married by Rev. Harry C. Prugh.

Jeremiah Alpaugh, of Annandale, is suffering with a mashed finger, received while at work in the steel plant.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dean, of Newark, are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Riddle in Asbury.

The Millersville Union Sunday-school will hold a sociable in the school-house tomorrow night.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Hoppock, of Mt. Pleasant, are visiting relatives at Stockton and Titusville.

Miss Emma Bloom, of Mt. Pleasant, is sojourning in Trenton, the guest of her brother.

Mrs. Edward Dalrymple, of Pattenburg, is staying with her mother in Bloomsbury.

The Consistory of the Annandale Reformed church will hold a meeting tonight.

WESTFIELD.

The warning bells at Garwood railroad crossing have been put in working order and the night flagman taken off. This crossing is on private property and has never been dedicated as a public highway.

Frank Miller, of Elm street, Westfield, ten years old, broke his collar bone while skating on Traynor's Lake yesterday.

R. R. Sinclair, of Westfield, is seriously ill at his home in Elm street.

Garwood Liederkranz will hold a ball at Becker's Auditorium tonight.

DUNELLEN.

Tomorrow will be rally Sunday at the Methodist church, and a special programme has been arranged for both services. At the morning service Rev. Dr. John Krantz, of the Methodist Book Concern in New York, a former pastor at Somerville, will be the speaker. At the evening service the sermon will be by Rev. Daniel Halleron, presiding elder of this district, who is quite sure to say something interesting. Special music will be rendered. The pastor says this day will be of more vital importance to the church than any other this year, and urges a large attendance.

Frank Smalley and Thomas Grove will meet in another 100-point pool match at Nelson's hotel tonight. Landlord Thornton will distribute souvenirs to add to the interest.

Tomorrow will be St. Blassins' Day in the Roman Catholic calendar, and the ceremony of blessing throats will be held at the 10 o'clock mass at St. John's church.

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Baptist church met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. James Manning. The mite boxes were opened.

The twenty-sixth anniversary of the Christian Endeavor movement will be observed tomorrow night by the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Presbyterian church.

As a result of the smoker, the membership of the Athletic Club has grown to about 75. It is hoped to bring it to the 100 mark shortly.

The newly elected elders and deacons will be ordained at the Presbyterian church tomorrow morning.

The ceremony of blessing the candles was held at the 7:30 mass in St. John's church this morning.

Two new gaslights have been put in the gallery of the auditorium of the M. E. church.

Mrs. Mahlon Dayton will entertain the Farther Lights Society this afternoon.

NORTH BRANCH.

The scholars of the public school at New Centre are making arrangements to hold an entertainment in the school house on Friday evening, February 8. The proceeds will be for the benefit of the public school library.

Miss Rice, of Hazelton, Pa., has been engaged to teach the district school at South Branch for the remainder of the school year.

Mrs. James Taylor and daughter, of New York, have been visiting for a fortnight with relatives in this place.

David Rinehart, of Potterstown, was a guest yesterday of Dr. and Mrs. Henry V. Davis in this place.

Miss Gertrude Mingle is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Fannie Van Dyke, at South Branch, for a week.

Mrs. James Woods will entertain the Mission Band at her home at Pluckemin tomorrow afternoon.

Misses Rachel and Anna Dumont have returned from a visit to Mrs. Jennie Dumont, in Somerville.

Andrew Compton, of Pluckemin, has been a guest for a few days of relatives in Brooklyn.

Miss Katie Amerman, of Roycefield, is a guest of Mrs. J. L. Dolliver, at South Branch.

Misses Margaret and Mary Van Derbeck spent yesterday with friends in Somerville.

Miss Kate Hall, of Copper Hill, is spending a week with relatives at South Branch.

STIRLING.

The business meeting and social of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor was held the other night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Nelson and family. The following were appointed chairmen of the different committees: T. A. Toblason, social; James Moore, prayer; Miss Clara Swenson, lookout.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Havey, of Plainfield, moved here yesterday, and are residing with Mrs. Edward Havey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Crotzley, of Elm street.

Mrs. Sadie Basmajy and her daughter, of Paterson, are being entertain here for a week by Mr. and Mrs. Hanna Badabad and family, of Elm street.

The weekly prayer-meeting of the Presbyterian church was held last night at the parsonage on Elm street, on account of the church being too cold.

The communion service of the Presbyterian church of this place will be held Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. William Garian, of Long Hill road, are spending a month at the Thousand Islands.

M. J. Holmes, of Maine street, spent yesterday with friends in Newark.

BASKING RIDGE.

Miss Alice L. Rickey, who has held the position of assistant postmistress in the Millington postoffice for the past two years, has resigned her position and will leave for Newark tomorrow, where she will remain for a short time.

Rev. and Mrs. Oscar M. Voorhees, who had been spending a short time at the home of Mrs. Voorhees' mother on Main street, have returned to High Bridge.

Miss Laura A. Lewis, of Roselle, was a recent guest of Miss Fanny Harding at the latter's home on Maple avenue.

Miss E. Lum, of Elizabeth, is a guest this week of her sister, Miss Mary Lum, at her home on Main street.

Charles L. Roberts was a guest this week of D. VanLiew in New York city.

WATCHUNG.

The honor roll at the Watchung school for January is as follows: Grammar grade—Clara Kelm, Elsie Schmidt, George Schmidt, Clarence Schmidt, Ferdinand Blume, Minnie Blume, Charles Wersing, Edward Bodin, Roy Herrmann, Ruth Johansen, Emile Racine. Primary grade—Clara Mobus, Emma Mobus, Helen Mobus, Charlie Snoden, Alice Willis, Helen Schmidt, Daisy Schmidt, Richard Schmidt.

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Helmetta Sleuths Nab Athletic Instructor and Real Count.

Helmetta, Feb. 2.—Policemen Frederick Reid and John Dill, two of the "slickest" of Helmetta's sleuths, were called into Justice of the Peace Brown's office yesterday.

"I want you to run down the man who threw that lemon," ordered the justice. "Remember, you have the whole State of New Jersey at your back in this work. The lemon-thrower must be apprehended at all cost."

And the sleuths went forth into the cold, determined to catch those responsible for breaking up the amateur minstrel show at Spotswood on Saturday night, by throwing a lemon, eggs and hunks of pumpkin on the stage. Helmetta has been smarting under that attack upon some of the leading young men, who were in the minstrel semi-circle, and have severely criticised the local authorities for not arresting the whole of Physical Culture Hall, awhole inhabitants are charged with starting the riot at the show.

"I believe Bernard McFadden's dumbbell lifters have got the cops scared," remarked one youth within hearing of a town official. "They say over there that there will be a splash in Magnolia Lake if any cops come nosing around."

Reid and Dill decided that they would stand a better chance of catching the physical culture devotees by staying right in Helmetta and watching.

Professor Samuel Kleger, the gymnatic instructor, who is charged with throwing the first lemon, came driving into town late last night in a sleigh behind a pretty fast trotter. The sleuths were next in a minute. Reid grabbed the horse and Dill grabbed the professor. Then Dill pulled out a legal paper, and began reading it to convince the professor that he was under arrest. The dealer in muscle lashed his horse, Reid was thrown to the snow-carpeted road, and Dill was left standing with the paper in his hand. He had only read "The State of New Jersey."

The two men gave chase and, with the assistance of others, finally rounded up the professor, and led him before 'Squire Brown, who held a midnight session of his court. Kleger entered a plea of not guilty, and Elijah Soden furnished $200 bail for his appearance before the Grand Jury.

Theodore VonHeimel, who claims to be a real count, and who is taking a course in muscle expansion at the institute, was arrested this morning. He did not resist, and gave bail.

Professor Klegel is crestfallen today. He had never thought of country policemen would ever conquer an instructor in physical culture.

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Mr. Weigel says that the engine has not been patented yet, and that he cannot reveal the plans until patents are obtained. eH says than an entirely new property has been brought into play, with the result no coal, electricity, gas, gasoline or fuel of any kind is required in operating the new engine. Power, but no light, can be secured from the new device. He says that an engine a foot square would operate a trolley car forever, without the use of a third rail or overhead wires. An engine as large as a barrel would operate a whole factory.

Mr. Weigel thinks that the new machine will be adopted by the government for its warships, and that the railroads and trolley companies will be willing to pay large sums for its use.

He says the engine is not to be confounded with a perpetual motion machine. Such machines, he points out, even if one were patented, could not be stopped when once started, and would be, therefor, impracticable for commercial purposes, while his son's machine can be absolutely controlled by the operator. Owing to its lightness it is especially adapted for propelling airships.

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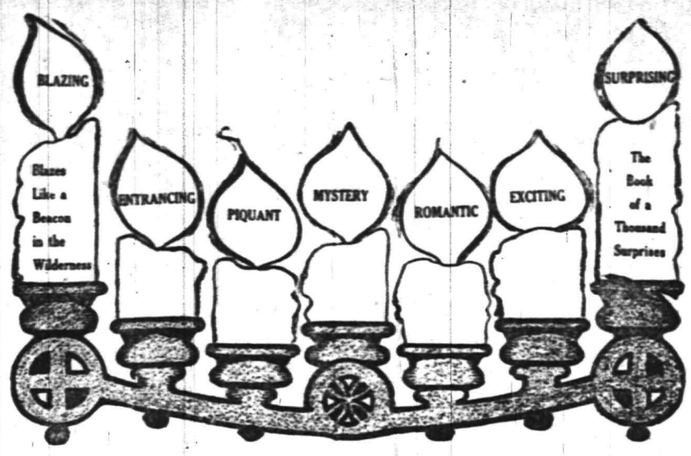

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NO COLBY TICKET IN UNION COUNTY NEXT FALL

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Elizabeth, Feb. 2.—There will be no Colby ticket this year in the Union county Republican promaries of the Senator from Essex has his way. The fight which Senator Ernest R. Ackerman annd Asseblyman Randolph Perkins, have made against the re-election of John F. Dryden to the Senatorship has brought about this result. Mr. Colby has made it known to come of his friends that he will discountenance the placing of a "New Idea" ticket in the field at the Union primaries next fall.

It has just become known to others than those present that at the Republican conference at Trenton Monday of last week Mr. Perkins, explaining the difficult position of Union county's representatives, denounced Senator Everett Colby for his attacks during the campaign, especially in the Hillery debate, for his attacks on men of high character like Senator Ackerman. "We have to fight the Democrats and also the Colbyites. That," said Perkins, "is no way to support the Republican party."

Senator Colby was surprised by the unexpected attack, and, interrupting Mr. Perkins, apologized to Senator Ackerman and others for what had been said in the heat of a bitter campaign.

This did not end the matter, and an agreement has been reached whereby Colby will not only leave Union county alone, but will come over from Essex and help in the campaign to elect a Republican Governor.

Senator Colby, when asked if there would be no Colby party this coming fall, replied that he could not prevent people from putting up tickets at the primaries.

"But," said he, "never forget that we are Republicans and are going to do all we can to build up the party and will work for its success."

LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

"Our Friend Fritz," a play of beautiful sentiment and admirably blended purposes, is the attraction at the New Plainfield theatre this afternoon and evening. The scenic effects are unusually handsome and elaborate and the cast composed of capable actors and actresses, several of whom are graduates of the best stock companies in this country.

Some of the scenes of "When Women Love," the newest heart interest play, are claimed to have never been surpassed on the stage. One of these is the brilliant lawn fete, in which, in front of the great house, brilliantly illuminated, a brook and a fountain of running water are shown, the water being brilliantly lighted with various colored electric lights. In the course of the fete, a vaudeville entertainment is given on the lawn. The scene is one of the brightest and most attractive to be seen this season at the New Plainfield theatre, where "When Women Love" will be given next Tuesday night.

One of the highest salaried companies appearing in melodrama will be seen in "As Told in the Hills," which will appear at the New Plainfield theatre next Friday night. The play is one that depends on the individual merits of the members of the cast rather than on scenic effects and situations that in real life are improbable or impossible and the excellent acting of the several members of the company meets with deserved appreciation.

"A Wife's Secret," which will be seen at the New Plainfield theatre next Saturday afternoon and night, is said to present a charming life picture of human sentiment that appeals strongly to every lover of the emotional drama. It tells a story of absorbing interest, of a young wife's ejection from the home of her husband, because of ungrounded suspicions, and her subsequent trials and hardships, struggling against the insinuations of the world. It is said to be a play that appeals to the heart most strongly, and its characters are all natural and familiar figures from everyday life. The newspapers of other cities where "A Wife's Secret" has appeared again this season, join in pronouncing it one of the most powerful dramas written in recent years, and their decision has been seconded by the public in general, for since its opening over two years ago, it has been attended with most gratifying financial results.

Club Meeting Tonight.

There will be a meeting at the Casino tonight of the men interested in the formation of a club and the purchase of the Casino property. It is expected that the committee of three appointed at the college smoker will also meet the other committees at that time and decide about the plans for a "Universal Club," as proposed at the smoker.

Percy Sandford, of Englewood, who has been spending several days in town with relatives and friends, has returned home.

Miss Edith W. Emmons, of Washington, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Groszmann, of Watchung Crest, has returned home.

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ANNIVERSARY SERVICES AT MONROE AVE. CHURCH

WILL COMMENCE TOMORROW AND CONTINUE ONE WEEK.

Beginning tomorrow morning the congregation of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church will celebrate its tenth anniversary with a full week of interesting services. In the morning there will be a roll call of the members and special music, and in the evening the pastor, Rev. E. E. Roberson, will preach the opening sermon of the anniversary services, the subject being "What Is the Church?"

Monday night there will be a reunion and fellowship service. All the former pastors are expected to be present and speak, and other local pastors will also attend and take part in the service, to be followed by a social hour. Tuesday night will be devoted to missions. Clarence Titus, secretary of "World Evangelism," of the Elizabeth District Epworth League, will speak on "Mission Study," and John Callahan, superintendent of the Hadley Rescue Mission, of New York, will speak on "Home Mission Work."

There will be a Sunday-school rally Wednesday night. James R. Joy, of the First M. E. church, will speak and there will be special music by a mandolin club. The Men's Club will be in charge Thursday night. This will be "ladies' night." Prof. Isaacs, of the Plainfield Business College, will speak and there wil be a musical programme. Friday night the Epworth League will have charge and Charles Sumner Kembel, of Elizabeth, will give readings from James Whitcomb Riley's works. A soloist will render several selections.

Sunday, February 10, will be the important day of the week's celebration. The anniversary sermon will be preached in the morning by Rev. Dr. John Hamilton Howard, author of the recent popular book, "In the Shadow of the Pines." The anniversary will close with the evening service. The church historian, N. Mansfield Smith, will read a historic sketch of the church covering the past ten years and there will be an address by one of the veterans. The public generally is invited to attend any and all of these services. No effort will be made to raise money at any of the services. The anniversary committee consists of Walter M. McGee, Edwin H. Beckman and N. Mansfield Smith.

URGES LEGAL ACTION

(Continued from Page 1.)

ment it sees fit to make without regard to, and in contemptuous defiance of any principle of fair play and the equal rights of our citizens and taxpayers, then the statute which permits such gross injustice ought to be changed by the law-making power.

Speaking for myself and on behalf of many other taxpayers who have urged me to communicate with your Honorable Body, I respectfully urge that the whole matter be referred to the counsel for the Borough with instructions to institute legal proceedings to secure our rights, if any such proceedings are available, and if not, then to prepare a bill for presentation to the Legislature now in session by, the terms of which Boards of Freeholders shall be commanded to pay some regard to the equal rights of taxpayers and to the principles of fair play in the expenditure of public moneys raised by tax which the constitution and laws of the State require to be assessed upon all property "by uniform rules and according to its true value."

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TRINITY MISSION BAND OBSERVES ANNIVERSARY

INTERESTING MEETING MARKS COMPLETION OF TENTH YEAR.

The election of officers, the presentation of interesting reports and an address delivered by Mrs. J. S. Allen, secretary of the Board of Domestic Missions of the Reformed church in America, combined to make the tenth anniversary meeting of the Young Women's Mission Band, of Trinity Reformed church, an interesting and profitable one, yesterday afternoon. There was a large attendance and after the meeting all remained to enjoy a tea served by members of the band.

The meeting marked the retirement of Miss Lillian A. Force as president. She has held the office two years, and an expression of appreciation for her faithful services was given at the close of the meeting. The band met at 2:30 o'clock and elected these officers: President, Miss Mabel Wilson; vice president, Mrs. F. S. Cutter; recording secretary, Miss Edna Cole; corresponding secretary, Mrs. F. E. Woodruff; treasurer, Miss Cora Miller.

The various committees submitted reports for the year, showing the progress made in home and foreign mission work. The mite boxes were also returned and the amount received will be announced later. At the general meeting held later in the afternoon, Miss Force conducted the opening exercises and presided. In view of it being the tenth anniversary of the band, Mrs. F. E. Woodruff, corresponding secretary, submitted a report for the past nine years, while Miss Edna Cole, the recording secretary, gave the report for the tenth year.

Mrs. Woodruff's report showed that the band was organized ten years ago with forty-nine charter members. The late Mrs. E. B. Horton, whose place has been taken by Mrs. J. S. Allen, was present at the first meeting. Mrs. C. P. Leggett, who originated the idea of forming the band, was elected the first president. During the nine years thirteen barrels and boxes of clothing and other useful things were sent to foreign and home mission fields. The band has supported a native girl in India and the total value of the boxes, barrels and contents sent out amounted to $445.

Miss Cole's report for the past year showed that four new members were elected, making the total membership forty-nine, thirty-eight active and eleven honorary.

At this time Mrs. Theodore Mantz and Miss Etta Yeager favored the audience with a duet, accompanied on the piano by Miss Force. Later Miss Mantz sang a soprano solo and Miss Leitheusser gave a piano selection, which were greatly enjoyed.

The report of Miss Cora Miller, treasurer, showed the receipts for the year to be $269,64, including a balance of $210.33 at last report. The present balance in the treasury is $123.20.

This concluded the business of the afternoon and Mrs. Allen was then introduced. She is a delightful speaker and held the close attention of all while she told of the home mission work being carried on. She declared that there is no greater field than America for mission work and she congratulated the band upon its accomplishments. She gave an interesting description of the work in Kansas, Iowa and especially among the Mountain Whites of Kentucky where she recently made a visit. Her picture of the scenes and incidents in the lives of the Mountain Whites elicited the warmest enthusiasm for this work. Her words were encouraging to the members of the band and at the close Mrs. Allen was thanked heartily for her talk.

A social hour was then enjoyed and tea was served. Mrs. F. S. Cutter and Mrs. Corra Ryno poured tea and four young women attired in foreign costume, acted as waitresses. Miss Cora Gano represented Africa, Miss Margaret Leggett, India; Miss Helen Smith, China, and Miss Alice Vroom, Japan.

At the next meeting of the band the new president will announce the committees for the coming year.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Martha G. Voorhees.

Mrs. Martha G. Voorhees, widow of Uriah D. Voorhees, of New Brunswick, died yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dutcher, on Grove street, where she had resided during the past three years, and where her daughter, Miss Rose Voorhees, lived. Death was due to a complication of diseases. Mrs. Voorhees had been ill for ten years, during which time she suffered six paralytic strokes.

Mrs. Voorhees was the daughter of Henry Veghte, and was born at Griggstown, Somerset county, sixty-nine years ago. At the age of twenty years she was married to Uriah D. Voorhees, and afterward moved to New Brunswick, where she resided for nearly forty-five years. She was a faithful member of the Second Reformed church, New Brunswick, and although after coming to Plainfield she was unable to attend services, she was commended to the fellowship of Trinity Reformed church, and the pastor, Rev. Dr. Schenck and other members frequently visited her. Since last October, Mrs. Voorhees was confined to her bed.

Mrs. Voorhees is survived by one daughter, Miss Rose Voorhees, a brother, Luther Voorhees, of New Brunswick, and a sister, Mrs. Ann Eliza Bound, of Franklin Park. The funeral services will be held from the Second Reformed church, New Brunswick, Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock, and Rev. Dr. Hutton, the pastor, assisted by Rev. Joseph Horner, a retired Methodist preacher, will officiate. Interment will be at Griggstown.

Mrs. George Leland.

Mrs. Mary Leland, aged 70 years, wife of George Leland, died last night at her home on West Second street, following a long illness from a complication of diseases. During the past two weeks she failed rapidly and knowing that the end was near word was telegraphed to her son, Fred Leland, whose home is in Boulder, Colorado, and he arrived here Wednesday. Mrs. Leland had been a resident of Plainfield all her life and had a large acquaintance. She is survived by a husband, two sons, Fred and George Leland, and two daughters, Mrs. Emma Leland-Bird and Mrs. Hall. Mr. and Mrs. Leland would have been married fifty years next August. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock from the late home.

Caruso's Voice to be Heard.

In order to accommodate the public, and in anticipation of a big rush to hear Caruso at the diner given by the men of Church of the Holy Cross in the parish house, Monday night, February 11, tickets have been put on sale at Armstrong's pharmacy. Lovers of grand opera in Plainfield will have an opportunity to hear the celebrated tenor in a way that will be pleasing. It is said that the celebrated "Warner Safe Biscuit" which will be a part of the menu, won the first prize at thirteen different State fairs last fall.

Organ Recital Numbers.

These numbers will be rendered at the organ recital at Grace church, tomorrow afternoon at 4:15 o'clock, by William E. MacClymont: "Concert Overture," Hollins; "Rhapsodie No. 3," St. Saens; "Sonata," Van Eyken.

Funeral Hour Changed.

The funeral services of Miss Elizabeth Crary Morris will be held Monday morning at 10:30 instead of 11 o'clock, at the home of her nephew, Edward Morris VanBuren.

Rev. and Mrs. Joseph O. McKelvey, of Grandview avenue, have returned from their trip to Florida. Mr. McKelvey will be in charge of the services at Warren chapel, tomorrow.

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Administrator, C. T. A.
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Park Avenue—Rev. A. E. Finn, pastor—10:30, subject, "God's Estimate of Man;" 2:45, Bible School; 7:45, evangelistic service, communion, subject, "A Promise of Satisfaction."

Faith chapel—Rev. J. W. Musson, pastor—9:45, preaching, communion at close of sermon; 2:30, Sunday-school; 3:00, Baraca Class; 7:00, Christian Endeavor; 7:45, subject, "The Silence of the Bible."

Mt. Olive Baptist—Rev. A. M. Alexander, pastor—11:00, preaching; 3:00, Sunday-school; 7:30, preaching.

Calvary Baptist—Rev. G. W. Bailey, pastor—1:30, preaching; 3:30, Sunday-school; 6:30, missionary meeting; 7:45, preaching.

Ebenezer—Rev. P. T. Morris, pastor—11:00, preaching; 3:00, Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching.

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Trinity—Rev. Dr. Cornelius Schenck, Johnson, D. D., of New Brunswick, subject, "Sent from God;" 2:30, Sunday-school; 6:45, Y. P. S. C. E.; 7:45, Endeavor anniversary, address to societies by Mr. Johnson, subject, "Self Neglect."

German—Rev. C. H. Schneegas, pastor—10:45, preaching in German; 8:00, preaching by pastor in English.

Marconnier chapel—Rev. J. Tucker Lansdale, pastor—11:00, preaching; 3:00, Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching.

Presbyterian.

First Presbyterian—Rev. Charles E. Herring, pastor—10:00, preaching; 11:00, Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching.

Crescent Avenue—Rev. Dr. John Sheridan Zelie, pastor—10:30, preaching; 7:45, preaching.

Hope chapel—Rev. L. R. Howard, pastor—Services 10:30 and 8:00, preaching.

Warren chapel—Rev. J. O. McKelvey, pastor—10:30 a. m., preaching; Sunday-school at 2:30; regular evening service at 8:00 p. m.

Bethel chapel—Rev. F. D. Tildon, pastor—Services 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Episcopal.

Grace church—Rector, Rev. F. Vicars Stevenson; rector-emeritus, Rev. E. M. Rodman—7:30 a. m., holy communion; 10:30, hly communion and sermon; 3:00, Sunday-school; 4:15, organ recital; 4:45, evening prayer.

Mission Church of the Heavenly Rest—Rev. Charles L. Short, rector—9:45, Sunday-school; 11, morning service.

St. Stephen's—Rev. Arthur S. Peck, pastor—7:30, low celebration; 9:45, Sunday-school; 11:00, matins, litany and sermon; 4:00, evensong.

Holy Cross—Rector, Rev. George A. Warner—7:30 a. m., holy communion, 9:45 a. m., Sunday-school meets in parish house (except first Sunday in the month); 10:00 a. m., rector's Bible class for young men and women in the parish house; 11:00 a. m., morning prayer and sermon (except first Sunday in month); 7:45 p. m., evensong and sermon.

Grace Church Colored Mission—Rev. E. E. Miller, curate—11:00 a. m., morning prayer and sermon; 8:00 p. m., evensong and sermon.

Methodist Episcopal.

First—Rev. A. C. McCrea, pastor—10:30, sermon by pastor; 12:00, Sunday-school; 7:00, Epworth League; topic, "Wise and Foolish Building;" 7:45, subject, "Strength," first in a series to young folks.

Grace M. E.—Rev. Charles Wesley Parsons, pastor—10:30, subject, "I Speak of Christ and His Church;" followed by sacrament; 2:30, Sunday-school; 6:45, Epworth League, leader, Mr. A. Wilson; 7:45, morning theme continued.

Monroe Avenue M. E.—Rev. Dr. E. E. Roberson, pastor—11:00, preaching; 7:15, Epworth League; 8:00, preaching.

Mt. Zion A. M. E.—Rev. H. C. Ashley, pastor—11:00, preaching; 3:00, Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching.

Roman Catholics.

St. Mary's—Rev. Bernard M. Bogan, rector—Masses, 6:30, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school at 2:30; vespers at 3:30.

St. Joseph's—Rev. William H. Miller, rector—Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 3:00; benediction of the blessed sacrament at 3:30.

Congregational.

Congregational church—Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor—10:30, preaching; 12:00, Sunday-school; 7:30, Christian Endeavor.

Swedish Evangelical Pilbrim church—Rev. Theodore Englund, pastor—10:30, preaching; 4:00, Young People's meeting; 8:00, preaching service.

Friends.

Meeting house, Watchung avenue and Third street—Meeting First-day at 11:00 a. m.

Unitarian.

All Souls'—Rev. A. C. Nickerson, pastor—10:30, preaching 12:00, Sunday-school.

Lutheran.

German Lutheran—Swedish service, 8 p. m., preaching.

St. Peter's German Lutheran—Rev. J. Duerschner, pastor—Grove street—9:30, Sunday-school; 10:30, preaching, service in English; 4:30, Cathetical Instruction; 8:00, preaching in Swedish.

Christian Science.

Services 11 a. m., in room 323, Babcock building.

Disciples of Christ.

Christian Church—Rev. Phil A. Parsons, pastor—11:00, Prayer and communion; 2:30, Sunday-school; 7:45, subject, "What Must I Do?"

Not Classified.

Gospel Mission, East Front street and Bank place—7:30 p. m.

Grove Street Rescue Mission—4:00, W. C. T. U.—4:00.

Y. M. C. A.—4:00.

Salvation Army—11:00, Holiness meeting; 3:00, Sunday-school; 8:00, Salvation meeting.

Hunter Avenue Tabernacle—2:30, Sunday-school.

NEWS IN THE SUBURBS

'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Services tomorrow at the Baptist church will be as usual. Morning preaching at 10:45, the monthly communion will be held at the close of the sermon. B. Y. P. U. meeting 7:15 p. m., followed at 8 o'clock with the evening preaching.

The baseball team is trying to lease part of the Cook farm in Westfield avenue, for its ground the coming season. This will mean about the best site the club could have as it is right on the line of the trolley.

Real Estate Dealer Thos. M. Paff is beginning to receive applications for spring rentals from out of town parties. As usual the supply will not begin to meet the demand.

Have you noticed the automobile warning sign near the flag pole? Took a long time to make the correction. The township will now pass the bill for payment.

The week fair being held by Co. K in its armory will be brought to a close tonight. A number of the young people from here who enjoy dancing will attend.

William T. Sharp's new house at Highland Park is about finished. Mr. Sharp and family expect to take possession this month.

Mrs. Joseph Schwalbach, who recently underwent an operation at Muhlenberg Hospital, is improving very nicely.

Rev. A. H. Cook will have charge of the weekly prayer meeting tonight at the Methodist church.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

The Good Government Club held a meeting last evening. Several important matters were discussed. The ball committee made a report of the ball held in Washington hall recently. The net receipts amounted to a little over $30. The committee appointed to look after the fire protection of the town reported that a meeting was held at Norman's Hotel. A chairman and secretary were appointed to call meetings of said committee. A time was set to call a meeting of the committee and citizens of South Plainfield for the purpose of organizing a volunteer fire department, but the meeting was not called on account of the absence of the chairman. The borough matter was brought up and the citizens at the meeting instructed the law committee to amend the bill and add a referendum to it inside the proposed borough limits. This was all the business to be transacted and the meeting was adjourned by President Hamilton.

The regular services will be held at the Baptist church tomorrow as follows: 10:30 a. m., "Scattered Disciples Preaching the Word;" 7:45 p. m., "Progress by Resistance." Pastor preaches at both services. Christian Endeavor meeting at 7:00 p. m., topic, "What Endeavor Means," leader, Charles Jackson. This is the consecration meeting of the C. E. society.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. VanCourt, of Oak Tree, was taken critically ill yesterday with kidney trouble and Dr. P. B. Cregar was summoned about midnight, last night, and relieved the little one. Today she is slightly improved.

Morris Higgins has the contract to cart coal for the Middlesex Water Company.

Frank Van Nest is visiting relatives in town over Sunday.

(Additional suburban news on page 2).

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OF PLAINFIELD, N. J.
January 1, 1907.

ASSETS.

Loans on Bonds and Mortgages, First Liens		$ 403,100 00
Bonds, Market Value		404,195 99
Loans on Collaterals		1,200 00
Interest due and accrued		6,225 14
Banking House and Lot		17,466 07
Cash on Hand		23,964 54
		$ 856,150 75

LIABILITIES.

Amount due depositors	$ 789,357 50
Surplus	66,793 25
	$ 856,150 75

State of New Jersey, } ss.
County of Union,

William F. Arnold, President, and James C. Pope, Treasurer of the Plainfield Savings Bank, being duly sworn, depose and say, each for himself, that the statement above is true and correct, and shows the actual condition of the said Institution on the first day of January, 1907.

WM. F. ARNOLD, President.
JAMES C. POPE, Treasurer.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 26th day of January, 1907.

GEORGE W. V. MOY,
Master in Chancery for New Jersey.

We, the undersigned committee, made an examination of books, vouchers, assets and liabilities of the said Institution, with schedules attached, and found this a true exhibit of the assets and liabilities of said Institution on the first day of January, nine-teen hundred and seven.

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DIED.

VOORHEES—Entered into rest, Feb. 1st, at her late residence, 17 Grove street, Martha G., widow of the late Uriah D. Voorhees, and daughter-in-law of the late Sheriff Voorhees.

Services at the Second Reformed church, New Brunswick, on Tuesday, Feb. 5th, at 1 p. m. Interment at Griggstown.

LELAND—On Saturday, Feb. 2, 1907, Mary, wife of George R. Leland, aged 70 years.

Services at her late residence, 423 West Second street, on Sunday, Feb. 3d, at 5 p. m.

PTASCHINSKI—On Jan. 31, 1907, Martin Ptaschinski, in his 83d year.

Funeral at his late residence, 114 Duer street, on Sunday, February 3, at 1 o'clock. 2 1 2

MORRIS—On Thursday, Jan. 31, 1907, Elizabeth Crary Morris, in her 82d year.

Services at the residence of her nephew, Edward Morris Van Buren, 810 Central avenue, on Monday, Feb. 4, at 10:30 a. m. 2 1 2

Classified Advertisements

Rates for advertisements under this heading one cent a word for first insertion, one half a cent a word for consecutive insertions of the same advertisement running for less than one month; one month, fifty cents a line (6 words to a line), double rate for advertisement set in capitals.

No advertisements received for less than ten cents.

Copy for deaths and marriage notices and classified advertising accepted up to 2:30 p. m.

THE DAILY PRESS is not at liberty to give any information regarding advertisements that require an address in care of this office. Persons answering these ads. should mail or leave answers as stated in advertisements.

Help Wanted.

WANTED — Experienced dressmaker. Apply 40 Cherry street, Elizabeth, N. J.

WANTED—White woman as laundress and chambermaid; reference required. Laundress, care Press. 2 1 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework; white preferred; no washing. Apply 829 Park avenue. 2 2 3

WANTED—Large first-class house of twenty-five years' standing, manufacturing staple line of goods in constant daily use, wants good man to manage branch wholesale business; salary $1,800 per year and all expenses, payable monthly; also extra commissions, which should amount to more than the salary; applicant must furnish good references and $1,000 cash, which is satisfactorily secured. Address, President, 612 South Sixth St., St. Louis, Mo. 2 2 2s

WANTED—First-class all round cook, at Truell Court; good wages. 1 31 3

WANTED—White girl for general housework. Call afternoons, 955 West Sixth St. 1 24 tf

WANTED—Two foundry helpers. Aluminum Press Co. 1 31 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply 96 Mercer Ave. 1 23 tf

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at once at Mrs. Keller's Intelligence Office, 22 Somerset place. 12 29 tf

GIRL wanted to cook, wash and iron; references required. Apply 526 West Seventh St. 1 29 tf

WANTED—A nurse. 915 Hillside avenue. 1 26 tf

GIRL wanted to assist at housework. 129 Grove street, corner Park place. 1 30 tf

WANTED—Good cook, white; references. Call 441 West 8th street. 1 4 tf

Help Wanted.

WANTED—Neat colored girl as chambermaid. Apply 138 Crescent Ave. 2 1 2

WANTED—Waitress and chambermaid; first-class reference required. 537 East Front St. 2 1 2

WANTED—Girl for general housework; references required. Apply 923 Woodland avenue. 1 31 3

WANTED — General housework girls. Mrs. Day's Intelligence Office, South Plainfield, N. J. 12 12 tf

For Rent.

TO RENT—House of 11 rooms and bath, on West Front street. Apply 422 West Front street. 2 1 3

TO LET—April 1, house and store with city water; West End; rent $20. U. B. Crane. 1 26 4 s

FOR RENT—From April 1st, 8-room house, with barn; all improvements; fine location. Address A. E. M., care Press. 2 1 tf

FOR RENT—Central location, house, 8 rooms and bath. J. F. MacDonald, 149 North Ave. 1 31 tf

TO RENT—16 acres farm. Address Mrs. William Martin, New Brunswick Road, city. 1 30 6

FIVE rooms; all improvements; 16 per month. A. Young, agent, 813 South Second St. 1 28 5

TO LET—Offices in City Bank building now occupied by Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. Apply to S. J. Robertson, room 6. 2 2 3

TO LET—Large, new store, No. 407 Watchung avenue. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin building. 9 24 tf

DENTIST office, heat, telephone, light, water, door attendance. 178 East Front street. 1 11 tf

TO LET—A number of small houses, $10 to $25 per month. M. F. Gano, 221 Park Ave. 12 22 tf

Wanted—Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Suburban home for New York client with cash; principals only. Address Attorney, care Press. 1 29 3 eod

WANTED—$150 on first class chattel mortgage. Address A. B. C., care Press. 2 1 3

WANTED—To buy, milk route, with or without stock. Address F. W., care Press. 1 31 3

MILK WANTED—100 quarts by April 1st by the year. Address Milk, care Press. 1 28 6

WILL care for good horse for the winter for use of same. Address Good Care, care Press. 10 6 tf

UPRIGHT piano wanted cheap for cash; any condition. Address Box 605, Plainfield. 11 8 tf

Chickens and Eggs.

FOR SALE—Good size laying B. P. Rock and Black Wyandotte Pullets, 80 cents each; also customers for first-class fresh eggs from our own yards, delivered twice a week at market prices. Address B., care Press office. 2 1 2

FOR SALE—One Cyphers incubator and three out-door brooders practically new. Address G. G., care Press. 2 2 tf

BLACK ORPINGTON COCKERELS AND PULLETS—A few choice ones for sale; fine shape and color; good enough to show; brothers to first prize winners at the late large shows; write for prices; eggs $5 per setting. Oak Tree Poultry and Game Farm, Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J. 1 21 tf

Real Estate Agents.

ASK Manning or McIntyre, 163 North avenue, to show you the plans of the two new houses they are building on West Eighth street; each house contains 11 rooms, three baths, with every modern improvement; open sanitary plumbing, tiled bath rooms, steam heat, large open fire-places, hardwood floors and cabinet trim; large porch, lot 100x240; numerous shade trees and nearly opposite the beautiful residence of Mr. Robert Rushmore and adjoining the house of Elliot T. Barrows. 1 31 1m

THOSE desiring to own a farm should consult one who has been selling farms for years, and he is yours truly, William Henry Rogers, 136 Park avenue, Plainfield; telephone 44. tf

Situations Wanted.

POSITIONS wanted for four chambermaids, two cooks, laundress, two nurse girls and general houseworkers, four are from out of town. Plainfield Employment office, on Driveway to Station.

WOMAN wants any kind of work; will take washing home; good references. 924 West Fourth St. 2 2 3

WANTED—Position by young man who has had eight years of mercantile experience; satisfactory references given. Apply 306 Richmond St.

WANTED—Refined girl would like position as chambermaid in private family; best reference. Address M. C., Bound Brook, N. J., Box 512. 1 2

COLORED woman wants two unfurnished rooms. Martha A. Jones, 418 West Fourth St. 1 31 6

Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—Two hundred seats at the dinner to be given Monday evening, February 11, at the Holy Cross Parish House, Washington and Mercer avenues; one dollar per seat; dinned cooked and served by the men of the church; handsome souvenir menu card with each ticket.

NOTICE to pensioners; please bring certificate when having your voucher executed. M. C. Dobbins, 120 North Ave.

I WRITE insurance of all kind. Lemuel A. Tunison, Mt. Horeb, P. O., Martinville, N. J. 2 2 12

MRS. BONY — High-class dressmaking; French models; fine work remodeling; moderate prices. 12 Stone St., North Plainfield. 1 24 1m

ALL MY stock of sleighs will be reduced at half price; several second hand coupe rockaways. W. J. Conroy, 175-177 Somerset St. 1 17 tf

NEXT—We are next to station and next to bargain; bring in your bargain and be next to buyers. Ira L. LaRue, 152 North Ave. 1 8 tf

GENERAL typewriting and stenographer. Call at 33 Somerset street, N. Plainfield. A. G. Daudt. 2 2 1m

FREE! FREE! Six fine square pianos, for cost of tuning and carting only; great chance for beginners and others. Call at once, Hadley's piano salesrooms, 315 West Front St. 23 tf

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A REFINED masseuse would like few ladies to treat at their homes. Address Mrs. Ashley, 1326 Park avenue, 'phone 538-J. 1 8 1m

PAINTING and paperhanging, 1907 patterns; estimates furnished. Francis Bartels, Watchung, N. J. 1 14 1m

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TEDDY BEARS, only a few left; 35 cents each. 24 Chatham St. 2 1 3

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TO LOAN on bond and mortgage, $3,000, also $3,500, on satisfactory risks. J. F. MacDonald, 149 North avenue. 1 31 tf

MONEY to loan, five per cent. gilt edge real estate. J. T. Vail. 1 14 tf

MONEY to loan at 5 per cent. on first mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot. tf

TO LOAN—Money on first mortgages at 5 per cent. V. W. Nash, Jr., 221 Park avenue. 6 22 tf

$4,000.00 TO LOAN on first bond and mortgage, on Plainfield property at five per cent. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin Building, East Front street. tf

TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street. tf

Rooms and Board.

FAMILY of four want two rooms, communicating if possible; with board. Address R. P., care Press. 2 2 3

TO LET—Furnished rooms; steam heat. 226 East Front St. 2 1 3

NICE hall room for gentleman. 209 West Front street, Diehl. 1 30 6

TO RENT—Two large rooms, with board. M. B. Lindzey, 602 Central avenue. 1 29 6

FURNISHED rooms for gentlemen in refined neighborhood. 402 Grant avenue. 12 6 tf

FURNISHED rooms, with all conveniences for light housekeeping; improvements; reasonable. 445 Orchard place. 1 28 tf

GOOD accommodations; low rates. Boyce's Hotel, 97 Somerset St. tf

Lost and Found.

WILL party who picked up package, by mistake, at the postoffice last Wednesday, please leave same at The Daily Press office?

FOUND—Tan color misses' glove. Call at Daily Press office. 2 1 3

For Sale.

SECOND-HAND Mosher safe for sale cheap. Call or address Y. H. Ackroyd, 147 East Fifth St. 1 31 3

For Sale.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Country store and residence property for sale, or will exchange for improved real estate in Plainfield or vicinity; large house of nine rooms; large two-story store building; a good business stand with a good business; property free and clean; price $6,000; stock in store goes with property. Inquire from 7 to 9 p. m., P. W. Fisher, 47 Chatham street, Plainfield. 1 29 5

FOR SALE—Fine new 10-room house situate on a high terraced lot, 100x250, in the best section of Netherwood; hard wood floors and trim; 2 tiled bath rooms, 3 fireplaces, steam heat; occupancy April 1; will finish to suit purchaser. Plans can be seen at the office of William H. Abbott, 163 North Ave. 1 29 1m

FARM, 24 acres, for sale, near Somerville, on macadam road; good buildings. McNabb, lawyer, 209 North avenue. 1 28 1m

FOR SALE—Automobile, very desirable light side entrance touring car; cape top, etc.; like new; exceptional bargain; $650. Thompson, 315 West Front. 1 28 6

REAL ESTATE for sale, rent and exchange at bargain figures; insurance in strong companies at lowest rates; money to loan at five per cent. Thickstun & Emmons, 197 North avenue. 9 28 tf

FOR SALE—House and lot on Webster place, near Watchung avenue; fine location; 8 rooms; all improvements. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

FOR SALE—White Rock and White Leghorn Cockerels; also Pekin ducks. Netherwood farm, Mountain avenue. 1 30 6

HOUSES for sale, some to rent; lots for sale; good locations. Apply D. F. Dugan, 511 East Seventh St. 1 30 4

LOT FOR SALE on John street, near West Seventh, 50x150; fine location; will sell very reasonable. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

FOR SALE—Coal and lumber business, grocery, butcher, livery, trucking, automobile garage; all kinds of business bargains. Ira L. LaRue, next to station, next to bargain. 31 tf

FOR SALE—Kitchen range, first-class condition; has been used but six months. Address Range, Daily Press. 1 31 3

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE—Houses and lots in all parts of the city; properties that I have picked up in trade that I can sell you for less than market prices; if you want to buy or have anything to sell come and see me. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

FOR SALE—Very desirable new house, Union street, corner Arlington avenue, nine rooms and bath; all improvements. J. T. Vail, 177 North avenue. 12 15 tf

FOR SALE OR FOR RENT—Several houses, stores and offices. J. P. W. Taylor, 102 North Ave. 12 20 tf

HOUSES for sale. Call or address Lemuel A. Tunison, Mt. Horeb, P. O., Martinville, N. J. 2 2 12

HOUSES and lots for sale cheap. Call or address Lemuel A. Tunison, real estate agent, office Mt. Horeb, P. O., Martinville, N. J. 2 2 12

FOR SALE—Old Westfield Park, 25-35 acres, near Westfield Realty Co.; 90 per cent. mortgage. W. G. Peckham, Westfield.

LOTS at sacrifice sale; plot 134x100, within one minute of trolley. J. T. Vail. 1 31 2

TWO-SEATED light sleigh for sale. Apply at 740 Belvidere Ave. 1 28 6

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FOR SALE—Three eleven-room houses; all improvements; possession April 1st, if sold by February 15th. D. C. Ivins, No. 937 Hillside Ave. 8 tf

FOR SALE—Seasoned cord wood; cut in lengths to suit purchaser; also mill slabing at $6 per cord; orders will be given prompt attention. John V. TenEyck & Son, P. O. Box 57, Metuchen, N. J. 1 8 3m

FOR SALE—Four lots on Westervelt avenue, near Front street; terms to suit. Apply 103 East Fourth St., near Park Ave., Bacon. 6 11 tf

FOR SALE—An elegant lot on East Second street, size 50x200 feet; close to town; just the spot for a good double house. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

FOR SALE—House and lot, on West Fourth street, near Grant avenue; 10 rooms, city water and toilet; rents for two families; a bargain for some one. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

FOR SALE—At one-half cost, 5-horse Westinghouse compound engine (Junior) in good condition; cost $250; our price $125. Call at Daily Press office. tf

RUSSELL BROTHERS PELTED WITH EGGS.

Irishmen Try to Prevent Their Appearance in the Orpheum, in Brooklyn.

As John and James Russell appeared on the stage in the Orpheum theatre, Brooklyn, Thursday night to present their sketch "The Irish Servant Girl," they ran into a shower of eggs. Not all the eggs were fresh. The marksmanship was poor and the actors dodged all the eggs, but the back curtain and stage were well spattered and women in the audience complained afterward that their dresses were ruined.

Percy G. Williams, manager of the theatre, had an intimation that trouble was coming, and detectives were scattered through the audience. They at once arrested twenty-two men out of a crowd of 150 which had purchased a block of seats in the left side of the house and who they identified as having thrown the eggs. These men were taken to the Bergen street station, where a hearing of inciting a riot was made against them.

Hisses and catcalls, accompanied the eggs, and women in the audience became frightened at once and started to leave the theatre. The curtain was rung down and Mr. Williams went forward and assured the audience there would be no more trouble. He said his mother was born in Ireland, that he had the highest regard for Irishmen and would not permit an act in his theatre that would offend them.

The Russells continued their act. Both said they had no intention to reflect in any way on the Irish race, that they both belonged to Irish societies, and that Mrs. James Russell was working in an Irish fair in Elmhurst, L. I.

Patrol wagons were called from the Bergan street, the Classon avenue and the Adams street stations, and the men arrested were taken to the Bergen street station. They said they represented Irish-American societies which objected to the caricature of their race. The men in the party who were not arrested cheered those who were placed in the patrol wagons, and followed them all the way to the station.

Mr. Williams said a committee of twelve men had called on him Monday, and protested against the Russell Brothers' act. He had promised to cut out any objectionable part, and invited the committee to the matinee. The committee made no objection to any part of the act, except to say it thought the Russells raised their skirts too high in a dance.

Of the twenty-two men arrested, ten gave their residence as Manhattan, and one Long Island City. They will be arraigned in the Myrtle avenue court today. The Russell Brothers have appeared at the New Plainfield theatre several times.

WOULD GROW CAPE COD CRANBERRIES IN JERSEY.

Oystermen Rejoice in Probable Work During Dull Season for Bivalves.

Millville, N. J., Feb. 2.—An industry that promises to afford employment to many in this section is being opened in the lower portion of Cumberland county, one mile northwest of Port Norris. This is the cultivation of Cape Cod cranberries. Joseph Tice, of Port Norris, has purchased 100 acres of ground, and for many weeks has had fifty men clearing the place.

The land is swampy and an ideal spot for the raising of cranberries. The genuine Cape Cod plants are being imported to this section, and the cultivation of the berries will be patterned from the original home of the berries.

Several Philadelphia and New York capitalists have been watching the experiment, and are prepared to enter into the propagation of the Cape Cod berries in Jersey as soon as the venture proves a success.

To the oystermen this means much, for in a season like the present one, when many scores of boats have been laid up, owing to the poor condition of the oysters, it means employment and greater income in many families.

SCHOOL FATHERS CRITICISED.

Elizabeth Residents Demand Music Books for Pupils.

Elizabeth, Feb. 2.—The Board of Education is being criticised in many quarters for procrastination in the matter of purchasing new music books needed in the schools, in spite of the fact that the purchase was recommended by the special committee of the board after the recent investigation of certain alleged indiscretions on the part of Thomas Wilson, music instructor.

The special committee, after practically exonerating Wilson of the charges made against him, recommended the very system which it had been charged, was unduly favored by the music instructor. In spite of this recommendation, and the fact that the change can be made for a little over $200, the books have not been bought. The mater is being greatly agitated by friends of Wilson, who wish to see him finally vindicated by the adoption of the system he recommended, and will be brought before the board at its meeting this week.

—Only a few more seats left for the Y. M. C. A. Star Course Tuesday, February 5. The famous Lotus Glee Club and Minnie Marshall Smith will appear.

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PENSIONS FOR ALL VETERANS OVER 62.

Law Passed By Congress Last Week Will Add $4,000,000 to Appropriation.

Washington, Feb. 2.—The House of Representatives passed last week the new pension bill and it will now become a law, as the Senate passed it January 11. It provides pensions for all veterans of the Civil War, who served ninety days, and of the war with Mexico, who served sixty years, provided they have reached the age of 62 years or more.

In presenting their applications they are required to make proof of the facts, according to such rules and regulations as the Secretary of the Interior may provide. In case an applicant has reached the age of 62 years, the pension shall be at $12 per month; 70 years, $15 per month, 75 years or over, $20 per month; and such pension shall commence from the date of the filing of the application in the Bureau of Pensions. As a veteran advances in age he will receive a higher pension.

This new law will not prevent veterans from receiving a larger pension under some other act but no man can receive a pension under this act and under another act also. On these points the law reads:

"And nothing herein contained shall prevent any pensioner or person entitled to a pension from prosecuting his claim and receiving a pension under any other general or special act; provided, that no person shall receive a pension under any other law at the same time or for the same period that he is receiving a pension under the provisions of this act; provided further, that no person who is now or shall hereafter receive a greater pension under any other general or special law than he would be entitled to receive under the provisions herein shall be pensionable under this act."

It is estimated that the law will add about $4,000,000 to the pension appropriation this year and from $12,000,000 to $15,000,000 a year when all veterans entitled so to do have availed themselves of the benefits of the act. It is believed that only 3,000 of the Mexican War veterans are now living. Some of them are now on the pension rolls at rates ranging from $20 to $30 a month. They are all beyond the age of 75, and therefore under the new act will receive $20 a month.

The War Department computed that there were 782,722 survivors of the Civil War on June 30, 1906, and that 675,000 were then on the pension rolls, leaving about 100,000 to come under the new act.

About a year ago President Roosevelt made an order granting to Civil War veterans about 62 years of age a pension of $6 a month. The new act, of course, supersedes that order.

PIG INTERRUPTS EUCHRE.

Prize Gets Loose and Bowls Over Would-Be Captors.

Edgewater, Feb. 2.—A big fat pig interrupted the players at a charitable euchre party Wednesday night and made the women folks scramble on the tables and other places of safety, while the porker rushed about the auditorium of the Town Hall, upsetting the men trying to capture it. The presence of the pig was due to the fact that some gentleman, imbued with the spirit of charity and levity, donated the "razor-back" for one of the prizes to be contested for, and it was set to one side of the hall, near the other prizes. When all were intent on the "what's trumps?" query, the hog got loose.

Then it was that men dropped their cards and their dignity, and women dropped their prudishness and tried to climb to "isles of safety," and not a few of the young men followed suit, for be it understood that this town is made up of wealthy residents, whose business is located in New York. Mony of the gentlemen have a goodly knowledge of "bulls" and "bears," but only a few have ever met a real hog face to face.

Finally, after much screaming and squealing, and after Postmaster M. C. Garry, Freeholder Clahan and Sergeant O'Brien had been bowled over by the pig, it was captrued by Neil McMullin, who afterward won it, placed in its pen, and put on the outside of the fall. When te animal had been safely ejected from the hall, the ladies were assisted to alight from their perches, and play was resumed.

WILL JOIN BAY CITIES.

Elizabeth, Feb. 2.—Supporters of the proposition to build a bridge between Bayonne City and Elizabeth are greatly encouraged by the attitude the Hudson Assemblymen displayed in interviews with the legislative committee of Union County's Board of Freeholders on their visit to Trenton Wednesday night. The Union men who took in the Assembly meeting at Trenton were Nathan R. Leavitt, county collector; Noah Woodruff, J. Logan Fay, Henry Krouse, Thomas J. Pierson and Benjamin King.

The Hudson County Assemblymen declared to them that they were a unit in favor of the proposed bridge, and that one of them, probably Valentine Holsapfel, of Bayonne, will introduce a bill at this session allowing the two counties of Hudson and Union to build the bridge if they choose. A conference will be held in Elizabeth at an early date, between interested parties of this city and Bayonne, to consider the probable cost and other phases of the question.

THE DANGER OF INCOGNITO.

One May Hear Opinions the Reverse of Flattering.

Ever since the "30s" the pretty little Orleanaises have danced into the small hours of the morning without a clue to their partner's identity, for with wig and mask completely covering the head, the masker's incognito may well defy detection. Indeed, even if the lady were able to recognize a masker through some peculiarity of his speech, she would be careful to keep her discovery to herself. Frequently, I am told, extremely droll incidents have resulted from a crafty expedient resorted to by married men to keep their wives in doubt regarding their whereabouts on the night of the ball. This usually consists of an agreement between two maskers to call out their respective wives.

Not long ago two gentlemen who had formed a similar pact danced through the night without either of the ladies suspecting their identity, when one masker—a doctor—pleased with the way the scheme was progressing, and seeing his wife glide past on the arm of his partner's husband, chose to add an additional convincing note to the deception by exclaiming, "Why, there goes the doctor's wife!"

"Yes," replied his pretty partner, examining his wife with a hypercritical eye, "isn't she an awful mess?"—Harper's Magazine.

HIS ACTION WAS OPPORTUNE.

Brutal Husband Starts in the Millinery Business With Great Success.

"What are you doing?" harshly demanded the brutal husband, abruptly entering the room.

"I'm just going to trim this 49-cent hat I bought yesterday," replied the trembling wife.

"Extravagant woman, you will ruin me with your everlasting bargain hunting!" he exclaimed, enraged, and, seizing the hat, he crumpled it in his hands, trampled it under foot, and, finally flinging it into the corner of the room, strode away.

Weeping, the wife stooped to pick up her insulted property, but her tear-stained face was irradiated by an ecstatic rapture as her eyes fell upon it.

"O!" she exclaimed in delight, "now it is the exact shape of that $40 French hat I saw yesterday, and I never could have gotten it that way myself. All it needs is a couple of blue roses and a bunch of lavender buttercups."—Lippincott's Magazine.

Russian Night Train.

A third-class carriage in Russia is not at all uncomfortable, if you have a thick blanket, because every passenger has a right to the whole length of a seat.

Three people can sit on the seat, but only one can lie on it. The other two lie in berths above you or below you, as the case may be. The seats are made of wood and if you have a thick blanket and a pillow they are quite as comfortable as any other bed.

When you first step into the carriage it is like entering pandemonium. It is almost dark, save for a feeble candle that sputters peevishly over the door and all the inmates are yelling and throwing their boxes and baskets and bundles about. This is only the process of installation; it all quiets down presently, and everybody is seated with his bed unfolded, if he has one, his baggage stowed away, his provisions spread out, as if he had been living there for years and meant to remain there for many years to come.

Poultry in Germany.

During the last eight years the interest in raising pure breeds of poultry in Germany has increased and poultry shows are frequent. At an exhibit in Achen during February all kinds of poultry and game birds were shown, but not an incubator brooder, and even catalogues were absent. If American agents with exhibits of incubators, brooders, etc., were to visit these poultry shows they should be able to make many foreign sales. An international poultry show will be held the third week in April in Loerrach, Baden; in May there will be an exhibit in Baden-Baden and plans are being made for a large exhibit in Karlsruhe Baden, next September.

German statistics issued a few months ago show that in 1902 the total value of fowl and egg imports into Germany was $98,556,000. There is a great field here for the introduction of American poultry breeding supplies.

Electrical Divining Rod.

An electrical divining rod, claimed to operate more certainly and scientifically than the ancient and dishonored twig, has been devised by Adolph Schmid, a Swiss engineer. It seems to consist essentially of a glass covered box inclosing a coil of insulated wire, in which a slightly magnetized needle is free to rotate over a graduated dial. When the apparatus is placed over subterranean water, with the axis of the coil in the magnetized meridian, the needle, it is asserted, oscillates more or less rapidly from two to ten, and even up to 50 degrees.

All Hers.

"I certainly was shocked," said the stern visaged woman, "to hear that you were married. I wouldn't marry the best man on earth."

"He never gave you a chance!" retorted Mrs. Bridey, "because he assures me I was the only girl he ever proposed to."—Catholic Standard and Times.

GOLD NUGGET A BEAUTY.

Alaskan Mine Has Probably the Largest Ever Found.

It is not an uncommon thing to see men who have enough greenbacks to choke an elephant, but it's not often that one meets a man with a gold nugget large enough to make even a horse sick if he had to try to eat it without having it run through a quartz mill. There is a man in Los Angeles, Cal., however, who has the nugget, and he is the Klondike king, Clarence Berry, who has come from Alaska on a visit to his brother. The nugget might be likened to a man's hand with the palm turned upward, for it is over six inches long, almost four inches wide, is an inch thick at the thickest part, and "weighs" $1,510.

There are few men who can dig such chunks of gold out of their own mines, but Clarence Berry is one of these lucky miners. He is one of the pioneers of the gold mines of Alaska, and having been one of the first men to get to the various rich diggings, his energy and perseverance have been rewarded with a large amount of gold. How much no one knows but he, and he won't tell.

WHAT SHE WOULD SAY.

Young Teacher Evidently Had Her Opinion of the Principal.

A certain young teacher in one of the schools in Springfield, Mass., was recently more or less annoyed by the attentions of one of the masculine sex who holds a position of principal in the same school. There was in this young woman's room a pupil who was very dull and stupid.

One day the gallant principal was asked by the admired one to give his permission to have the child removed to some other room, thinking possibly he might be benefited by the change. The suggestion did not meet with the principal's immediate favor, and he remonstrated.

"Suppose," said he, "you and I were married and we had a child that nature was not overkind to, and we sent him to school. Suppose the teacher refused to have him in her room, saying he was too stupid and dull to learn, what would you say?"

"I should say he took after his father," was the quick retort.

Overtaken by Retribution.

William H. Berry, state treasurer of Pennsylvania, was talking in Harrisburg about graft.

"Grafters seem to thrive at first," he said, "but retribution overtakes them in the end. It is like the two newsboys and the bad half-dollar.

"Two newsboys had a bad half-dollar and after discussing for some time the best way to get rid of it they decided to try to pass it off on a theater.

"So they took their places on a cold night in the long line before the gallery door of a popular theater and the first one held the bad coin in his hand. It was their idea that in the hurry and confusion the ticket seller wouldn't take time to examine the money handed to him.

"And they were right. When the first boy reached the box office the man accepted the half-dollar without question and in return handed out a ticket and a quarter change.

"The second boy, grinning with joy, then handed forth a dollar for his own ticket. He got the bad half-dollar and a good quarter in change."

Art of Nature.

She had just turned from the blackboard where for five minutes she had been demonstrating a "sum" which to her very youthful pupils seemed difficult.

"Now, children, are you perfectly sure that you understand?"

There was a murmur of assent.

"Do any of you wish to ask a question?"

In the back of the room a small hand was raised aloft. The teacher, looking into the earnestly eager face, felt that glow of satisfaction which we all experience in assisting a budding intellect.

"What is it, Annie? What do you wish to know?"

"Miss M——, are your teeth false?" demanded the earnest little seeker in a shrill treble.

Twain and the Office Boy.

In his early days Mark Twain used to take his "copy" round personally to various editors, which gave rise to a rather good story of him told recently. His dislike of office-boys is very great; indeed, if there is a being on earth he cannot tolerate it is the average office-boy. A short time ago he strolled into a big publishing house in New York, and asked to see the editor.

"What name shall I give?" asked the office-boy.

"Mark Twain."

"What's your business?"

The pertinent question irritated Mark, but he only smiled sweetly, and said:

"Tell the editor I wish to ask his hand in holy matrimony."—Black and White.

The Teacher Declined.

A first-year pupil was absent from school one day last week. The next day she appeared at school and handed the teacher a note explaining her absence, written by her mother. The following is the explanation:

"My Dear Miss C—Please excuse Helen for absence, as she fell on the sidewalk and hurt the side of her nip, and by doing the same you will greatly oblige.

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MAROONED ON DESERT WITH NAVAJO INDIAN

Colorado Girl Keeps Lonely Vigil Beside Sagebrush Fire, Even Welcoming Howls of Coyotes.

Denver, Colo.—Camped all night on the desert with a Navajo Indian. That is what Miss Grace Gertrude Dalton, a young nurse, of Durango, Col., did, and she smiles as she tells the story.

"Oh, it was nothing," said Miss Dalton. "You see, I was just going from my uncle's trading store for a visit with relatives, and our team gave out, and we had to camp out over night on the way—the Navajo was taking me on the trip. The Indian took me in a buckboard. It was 60 miles across the desert of sagebrush and sand. At noon the team gave out, and sundown caught us a long way from Ojo Alma.

"We had reached a small stream when the Indian made signs that we

They Camped Beside a Sagebrush Fire.

would have to spend the night there. We got out of the buckboard, and the Indian hobbled the ponies. He gathered a lot of sagebrush and started a fire. After awhile we went to bed, the Indian on one side of the fire and I on the other, rolled up in blankets. I never slept a wink. It was the longest night I ever spent. When the coyotes began to howl close to us I was glad to hear them, for it somewhat broke the monotony of waiting out there on a lonely desert, miles and miles from any person, with only an Indian for company.

"I wasn't afraid, and if I had been it would not have helped matters. There was no danger. I would sooner trust the average Navajo Indian than lots of the white men. They are fine fellows, and can be trusted in any case."

Miss Dalton is a buxom blonde, pretty, and about 22 years of age. With an aunt she visited the St. Louis World's Fair, accompanied by a tall, handsome young Navajo, whom they took along as a servant. Miss Dalton and the young man attracted much attention on the streets of St. Louis.

CRACKED HER MAMMA'S RIB.

Buxom Girl Hugs Parent, Who Sustains Injury as a Result.

Atlantic City, N. J.—Overjoyed at seeing her mother, whom she visited in anticipation of Christmas, Miss Daisy English, buxom and pretty, crushed the mother to her breast in a fervid embrace and broke one of the mater's ribs.

The mother, Mrs. Emma English, who is a rather frail little woman, swung free of her daughter's embrace and complained of a pain in her side, which a physician diagnosed quickly as a fracture of the lower rib.

Miss Daisy lives in this city with a sister and had not seen her mother, who lives at Northfield, for several weeks prior to the visit. Mrs. English saw her daughter coming up the front footway of the little cottage yard and ran to the door to meet her.

The hug was given with fond force on each side, but Miss Daisy failed to take account of her fresh young strength until she heard the verdict of the surgeon.

Hacked Off His Own Arm.

Lynchburg, Va.—With his left hand and forearm crushed and held firmly in the mouth of a shredder, Dr. Charles McCullough, a farmer and physician who lives in Buckingham county, forty miles from Lynchburg, cut his arm off below the elbow with his pocketknife.

After freeing himself he directed the farm hands with him in taking up the broken arteries in the arm, thus saving his life. Afterward he walked some distance to the house. Later he was brought here and the arm amputated again above the elbow.

The fact that Dr. McCullough was left handed makes the performance all the more wonderful. The farm superintendent caught his arm in the same machine, tearing it off, two weeks ago. This caused blood poisoning, from which he died.

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Bowling and General Sports

PARKS TAKE TWO FROM THE ELIZABETH BOWLERS.

Local Five Now Has Lead of Four Games in Central Journal League.

Last night's bowling match between the Park Club and the Elizabeth Club was an important one in the Central Journal Bowling League tournament, as the Parks had a harder schedule for the last two matches than Elizabeth. If the latter had taken two games, the Park's lead would have been cut down to two games, and the difference in the strength of opposing teams in final matches would have made it probable that Elizabeth would have tied the Parks or won out.

By taking two games from Elizabeth, last night, the Parks increased their lead to four games, having won 18 and lost 6, while Elizabeth and Westfield are tied for second place with 14 games won and 10 lost. There was a big crowd out and lots of enthusiasm. The Parks bowled in splendid form, almost pulling out the first game after it had gone against them over eighty pins on account of a lot of splits and cut outs. The second and third games were never in doubt, the Parks picking up everything in sight and winning easily. Daniel did the best work, making high score, 207 in the third game. The next match will be rolled at Westfield Thursday night, February 7. Last night's scores:

PARKS.			
Barlow	183	145	163
Lyman	162	162	193
Daniel	190	189	207
Long	145	199	149
Ball	151	179	179
	830	874	891
ELIZABETH.			
Tenney	181	147	169
Datesman	168	180	159
Blanchard	189	137	167
Keys	151	153	136
Wheelwright	163	170	179
	852	787	810

THIERS WAS OFF.

As Result He and Maltby Lose Two Out of Three Games.

Only one set of games was rolled in the bowling tourney at McLaughlin's last night, Maltby and Thiers and Rodin and Ackor. Somthing was wrong with "Doc" Thiers' pin-hitting proclivities and as a result he and his partner lost two out of the series. The scores were as follows:

Maltby	139	188	185
Theirs	114	118	203
	253	305	388
vs.			
Radin	166	193	155
Ackor	194	188	218
	360	381	373

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis D. Skillman, of Watchung avenue, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Conover, of Somerville.

BAPTISTS THE CHAMPIONS

First Church Boys Win the Sunday-School Meet.

LONG LIST OF EVENTS

Medals For the Individual Winners —Main Trophy Must Be Won Thrice to Become School Property.

The first Sunday-school athletic meet held in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium, last night, under the auspices of the Sunday-school Athletic League, of Plainfield, was a success although the entries were not as large as expected. The Sunday-schools in the league include Park Avenue Baptist, Warren chapel, Trinity Reformed, First Presbyterian, Hope chapel, First Baptist, Congregational, First M. E. and Grace Episcopal.

The First Baptist church had the largest representation, with Warren chapel second, and the former carried off a majority of the honors, the representatives from Warren chapel being handicapped by their size and age. There were fourteen different events and the work of the young athletes was very creditable throughout. In each case the winners were presented with bronze medals and the First Baptist Sunday-school received the silver cup offered by Chas. W. McCutchen, president of the league, its representatives winning the greatest number of points. This cup must be competed for at three different meets.

Great enthusiasm was displayed throughout the evening and the friends of the contestants enlivened the occasion by constant cheering. Mr. McCutchen led the First Baptist church representatives in singing and cheering. The summary follows:

15 Yard Dash—Russell Swift, First Baptist; Russell Sharp, Clarence, Baker, Elmer Johnson, Arthur Horne, Warren chapel; James Lindzey, First M. E. Won by James Lindzey, time, 2 5-10 seconds. Russell Swift second, Russell Sharp third.

Standing Broad Jump—D. R. Miller, H. P. Bailey, James Manning, First Baptist; Russell Sharp, Elmer Johnson, Warren chapel. Won by D. R. Miller, distance 7 9½, James Manning second, 7 8¼; H. P. Bailey third.

Sack Race (Juniors)—D. R. Miller, G. S. Robins, First Baptist; Elmer Johnson, Herbert Reynolds, Warren chapel. Won by D. R. Miller, time, 2.2 8-10; G. S. Robins second, 2.6 6-10.

Potato Race (Relay)—First Baptist—D. R. Miller, Chester Denton, W. E. Briggs, W. S. Flanders; Warren chapel—Alvin Smith, Kenneth Mair, Charles Holstein, Russell Sharp, Clarence Baker, Elmer Jackson, Frank Reynolds. Won by First Baptist church, Warren chapel second.

Standing Broad Jump (Intermediate)—W. S. Flanders, First Baptist; Kenneth Mair, Warren chapel; Leslie Bond, First Presbyterian. Won by W. S. Flanders, distance 17.3½; Leslie Bond second, 16.5; Kenneth Mair third, 12.8.

Standing Broad ump (Seniors)—Gideon Fountain, W. P. Banks, W. S. Flanders, Everett Sherwin, First Baptist; Earl B. Smith, Alvin Olson, Warren chapel. Won by W. P. Banks, distance 9.3; Everett Sherwin second, 9.1¾; W. S. Flanders third, 8.10½.

Potato Race (Boys)—G. S. Robins, First Baptist; Clarence Baker, Elmer Johnson, Arthur Horne, Herbert Reynolds, Walter Walker, Jas. Lindzey, Warren chapel; Roy Love, First M. E.; James Buckle, Jr., First Presbyterian. Won by Roy Love. James uBckle, Jr., second.

Running Broad Jump (Intermediate)—Chester Denton, W. S. Flanders, First Baptist; Leslie Bond, First Presbyterian. Won by W. S. Flanders, distance 14.8; Chester Denton second, 14.7¾; Leslie Bond third, 13.11½.

Three Legged Race (Boys)—Clarence Baker, Clarence Smalley, Elmer Johnson, Herbert Reynolds, Thomas Deter, Frank Reynolds, Roy Moore, Harry Meyer. Won by Frank Reynolds and Thomas Deter. Herbert Reynolds and Elmer Johnson second.

Quarter Mile Potato Race (Seniors)—Charles A. Lee, Jr., Gideon Fountain, Chester Denton, James Manning, W. E. Briggs, Leland Manning, Alvin Smith, Elmer Bohan, Trinity Reformed. Won by Leland Manning, time 1.50; Chester Denton second, 1.52.2; Elmer Bohan third, 1.52.8.

Shot Put, 8 pounds—Chester Denton, W. E. Briggs, W. S. Flanders, First Baptist; Charles Holstein, Warren chapel; Leslie Bond, First Presbyterian. Won by W. S. Flanders, distance 30.1½; W. E. Briggs second, 28.3; Chester Denton third, 25.10.

Potato Race (Relay) Juniors—Warren chapel, Clarence Baker, Elmer Johnson, Frank Reynolds, Arthur Horen, Clarence Smalley, Andrew Stiglitz, Herbert Reynolds; First Baptist, D. R. Miller, Russell Swift, James Manning, G. S. Robins. Won by First Baptist, time 1.41.

Running High Jump—Charles H. Lee, Jr., Gideon Fountain, W. P. Banks, James Manning, W. S. Flanders, Leland Manning, Everett Sherwin. Won by Gideon Fountain, distance 4.9; W. P. Banks second, 4.8; Everett Sherwin third, 4.7½.

Shot Put, 12 pounds—W. P. Banks, James Manning, Gideon Fountain, Everett Sherwin, First Baptist; Earl B. Smith, Warren chapel. Won by W. P. Banks, distance 29.11½; Everett Sherwin second, 29.4; ames Manning third, 28.10.

The officials in charge of the meet were as follows: Director of games, Charles W. McCutchen, S. S. A. L.; referee, G. L. Listman, Y. M. C. A.; judges, J. W. Gavett, S. S. A. L.; C. B. Morse, Y. M. C. A.; Lindsey Best, P. H. S. Inspectors and measurers—J. McClymont, Congregational Sunday-school; Dr. Norman H. Probasco, S. S. A. L. Time-keepers—H. W. Barrows, Y. M. C. A.; W. Lester Glenney, Warren chapel; Phil P. Smith, First M. E. Sunday-school. Clerk of course—Harry G. Thompson, Park Avenue Baptist Sunday-school. Announcer—F. S. Thompson, First Baptist Sunday-school. Scorer—Kenneth Robbie, Y. M. C. A. Starter—G. L. Listman, Y. M. C. A.

The officers of the league are as follows: President, C. W. McCutchen; vice-president, J. W. Gavett; secretary, G. L. Listman; treasurer, C. M. Dolliver; governors, Dr. Norman H. Probasco, George E. Hall, Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson, William N. Runyon, James R. Joy, J. McClymont.

WANT NEW CONTRACT

(Continued from Page 1.)

the P. S. C. be drawn, rigidly defining what was to be given in return for the city's money, and incorporating therein a clause providing penalty for non-fulfillment of contract; and suggests further that the Councils confer with the P. P. A. before signing the new contracts.

President Depew explained that the desire to have the contracts shown to the association before signing was not born of officiousness. It was felt that the Association had data and information relative to the lighting conditions that might enable it to be of service in tightening the safeguards against loss to the municipalities.

The president urged the members to help in gathering data on the private lighting. He asked them to read their meters regularly and report, so that the association might tabulate figures and better understand how the P. S. C. worked.

Mr. Depew said the Public Service management had promised to have a representative at the meeting, to speak on the points raised. The only P. S. C. man in the hall was a clerk from the local office, who took notes on the proceedings.

Interesting incidents in the investigation of the so-called ice trust were recounted by Secretary White. He went to the head of the big ice company early in the summer, he said, and started a series of conferences. He was assured that the dealers were getting only a living out of the business, and couldn't afford to sell for a cent under the prices they charged. To prove it, the ice man offered to turn over all the wagons and horses owned by the dealers to the association and let the organization conduct the business, buying ice wherever they could get it.

The ice captain—Mr. White mentioned no names—declared that there was in no sense a trust. Mr. White inquired if there would be any objection to showing him the contracts with the independent dealers. The ice man said there would be none at all, and promised to bring them to Mr. White's office in the city. Mr. White said he didn't; the captain explained that he felt it wouldn't be fair to the dealers to give out the details of their business that way. Mr. White said an independent dealer had assured him there would be no objection to that. The captain changed his ground and explained that his attorney would not approve of the action.

It developed from the conversation that the ice company was carefully incorporated, a New York attorney helping a prominent Plainfield lawyer in the work. The ice man would not say who the New York attorney was. Mr. White explained that the P. P. A. was not seeking to lay a trap for the ice men, but merely wanted to get at the truth and arrive at a basis fair to the dealers and the consumers alike. Would not the ice men tell the name of the New York attorney, that Mr. White might talk with him? The ice man wouldn't, and didn't.

Mr. White declared that he had learned on what he considered good authority that the ice men here were part of the big trust. He had taken legal steps against the alleged combination, he said, because he was informed by an authority that the statutes of New Jersey were not strong enough to work under. Moreover, the committee had felt that in holding the rate to sixty cents a hundred good work had been accomplished. He was sure that but for the activity of the association, the price would have been raised much higher.

In the discussion that followed Mr. White's report charges were made that the ice men had been offered an ample supply of ice, at rates cheap enough to guarantee a supply to Plainfield at a fair price, before last winter ended, but that the offer had been refused. The ice men denied that when Mr. White taxed them with it, but he told the association he had reason to believe the offer was actually made and turned down. It was charged that the ice dealers compelled the consumers to pay for all the ice that melted on the rounds of their wagons. A. H. Atterbury testified to the detection of short weights at his house, and asserted that the men on the wagon had a trick of selling small pieces for cash on their rounds, and put the weight of such pieces on the accounts of charge customers.

The association instructed the standing committee to watch the ice situation, paying particular attention to the visible supply and the steps taken by the company to garner it. The possibility of erecting a co-operative artificial ice plant was touched on, but no action was taken. Mr. Depew reported that a plant would cost $35,000 to erect. He said a real estate man had tendered him an option on a pond suitable for ice cutting near here, and the erection of an ice house by the association was added to the possibilities.

The telephone service was condemned in strong terms by Former Councilman J. M. Whiton. He said the operators were underpaid, and that the staff was changed so often the telephone users never had the benefit of expert service. He said the company did not regard the rights of the people to any degree, and instanced the condition in which it had left the walk before its new building on Fourth street. The walk was blocked for months, he said, and was only made fairly passable after he had complained to the street commissioner and the police.

Mr. Depew said the charges in Plainfield were out of all proportion to what they were in other places. He suggested, on another line, that the association might work for a reduction in the cost of independent wires to something like what was charged for party wires, and have latter, which he said was a source of annoyance, eliminated. Mr. Depew and several others said the service had improved. Mr. Atterbury voiced a strong last word on the telephone company. "It is an unconscionable, extortionate monopoly, and it has us in its power," he said.

Soft coal smoke from the Central engines was briefly touched upon. Mr. Depew said a communication to Mayor Buckle, shortly before he retired, was referred to Chairman Wm. S. Tyler, of the Public Affairs Committee, and the latter had assured him that the question would be taken up as soon as possible. Mr. Tyler said he had been interested in it for several years, and had been intending to bring it to a head as soon as other important matters were disposed of.

Mr. Depew said there was no report to make on the water question. A municipal committee was investigating it, and he had thought it best to leave it with that body.

Police Board Has Difficulties.

Through an unfortunate chain of circumstances the councilmanic police board was unable to meet last night, as planned. Councilman Frank Randolph, chairman of the board, is detained at home by illness, as is also Mayor Fisk, and Councilman William L. Gloak, another member, has been laid up with a severe and painful injury to his eye, caused by a fall on the ice a few days ago. President Leslie M. Daniel, who is a member of the board, was prevented from attending the session because of a slight illness, and Councilman George P. Mellick, the remaining member, has just returned from a southern trip for the benefit of his health, scarcely felt able to go to the meeting. It may be possible for the board to get together before the Common Council meeting Monday night and decide upon a report to be made concerning the appointments of Mayor Fisk.

Mrs. Charles Zimmer, of East Orange, was the guest yesterday of Mrs. F. E. Woodruff, of Duer street. Mrs. Zimmer is a member of the Young Women's Mission Band, of Trinity Reformed church, and attended the tenth anniversary of the band, yesterday afternoon.

Howard T. Scheckler, superintendent of the Elizabeth Mission, will speak at the Grove Street Rescue Mission tomorrow afternoon at four o'clock. Everybody welcome.

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The Largest Retail Clothiers in Union County.

SPECIALS FOR Three Days Only.

$3.98 for Overcoats that were sold up to $8.00, Oxford gray, medium and long cut, well made and trimmed.

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$10.40 for Suits and Overcoats that were sold up to $20, in all new shapes, also French back models.

$4.98 for Youths' Suits and Overcoats, from 16 to 20 years, in fine goods and excellent patterns, all new models.

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No. 2243.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF The City National Bank.

at Plainfield, in the State of New Jersey, at the close of business,

Jan. 26, 1907.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$1,021,518 77
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		46 92
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		150,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		5,190 00
Bonds, securities, etc.		490,537 73
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures		71,202 58
Interest Paid		6,352 20
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		14,799 56
Due from State Banks and Bankers		2,198 49
Due from approved reserve agents		156,236 49
Checks and other cash items		6,683 67
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents		465 76
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz.:		
Specie	$55,017 00	
Legal-tender notes	33,764 00	
		88,781 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)		7,500 00
Total		$2,021,503 15

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 150,000 00
Surplus fund	50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	176,996 70
National Bank notes outstanding	147,800 00
Accrued Interest	779 84
Due to other National Banks	14,393 84
Due to State Banks and Bankers	1,096 75
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	20,862 29
Dividends unpaid	64 00
Individual deposits subject to check	1,372,965 18
Demand certificates of deposit	12,693 62
Time certificates of deposit	72,385 67
Certified checks	1,132 85
Cashier's checks outstanding	327 25
Total	$2,021,503 15

State of New Jersey, County of Union, ss:

I, William F. Arnold, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

William F. Arnold, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this first day of February, 1907.

fifteenth day of November, 1906.

J. C. Pope, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

Louis K. Hyde,
Jas. T. Closson,
F. de L. Hyde,
Directors.

DIVIDEND NO. 60.

CITY NATIONAL BANK, PLAINFIELD, N. J.

The Board of Directors have this day declared the usual semi-annual dividend of four per cent. on the capital stock of this bank out of the earnings of the past six months, and an extra dividend of one per cent. upon the capital stock of said bank, payable on and after Tuesday, February 5, 1907.

Wm. F. Arnold, Cashier.

Dated, Plainfield, Jan. 30, 1907.

The City National Bank of Plainfield, N. J., since its organization has paid to its stockholders the dividends on their capital stock ..... $ 324,750 00
and now has a surplus of 50,000 00
and undivided profits after paying dividends 158,400 00
with deposits of 1,495,860 55

The above shows that the bank is increasing its business, and is one of the strongest institutions in the State.

Y. M. C. A. Meeting.

Walter Sampson will play the clarinet at the Y. M. C. A. meeting tomorrow afternoon. Rev. E. E. Roberson will begin his series of talks, speaking on "The First Question God Ever Asked a Man."

Suspended Sentence.

George Parrott, 44 years old, and Mike Coyne, 40 years old, arrested last night for vagrancy and drunkenness respectively, were released under suspended sentence by Judge Runyon this morning.

Grasshop Tragedy.

The Lotus Glee Club has a specialty for its appearance in the Y. M. C. A. Star Course next Tuesday night. It will present "The Tragedy of the Grasshopper."

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ROADSTERS' CALENDAR.
Sun Rises 7.07 a. m.
Sun Sets 5:20 p. m.
Lanterns must be lighted 6.20 p. m.

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THE WEATHER
Snow tonight and Tuesday.
Maximum 22, minimum, 16.
24 hours ending at noon. Ther. at noon 22.

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G.S. MOULTON A SUICIDE

Former Local Man Who Conducted Mountain Park Inn Kills Himself.

ILLNESS THE CAUSE

Was the First Manager of the Hostelry Which Has Since Become the Groszmann School.

Driven to desperation by pain and sleeplessness, G. Sinclair Moulton, part owner of the Manhattan Square Hotel, in West Seventy-seventh street, and who conducted the Mountain Park Inn when it was first opened, committed suicide Saturday night by shooting himself three times. His remarkable vitality, as revealed by an autopsy, amazed the surgeons. He shot himself first in the right temple, then in the right breast, and finally through the heart. A revolver was clutched in his hand when the body was found yesterday noon in a room in the Grand Union Hotel, and on a table beside the bed was a box containing nearly one hundred loaded cartridges.

In the five or six hours preceding death that Mr. Moulton spent in his room he wrote several letters, but their contents were not revealed. One was addressed to his wife, in care of Simeon Ford, owner of the Grand Union Hotel.

Mrs. Moulton was prostrated long before the letter reached her, knowing, she told friends, her husband had done away with himself. He left her before noon on Saturday, asserting that his head "snapped." Earlier in the day, after saying he had spent a sleepless night and was in constant pain as a result of a stomach ailment, he had, in a half joking way, asked her to end life with him. She had calmed him and thought she had driven all idea of suicide from his mind.

Suggestions that business troubles might have been the cause of Mr. Moulton's suicide were promptly refuted by his friends and associates. To a few of them the cause appeared to be a deep mystery, but Mrs. Moulton and a few intimate associates said it was temporary insanity, brought on by continual suffering and resultant sleeplessness. His business was extremely prosperous and his bank account was of good size.

Although only forty-one years old, Mr. Moulton had risen to prominence in the hotel world and in his thirty years experience had been connected with some of the most widely known hotels in the country. Few men were better known to the patrons of summer hotels. Beginning as a check boy, in the Parker House, in Boston, when eleven years old, he made rapid progress. He served as head waiter, steward, head clerk, assistant manager, manager and part owner. For several years he was connected with the Ocean View Hotel, Block Island, and for four years, ending six years ago, with the management of the Laurel in the Pines, in Lakewood.

Last October, after conducting it for six seasons, he gave up the management of the Hotel Ampersand, in the Adirondacks, and came to New York.

The Manhattan Square, a twelve story apartment hotel, was taken over about the first of the year by the Walter Russell Hotel and Realty Company and the plan was to make it part of a big studio building. Mr. Moulton organized the Park Gate Hotel Company, of which he was made president, and got a lease on the hotel property. Several persons were associated with him, but it was said yesterday that he was the controlling factor and was reaping a good reward. He made his home in the hotel with his wife, whom he married two years ago and with whom it is said he lived happily. She was his second wife.

Mr. Moulton was the first manager of the Mountain Park Inn and remained there for three years. He met with good success and while in Plainfield he made a large acquaintance. He was well-liked for his genial disposition and many excellent qualities. He identified himself with the management and part ownership of the Manhattan Square Hotel, New York, about two months ago.

Gave a Card Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Johnson, of Grant avenue, gave a card party at their home, Saturday night. Prizes were won by Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McVoy, Mrs. Robert Gow and Mrs. Robert Payson. Music and refreshments were enjoyed at the conclusion of play.

Rasores Club Meeting.

The Rasores Club will meet tomorrow morning with Mrs. John T. Baker, of Stelle avenue. Roll call and reading from Charles Reade.

—All discontinued lines and odds and ends of sizes of shoes go on sale today at Van Arsdale's. ***

SIX PLAINFIELDERS ARRAIGNED IN COURT

PLEADED TO INDICTMENTS FOUND AGAINST THEM BY GRAND JURY.

Six Plainfielders were arraigned in the Union County Court, this morning, to plead to indictments found against them by the Grand Jury during the last session. Patrick Fox and Michael Reddington, charged with larceny of a watch, were among the first arraigned. Fox plead not guilty and Reddington plead guilty. The latter will be sentenced February 27, and the trial of the former is set down for February 11.

Edward Cuff, colored, plead guilty to a charge of the larceny of lead pipe and will be sentenced on February 27. Leslie M. Cobb, colored, was charged with assault and battery. He plead not guilty and trial was set down for February 15.

Jesse Tyrell charged with highway robbery in holding up two men on Park avenue, plead not guilty and trial was set down for February 11. John McGilvray, who was left in charge of Bobby Leach's lunch wagon, and was charged with the theft of the receipts, pleaded not guilty and his trial was fixed for February 14.

It was announced that the trial of the criminal cases will commence on Thursday morning.

PASSED ANOTHER MILESTONE.

"Uncle Dan" Roberts Rounds Out His Eighty-second Year.

Former Councilman Dan S. Roberts, of Prospect place, observed the eighty-second anniversary of his birthday, last night, by entertaining a few friends at dinner. The centre of the table was occupied by a large cake bearing the dates "1825-1907."

"Uncle Dan," as he is known to everyone, was born at Easton, Pa., but spent the greater part of his life at Scranton. In his younger days he was interested in the building of the Lackawanna railroad and formed a close friendship with President Sam Sloan. He has lived in Plainfield since 1880, retiring from business only a few years ago. He still enjoys good health and takes as active an interest in local affairs as when he was a member of the "Big Six" Common Council.

LIQUOR MEN MAY PROTEST.

Grand Jury's Action Likely to Affect Their Business.

The liquor dealers throughout the county have learned that the results of the investigation into excise matters by the Grand Jury is likely to have a serious effect on their business in the matter of the enforcement of the screen clause, and there are rumors of a protest from them because of stories they have heard of the lax manner in which the provisions of the law have been carried out in Elizabeth.

It is said the Grand Jury passed a resolution calling for the notification of all liquor dealers and keepers of some so-called inns and taverns that the law must be obeyed, with the intimation that any violations discovered would result in the speedy prosecution of the delinquents. The screen law has always been rigorously observed in this city and the dealers would be in no way affected by the Grand Jury's actions.

No Club Meeting Held.

Although Saturday night was the time fixed for the meeting of the various committees appointed to consider the question of forming a club and purchasing the Casino property, Lewis E. Waring was the only person who put in an appearance. It was understood at the last meeting of the men interested in the scheme that an adjournment was taken to February 2, but inquiry failed to shed any light on the subject. At the college smoker a motion offered by C. A. Marsh and adopted, provided that a committee of three from that body be appointed to meet with the other committees, but this committee has not been announced as yet. Perhaps the illness of Mayor Fisk caused a postponement of the meeting and another date will have to be fixed.

Joe the Turk Coming.

Staff Captain J. Garabed, from Constantinople, better known as "Joe the Turk," will conduct special meetings in Salvation Army Hall, on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday nights. He is a full blood Turk and was a notorious drunkard when he met the Salvation Army over twenty years ago in San Francisco. His subject for Wednesday night will be "How I Stopped the Hole in the Wall." All are invited to hear Joe.

Will Elect a Captain.

Company K will hold a caucus tonight after the drill in the armory for the purpose of electing a captain to succeed Captain Martin. Other vacancies in the staff will be filled at the same time.

—"The Chimes of Normandy," Thursday night at Casino. *** 2 4 3

REPLIES TO THE P. P. A.

Manager Wilson, of Natural Ice Co., Takes Exception to Way He Was Assailed.

TREATMENT NOT FAIR

Declares Members Went Beyond Their Jurisdiction in Prying Into the Affairs of a Private Concern.

Andrew Wilson, who is manager for the Natural Ice Company, which was attacked by the Plainfield Protective Association at its meeting in the Casino Friday night, was seen today by a representative of The Daily Press and questioned about the matter.

Mr. Wilson took exception to the way in which his company had been assailed by the association. He said that the company had no objections to giving out all the information necessary to aid the members in their laudable efforts to correct what it believed to be an evil, but when the association sought to pry into the private affairs of the company, he thought it was time to call a halt.

He said that the association wanted to ascertain the receipts and expenditures of the company, what it was paying its employes, how much it was paying for ice purchased out of town and many other facts which were considered extremely pertinent and he could see no reason why the company should give the information. He thought it was right for the association to get after the Public Service Corporation or any other corporation that happened to be operating under a franchise or right granted by the city, but to attack a private business concern was out of its jurisdiction.

Mr. Wilson said further that the Natural Ice Company does not hold an exclusive franchise or right to sell ice in Plainfield and North Plainfield. Any individual or company has the perfect right to engage in the ice business wherever and whenever it pleases. They can buy ice where they please, sell it for whatever price they please, or they can erect a plant and manufacture ice if they so desire and no one will stop them.

The manager of the company added that an examination of its books would prove beyond doubt that it was not making a fortune, in fact was only receiving a reasonable and legitimate profit on the money invested in the ice business here. He said that he had a conference with a representative of the Plainfield Protective Association and he did not consider the treatment accorded to be fair. The company was accused of being unfair, and withholding facts and figures which would tend to clear up certain matters.

FAIR CLOSES.

Company K Will Clear Over $200 From the Bazaar.

Company K's fair closed Saturday night, after a week's successful run. The crowd was the largest of the week, and the floor was filled with dancers at every number.

It is too early to say what the exact figure on the net profits will be, but it is certain that the gain will be over $200. The committee is pleased with the result, and the other members of the company are pleased with the committee. The committee was made up as follows: Capt. W. B. Martin, chairman; Sergeants O. R. Pearson, Alfred Tranchand; Corporals J. Niles, R. DeCamp, Walter Sampson; Privates Ford, Hartpence, Weigman, Morton, Benbrook, Dayton, Rothberg, Seaman, Dow.

King's Daughters Will Give a Play.

The City Union, King's Daughters, which is planning for a large fair to be held April 11, 12 and 13, has decided to hold it at the Casino. Already the various committees are hard at work on what promises to be one of the most attractive events given by the King's Daughters. The form of entertainment will include a short play, moving pictures, etc., while every circle in the union will be represented by a booth of some kind at which various articles will be sold.

Mrs. Leland's Funeral.

The funeral of Mrs. George Leland was held at her late home on West Second street, yesterday afternoon, with a large gathering of relatives and friends in attendance. Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss was in charge, and during the services two solos were sung by Elmer D. Cutting. There were numerous handsome floral tributes. Interment was made today at Hillside.

Euchre Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Johnson entertained a party of friends at a euchre party at their home, West Fourth street and Grant avenue, Saturday night. Refreshments were served after the playing.

GESANG AND TURN VEREIN HOLDS "KNACKER" NIGHT

MEMBERS OF THE SOCIETY HARD HIT BY "HAMMERFEST."

The man who can't stand to have his particular failings exposed to caustic comment and criticism had no reason to be at Saengerbund Hall, last night, when the Gesang and Turn Verein held its annual "knacker" night. It is the one occasion when the members of the society "knock" each other good and proper and there is no possible chance of escape for the unlucky individual who happens to have been foolish or made mistakes during the year.

The society and its friends gathered at 8 o'clock and from then on until midnight the game was on, interspersed only at times by songs and other features, provided of course, the contributors could stand for the untempered criticisms of their acts. Otto Keller was chairman and the climax in the fun was reached when William Claassen handed a "knock" out to him that "brought down the house." With much detail and a fiendish desire to pile it on, Claassen related what a terrific time Keller had in getting citizenship papers and how the attempts upset all his family and friends. John Wirth and John Retzer came in for several "hammerfests," one of them dealing with an occasion when they turned dog catchers at Dunellen and landed a mongrel, only to be put off three successive trolley cars in the attempt to get home. "Bill" Claassen got a dozen good-sized stingers and Anton Stenzenberger, Rudolph Spiegel, Charles Kreutzfeldt and Mat Menzenbach were others who squirmed under the verbal lash. A German paper distributed about contained knocks for nearly every member of the society.

In the set programme, the feature was a one act comedy, "The School," in which the parts were taken by Otto Keller, as teacher, and Bernard Baumann, Charles Sturzinger and Herman Caspar, scholars. Songs were given by Paul Nachtway, Charles Dresselt and Professor Hermann Eichhorn and the Singing Section contributed several appropriate numbers.

Those in charge of the affair were the following: General committee, Otto Keller, chairman; John Retzer, secretary; Fritz Schmidt, Hermann Caspar and Bernard Baumann; refreshments, Anton Stenzenberger, Jacob Schlick and Charles Kreutzfeldt; reception, John Wirth and Henry Bergen.

ENDEAVOR ANNIVERSARY.

Sermon to the Endeavorers of Trinity Reformed Church.

The service at Trinity Reformed church last night marked the twenty-sixth anniversary of the founding of the Christian Endeavor movement. It was largely attended.

Rev. Dr. E. P. Johnson, who has been filling the pulpit since Dr. Schenck's illness, preached a sermon to the Endeavorers, on self-help. He took his text from Timothy 1:4-14, "Neglect not the gift that is in thee." His theme was the sins of neglect.

The music was a special feature of the service. E. D. Young played a cornet solo. Horace J. Martin led the singing.

Wilson's Pal Disappears.

The pal of James Wilson or William Walters, the bicycle thief, who was taken to Somerville hospital after falling from a train at Bound Brook two weeks ago, has disappeared from the ken of the police. He was discharged last Wednesday, before Chief Kiely could make inquiries about him. If he is the crook the police think him he will cover his trail carefully.

College Women to Meet.

Those interested in the formation of a Woman's College Club in this city will meet at the home of the Misses Goddard on East Ninth street, tomorrow afternoon at 3:15. A general invitation is extended to all college women who have been in college at least one year. At the meeting tomorrow the organization will be completed and officers elected.

City Court Cases.

John Mottley, a laborer, arrested for drunkenness, was released under suspended sentence. Peter Quinn, sixty years old, arrested for the same offense, was fined $3 or 10 days. He is an old offender.

Engagement Announced.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Vreeland, of Prospect street, East Orange, announce the engagement of their daughter, Margaret Louise, to Chauncey B. Koons, of Sandford avenue, this city.

—The annual meeting of the Plainfield Exchange for Woman's Work will be held in Grace church Guild Room, tomorrow (Tuesday) morning, February 5, at 11 a. m. The public is cordially invited to attend. ***

CHOKED BY BIG THIEF

Royle Phillips Has an Encounter With a Muscular Crook.

TOSSED UNDER THE BED

Interrupted Nervy Criminal at Work in His Room—Intruder Escaped After Sqeezing Young Man's Wind Out.

Leaving a family circle that was seated before the fire in the dining room listening to a phonograph, Royle T. Phillips, son of Percy F. Phillips, of Madison avenue, went upstairs at 10 o'clock last night to change his coat. When he stepped into his bedroom a big man sprang on him from the darkness, and clutched him by the throat. The man threw him down, shook him to emphasize his helplessness, and flung him under the bed. Then the big man ran out through double doors that lead to a balcony above the Phillips' porch.

Phillips got his wind and yelled as the man disappeared. His father and a younger brother, Kenneth, came up on the run. They found Royle, with his collar torn off, slowly readjusting himself to normal conditions. His appearance indicated that the intruder had choked half the wind out of him.

No sign of the big man was to be seen outside, but two small dogs in the kitchen, which lies near one of the posts of the porch, started barking wildly just as Mr. Phillips and Kenneth reached the bedroom, and it is deduced that Royle's assailant escaped down that post.

Two gold stickpins and a gold collar button went with the big man. There was no sign of forcible entrance anywhere, and it is supposed the crook slipped in through the front door. Royle's room lies directly at the head of the stairs. The shades of the dining room were up, and it is supposed the man saw the family listening to the phonograph, decided that everybody was downstairs listening to it, and seized the chance for sneak-work that presented itself.

Royle Phillips could not describe the thief, except as a big man. The room was pitch dark, although the thief had opportunity to prepare for Phillips' coming by the aid of a light in the hall, and things happened too quickly to enable the young man to get any kind of a look at his assailant. Royle said he started to call as soon as the man grasped him, but the family heard nothing until the cry that brought Mr. Phillips and Kenneth. It is believed the crook had so tight a grip on the young man's throat the latter couldn't cry out until the grasp was released. There is no doubt that the chief was pretty big. Royle is an athlete and an ex-quarterback of note, and the way in which the crook shook him and threw him around indicates that the thief is a well set-up citizen.

The police were notified by telephone right after the accurrence, and an investigation was begun. The officers found the usual dearth of clues. What they did find was ground for wonderment over the house the crook picked out. The family is a large one, and an ordinary crook would never expect to find clear sailing for sneak-work between suppertime and bedtime. There are no less than eight dogs on the place.

Martin Ptaschinski's Funeral.

The funeral services of Martin Ptaschinski, who died on Thursday, were held yesterday afternoon from the late home on Duer street. Rev. Mr. Schneegas, pastor of the German Reformed church, officiated. There was a large attendance of relatives and friends. The interment was in the Plainfield avenue cemetery and the pall bearers were Frank Schaffer, a son-in-law; Bodi and Otto Ptaschinski, grandchildren; Oscar and George Smith and Otto Hanel. Mr. Ptaschinski was born in Germany in 1824, and in 1848 fought in the Revolution War in Germany. He came to America in 1882 and was a resident of the borough the rest of his life. He leaves a wife, four daughters, one son, seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Shepard—Kay.

Invitations have been sent out by Mr. and Mrs. James Murray Kay to the marriage of their daughter, Miss Winifred Prentiss, to Rurtherford Mead Shepard, on Saturday, February 23, at the Arlington Street church, Boston, Mass. Mr. Shepard is a son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Shepard, of "The Gables," Fanwood.

Harris—Solleder.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob John Solleder, of 38 Montgomery street, Jersey City, announce the engagement of their daughter, Elizabeth Edythe Solleder, to Stanley C. Harris, of West Front street, this city.

—Van Arsdale's mid-winter sale of shoes begins today. ***

DRYDEN WITHDRAWS FROM SENATORIAL FIGHT

Formal Announcement Came Yesterday With Illness Ascribed as Cause of His Action.

BRIGGS OR STOKES?

If Republican Legislators Agree on His Name, State Treasurer Will Accept the Place.

John F. Dryden has announced his withdrawal from the contest to succeed himself in the United States Senate, and at a caucus of the Republican members of the Legislature to be conducted tonight, State Treasurer Frank O. Briggs, of Trenton, will, in all probability, be decided upon as his successor.

The legislators will resume balloting for United States Senator tomorrow, and it is expected that Mr. Briggs will be elected before the joint session adjourns for the day.

Ill health is given as the reason for Mr. Dryden's withdrawal. He is suffering from a nervous collapse at his Washington home, which was brought on by the strenuous campaign he has waged for re-election. His condition, while not regarded as critical, is such as to preclude the possibility of his appearing before the members of the Legislature today as was planned, but the statement which he was to have made to the legislators, giving the reasons why he believed he should be re-elected, will be issued at a later date.

The formal announcement of Mr. Dryden's retirement came in the form of telegrams to several of the Republican legislators yesterday afternoon. They were signed by Colonel Anthony R. Kuser, son-in-law of the Senator, who made the announcement on the authority of Mr. Dryden.

Assemblyman Alfred N. Barber, who, with Senator Frelinghuysen, of Somerset, has been leading the fight for Mr. Dryden, received a telegram from Dr. Edward J. Ill and Dr. Chas. L. Ill, both of Newark, who were summoned to the Senator's bedside when he was stricken Saturday morning, telling of Mr. Dryden's illness, and of the fact that he would be unable to be in Trenton today. The telegram read: "The condition of Senator John F. Dryden's health is such, on account of the long and severe strain under which he has been, that we, as his physicians, advised him that it is of imperative importance that he should not attend the proposed conference Monday."

The earlier telegram announcing Mr. Dryden's withdrawal, follows:

"Senator Dryden's physicians have imperatively enjoined him attending proposed conference Monday. He has, therefore, decided to withdraw as a candidate for United States Senator, and will later give out the statement he desired to make Monday."

The proposed meeting of today was arranged at the earnest solicitation of Senator Dryden, who had hoped at this meeting to be able to convince the eight Republican legislators who have refused to vote for him, on the ground that their constituents opposed his candidacy, that their opposition to him is based on mistaken ideas.

This determined opposition had prevented Mr. Dryden's re-election, and had resulted in a deadlock covering a period of two weeks during which time five ballots had been taken.

The anti-Drydenites had declared their intention of holding out against the candidacy of the Newarker until "the crack of the doom," as one of them put it, and it is exceedingly doubtful whether Mr. Dryden's arguments would have had the effect he desired.

Having no reason to anticipate that these legislators would change their attitude in the near future and feeling constrained to heed the imperative injunction of his physicians, Mr. Dryden, therefore, decided to withdraw and thus end a fight which has shaken the party organization to its very foundations.

While it is likely that at tonight's caucus of the Republican members to nominate Senator Dryden's successor there will develop a sharp contest, Mr. Briggs is regarded as the strongest candidate in the field. It is understood on the very best authority that Mr. Dryden will throw all of his strength to the State Treasurer on account of the unequivocal stand Mr. Briggs has assumed throughout the Senatorial contest. Mr. Briggs has been repeatedly advanced as a compromise candidate, but he frowned

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MONROE AVE. CHURCH BEGINS ANNIVERSARY

SERVICES TO CELEBRATE COMPLETION OF TENTH YEAR STARTED YESTERDAY.

Services in celebration of the tenth anniversary of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church were begun yesterday, under the direction of the pastor, Rev. E. E. Roberson, and will be continued every night this week, except Saturday night, concluding next Sunday with special services. The morning and evening services yesterday were very largely attended and full of interest.

The feature of the morning services was the roll-call of members by the secretary of the Board of Stewards, N. Mansfield Smith, and a short historical sketch of the membership by the pastor. There were 126 responses to the roll-call, including ten probationers. About 250 persons attended this service.

Mr. Roberson stated that there were 102 charter members and during the past ten years 336 persons joined the church and ninety-eight members died or were dismissed. The present membership is 248, besides probationers.

In the evening Mr. Roberson preached the opening sermon of the anniversary, on the topic "What Is the Church?" His first thought was that the church is composed of persons called out of fellowship of the world; secondly that the church is the bride of Christ; thirdly that Christ is the head of the church; fourthly, that the church is God's hand reached out to touch the world savingly and lastly that the true church includes the whole body of believers of every denomination. Under these various sub-divisions Mr. Roberson gave a strong and impressive exposition of the meaning of each and he held the close attention of all throughout his discourse.

The discourse was a fitting one in opening the anniversary services and gives promise of much during the coming week.

The pastor did not touch on the historical side of the church, its organization and growth in detail for the reason that next Sunday, N. Mansfield Smith will read such a sketch, prepared by him, which will cover every phase of the church history. A feature of last night's service was the special music by the choir.

Tonight there will be a reunion and fellowship service. All the former pastors are expected to be present and take part. Other ministers of the city have also been invited to attend. A social hour will follow the service.

YE OLDE CHOIR.

It Will Sing at Hope Chapel Under Judge Runyon.

The revival of social activity among the young men of the Hope chapel Y. M. A. will be marked on the evening of February 22 by an entertainment on the old scale. As has even been characteristic of Y. M. A. affairs, novelty will be in the ascendant.

The entertainment is to include the appearance of "ye olde village choir." Judge Runyon will be the choirmaster, and the members expect him to get more out of the choir than any other choirmaster ever dreamed of finding in his choristers. Choirmaster and singers will be in costume.

Fine Production is Promised.

There will be two rehearsals for "The Chimes of Normandy," at the Casino, this week, by the Plainfield Operatic Association in preparation for its first performance this season on Thursday night. One rehearsal will be held tonight and one tomorrow night, when the entire opera will be rehearsed throughout. The sale of seats for the production is most gratifying and judging by the work of the members of the association the opera will be the best and most satisfactory ever given by amateurs under local patronage. The soloists have been carefully selected, as has also the chorus of sixty voices and everything points to a successful event. William Holmes, director, will be in charge, assisted by an orchestra of thirteen pieces.

"Where Art Thou?"

Rev. E. E. Roberson began his month's series of talks at the Y. M. C. A. meetings yesterday afternoon. He spoke on "The First Question God Ever Asked a Man," which was "Where Art Thou?"—asked by God of Adam after the apple episode. Mr. Roberson asked his hearers to apply it to themselves; to discover whether they were with the saved or the unsaved. The musical feature of the meeting was a clarinet solo by Walter Sampson.

—Van Arsdale's annual clear up sale of shoes begins today. ***

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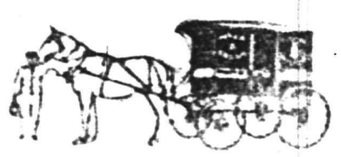

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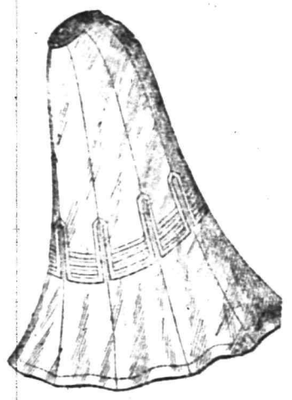

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

The work of filling the two icehouses near the Back Pond will be finished this week. The new house is already filled with a good quality of ice about nine inches thick. The local consumers need have no fear of an ice famine this summer.

Warren MacCauley took an involuntary swim Saturday while cutting ice at the Back Pond. A large cake which was being cut, broke and threw MacCauley into the water. He was fished out with ice hooks none the worse for his bath.

Rev. Frank Fletcher, of New Market, occupied the pulpit at the Baptist church yesterday morning on account of the illness of Rev. T. Moore-Smith. No evening preaching service was held.

Samuel Johanson has returned from a stay of several weeks in Chicago, where he has been erecting two printing presses for the Walter Scott Co., of Plainfield.

Rev. Mr. Hudson, a class mate of Rev. A. H. Cook at Drew Seminary, occupied the pulpit at both services at the Methodist church yesterday.

The monthly observance of the Lord's Supper was observed at the Baptist church at the close of the morning service yesterday.

The newly organized Port Watch Society held an interesting meeting yesterday afternoon in the parlors of the Baptist church.

John E. Flannery, of Plainfield, spent Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. George H. Johnston, of Westfield avenue.

The weekly gathering of the Epworth League was held last night in the class rooms of the Methodist church.

Rev. T. Moore-Smith has been confined to his bed for several days suffering from a severe attack of the grip.

Miss Josephine Ingram has returned from a visit over Sunday at her home in Trenton.

Miss Agnes Hogan spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Elizabeth.

WHITEHOUSE.

A horse driven by Leon Gillespie, who was accompanied by Clarence Belton and Willard Rinehart, ran away a few days ago at Peapack. The sled struck a tree and was badly broken. The animal ran home. The occupants of the sled were thrown out, and Clarence Belton has been confined to his home since, as a result of his injuries.

Mrs. Benjamin Van Doren, Jr., and Miss Stoner, of New York, and Miss Mabel Gettier, of Littlestown, Pa., are spending a few days at the home of Benjamin Van Doren, Sr., at New Germantown.

The Ladies' Aid Society connected with the Reformed church, in Whitehouse, will be entertained next Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. J. Runkle Alpaugh, at Whitehouse Station.

Miss Bertha Rockafellar, of Round Valley, has returned from Brooklyn, where she went to attend the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Withers.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius T. Voorhees, of Whitehouse Station, have been visiting Mrs. Voorhees' mother, Mrs. Elmira Shafer, in Round Valley.

Mrs. George W. Shampanore, of Whitehouse Station, has been entertaining Mrs. Vietta Riddle, of Washington, Warren county.

Mrs. McCaughy, of Geneseo, N. Y., has been a guest of her son, Charles McCaughy, at Gladstone.

BOUND BROOK.

Charles Garretson, of Millstone, dropped dead on the street at Finderne Thursday afternoon. Heart disease was given as the cause of death. Mr. Garretson, who was fifty-five years old, was on his way to Bound Brook to see his wife, who was visiting relatives here, when stricken.

George N. Garehart, who had been spending several months with relatives in Germany, has returned to his home in East Millstone.

Moritz Karff, of East Millstone, is spending some time traveling through the Southern and Western States.

Mrs. M. S. Close, of Bound Brook, has been visiting relatives in Somerville for several days.

SOMERVILLE.

The trustees of the Mt. Horeb Methodist church have elected the following officers: President, William H. Vactoe; secretary, M. F. Coddington; treasurer, E. E. Pope.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Gaston entertained the Evening Euchre Club Friday evening at their home on West Cliff street.

Miss Mary Taylor, of West End avenue, is a guest of Mrs. William Chandler, of Nyack, N. Y.

Miss Mayme Stryker is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Luther Stryker at Millstone.

Mrs. Irving N. Woodruff, of Newark, is a guest here of Mrs. A. S. Amerman.

Miss Emma B. Smith, of New York, is the guest of Mrs. Lewis C. Mack.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Bartine are spending some time in Jacksonville, Fla.

Miss Martha Quick, of Newark, has been visiting Mrs. C. S. Gernert.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

It was reported here yesterday by railroaders that the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company will, in a few days, issue orders directing every employe in the operating departments and upon the trains to take the pledge of total abstinence, and keep it in force so long as they are employed on the road.

The regular Tuesday evening prayer meeting will be held tomorrow evening at the Baptist church. The subject will be from the twenty-fifth Psalm. The meeting will be led by the pastor.

The Young People's Social Club will hold a social at the Baptist church in the near future for the benefit of the Christian Endeavor Society.

The people of the village are quite certain of a borough in the spring. The indications point to it and the citizens were never more hopeful.

The Misses Edna and Nellie Van Nest entertained relatives at their home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Geary are rejoicing over the birth of a baby girl.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

The schools will be on exhibition Friday, which has been named as visitors' day. There will be no special exercises, the classes working on as usual so parents and friends may see just how the pupils gather knowledge.

A State institute for farmers will be held at New Market tomorrow, in Friendship Hall. There will be sessions morning, afternoon and night.

The school library will be open to the public every Thursday night from 7 to 9 o'clock.

Mrs. John Shafer has been suffering from neuralgia for several days.

Mrs. A. G. Nelson was a sufferer from bronchial ills last week.

Miss Julia Kirby has been suffering from whooping cough.

George Jenner has recovered from an attack of the grip.

John Thornton has been visiting relatives in Caldwell.

Mrs. Valentine Kirby has been ill for several days.

The Borough Council will meet tonight.

Frank Smith has returned to New York.

Mrs. Jane Apgar is very ill.

CENTRAL'S LONG BRANCH LINE.

Two Additional Track Plans Through Elizabeth and the Port.

Elizabeth, Feb. 4.—It was learned today that the Jersey Central has during the past year been quietly purchasing land adjoining its Long Branch division, on the south side at Elizabeth, and has acquired possession of all but three tracts of land bordering on the railroad. These are the properties of Captain Thomas H. Benton, William Seland and the coal yard of Neureiter & Horre. The latter extends one block from East Jersey to Fulton street. Negotiations are in progress for the purchase of these tracts, and the Central will have a clear right of way on which to construct two additional tracks for its Long Branch division. Whether this line will then be elevated through Elizabethport is a matter for the railroad company and the Elizabeth authorities to settle upon; if the city has its way the railroad tracks will be elevated when the four-track road of the Long Branch division is completed through Elizabethport.

The Central, it is said, will build two handsome brick and stone stations, one on its main line, where the present Elizabethport station now stands, and the other at the intersection of Elizabeth avenue and the Long Branch line. The price which the Central paid for the New Point Hotel, at Elizabethport, which has recently been acquired by it, is alleged to be $25,000.

ELIZABETH OIL FIRE CAUSES LOSS OF $30,000.

Blaze in Storage Sheds of Bayway Refining Company Gives Firemen All Night Fight.

Elizabeth, Feb. 4.—Fire started Friday night in a big wooden storage shed on the plant of the Bayway Oil Refining Company, at South Front street, Elizabethport. The shed was filled with cases of oil, which burned fiercely. The flames spread to adjoining sheds, which also contained oil, and at one time the fire threatened the destruction of the entire plant.

A second alarm was sounded, bringing to the scene most of the Elizabeth Fire Department. The blaze raged all night, and Saturday morning was still burning. The loss will be about $30,000, so Superintendent Wall, of the concern, says. At a fire there last year a loss of $58,000 was caused. The wharf of the company ignited several times Friday night, but was saved by the fireboats Erie and Hudson. Chief Gerstiener, of the Elizabeth department, says if it had not been for the efficient work of these vessels the pier could not have been saved, as the Elizabeth firemen did not have hose enough to reach it.

The origin of the fire is unknown, but the blaze is supposed to be caused by spontaneous combustion. The loss is fully covered by insurance.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

Three new members were received by letter at the communion service in the First Baptist church, yesterday morning.

The Boys' Athletic League will hold a meeting in the Sunday-school room of the First Baptist church Friday night at 7:30 o'clock.

An entertainment will be held at Bethel chapel Friday night, February 22, when the programme will consist of a Victor talking-machine concert.

Joseph Lorrain, entertainer and mimic, will appear at the meeting of the Men's Club of the Congregational church, tomorrow night. Refreshments will be served.

A Mother Goose Bazaar will be held at Grace M. E. church on Thursday and Friday nights, February 21 and 22, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society.

In the absence of Howard Case, the regular organist at the First Baptist church, who is at Atlantic City, W. A. Conger, of Faith chapel, took his place at the services yesterday.

Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis, editor of the Sabbath Recorder, will occupy the pulpit at the Seventh-Day Baptist church Saturday morning, in the absence of the pastor, Rev. G. B. Shaw.

Dr. Charles E. Moldenke will give an illustrated lecture at St. Peter's German Lutheran church, Grove street, Wednesday night, February 27, on the subject "Up the River Nile."

In connection with the illustrated lecture to be given at the First Baptist church, Monday night, February 11, by Dr. Corbusier, there will be a number of selections on the Victor talking-machine.

The fifteenth anniversary of the founding of Grace M. E. church will be observed on Sunday, when the pastor, Rev. Dr. C. W. Parsons, will preach a special sermon and there will be a fine programme of music.

In making your dates just remember the annual turkey supper to be given at Trinity Reformed church Thursday and Friday nights, under the auspices of the Ladies' Christian Work Society. Arrangements have been completed to serve a fine supper and besides Kenneth Stuart's orchestra will furnish music both evenings.

Mrs. John Manley, of Park avenue, will sing at the thirty-first anniversary services of the West Side Noonday Prayer Meeting, 281 Greenwich street, New York, to be celebrated Wednesday afternoon from 12 to 1:30 o'clock. Rev. Dr. James M. Farrar, of Brooklyn, will make the address. Mrs. Manley was organist at this mission for ten years prior to moving to this city.

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will meet in the lecture room of the church tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. The devotional exercises, "Jezebel, or Power of Wife's Influence," will be conducted by Miss M. B. Pearce. Miss G. S. Whitney will read a paper on "Samoa, Tonga and Micronesia," and Miss Ella Serrell will present the paper on current events.

PERSONAL.

Miss Jessie Winters, of Trenton, has been spending a few days with friends here.

Mrs. Edward C. Morse, of Jackson avenue, is kept at home with an attack of the grip.

Councilman and Mrs. George P. Mellick, of East Seventh street, are home from their southern trip.

Miss Louise Racine, of Brooklyn, who has been visiting relatives at Watchung, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lewis, of New York, have returned home after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sokol, of Duer street.

Mrs. Joseph A. Blatz, of Somerset street, who has been detained at home with an attack of the grip, has practically recovered.

John H. Snyder, of Manning avenue, who has been detained at his home for several weeks by illness, is able to be out again.

Mrs. G. H. Capjerton, of Fire Creek, Va., is spending a few days with her parents, Rev. Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Chambliss, of Central avenue.

William Mack, who has been confined to his home on West Front street for a number of weeks by illness, is now much improved and hopes to go out soon.

Annual Meeting of P. C. C.

The annual meeting of the Plainfield Country Club will be held tomorrow night at the Casino, for the election of trustees and action upon two amendments to the constitution. Plans for the coming year will be discussed.

—The Plainfield Board of Health will hold its February meeting tomorrow afternoon.

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LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

One of the characters in "When Women Love," the new successful heart interest melodrama, to be seen at the New Plainfield theatre tonight and tomorrow night, is a young factory boy who is, as he expresses it, "stuck" on a girl whose sole desire is to go on the stage. The controversies between them and their plans for the factory girl who is the heroine, are refreshingly bright bits of comedy.

A clever bit of comedy character acting is done by J. McIntosh Todd, a "Gent of the Road," who has a part in "As Told in the Hills," which will come to the New Plainfield theatre Friday night. In addition to being entirely new in plot and development as well as characters, the play is one of the strongest from a dramatic standpoint that has been produced this season. The original company will be seen in the production. The play is artistically staged, special attention having been given to the details of the scenery showing the Indian fight on the prairie and scenes on the Arkansas farm with its picturesque rural surroundings that are in keeping with the general tone of the play.

A story of man's cirrelty and woman's suffering is graphically told in Spencer and Aborn's splendid emotional drama, "A Wife's Secret," which comes to the New Plainfield theatre next Saturday afternoon and night. It concerns a young wife, whose husband, believing the tongue of malicious scandal against her, turns her from his door without a chance to explain, and dispel his suspicions. Her subsequent trials and persecutions, and her ultimate victory against fearful odds, with many exciting events of thrilling interest, form a most absorbing and soul-stirring story. Contemporary press comments pronounce the production a most elaborate and complete one, and the company of the highest standing. The cast is headed by Miss Grace Hopkins, the well known emotional actress, as the young wife, and it is said to be one of the best roles she has ever played.

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Robert L. Cline, formerly of the firm of Rugg & Cline, coal dealers, of 430 West Third street, is delivering first-class Lehigh coal, all sizes. The coal Mr. Cline sells is well screened and protected from snow and rain by good sheds.

As this is the season for all kinds of ills and pains the need of the best drugs and medicines is apparent. L. W. Randolph, the West Front street druggist, can supply you with the best in this line as well as in toilet articles, Huyler's confections and prescription work.

Frank Siddall, Soap Man, Dead.

Philadelphia, Feb. 4.—Frank Siddall, whose progressive advertising methods gave him wide prominence as a soap manufacturer a quarter of a century ago, died Friday at his residence, Williams Park, near Wycombe, Bucks county. Up until three days ago he was attending to business in his office here. He was 70 years old. His widow and son, Frank Siddall, Jr., survive him. Mr. Siddall, as a chemist, discovered a system of treating laundry soap, which required no boiling in its use. He electrified the advertising world by using full newspaper pages in extolling its merits, considered a daring expenditure of money in the days of the early eighties. He coined the phrase: "Don't be a clam," and was the pioneer in illustrated advertising. Siddall started in business at 119 Market street. Later he had an office adjoining the Chestnut Street Opera House, elaborately furnished with plush upholstering. There he would demonstrate in person, by chewing his soap, to prove that it contained no injurious chemicals. He would go through the same performance in Turkish bath houses, which he daily frequented.

Justices of the Peace Subpoenaed.

New Brunswick, Feb. 4.—Subpoenas are being served upon every justice of the peace in Middlesex county commanding them to appear before the Grand Jury with their civil and criminal dockets from January 1, 1904, to date. The Grand Jury is conducting a wholesale investigation of alleged abuses of power by justices of the peace and alleged combinations between squires and constables for multiplying fees which are divided between the constables and squire interested.

—The February meeting of the Common Council will be held tonight, when a number of important matters will be considered.

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Bed Spring with iron frame, neatly bronzed,, woven wire fabric top with three double cable supports, strongly made, regular value **3.50**

Pair of Pillows—Size 22x28, covered with best quality of ticking, filled with good quality of feathers, regular value of pair **3.00**

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CAPTAIN JOHN BELLIS DEAD.

Aged Hunterdon County Postmaster Passes Away at Flemington.

Flemington, Feb. 24.—Captain John Bellis, one of the oldest residents of this section of Hunterdon county, passed away at the home of his son, Wilmer Bellis, in Park avenue, Thursday. He had been ill one week from ailments due to advanced age. Captain Bellis retired a few years ago from an eventful career. He conducted a mercantile business for fifty-one years and officiated as postmaster for forty-seven years. He was born in Alexandria Township January 8, 1828, and spent his entire lifetime in Hunterdon county.

Captain Bellis left the farm when twenty-four years old and received his first appointment as postmaster in 1856, during the Presidency of Franklin Pierce. He was postmaster at Locktown for eight years and then removed to Barbartown, where he established a postoffice in 1864. During 1865 President Lincoln appointed him postmaster in Kingwood. From that time until about four years ago he acted as the village store-keeper of Kingwood and was postmaster under all the administrations, resigning the office when he removed to Flemington to end his days. His successor was William S. Carver.

When Captain Bellis first received his appointment as postmaster the mail route originated at Trenton and terminated at Bloomsbury. One trip was made each week. In 1858 a uniformed military company was organized at Locktown, with Mr. Bellis as captain. The company disbanded at the beginning of the Civil War and nearly all the members joined the Union army. Captain Bellis was then commissioned as enrolling officer for Delaware Township and during the war enrolled 600 men. He was a member of the Milford Christian church for more than half a century. The funeral services were held at the home of his son yesterday morning.

Complimented J. P. Morgan.

Alexander Gilbert, of this city, who is president of a clearing house in New York, paid a compliment to J. P. Morgan at a dinner in the city, last week, that was appreciated by the great financier. Mr. Gilbert alluded to the fact that he and Mr. Morgan had entered into business the same year, 1864, but that Mr. Morgan had distanced him in the race, and Mr. Morgan smiled at the compliment.

—The newly-elected directors of the Watchung Silk Company will meet at the mill on Chatham street, this afternoon to effect on organization. The old officers will probably be re-elected.

SMOKED CIGARETTE WHEN ARRAIGNED IN COURT

MONCHALANT CONDUCT OF "RED TOBIN," THE YOUNG DESPERADO.

Eugene T. Tobin, better known as "Red" Tobin, the Westfield boy desperado, who attacked Charles L. Dean, of this city, the night ticket agent of the Central Railroad, at the Westfield station, Thursday morning, with a view of robbing the ticket office of between $2,000 and $3,000, and who was overpowered by Dean and handed over to the police, was arraigned Saturday before Judge W. B. Toucey and was committed to the county jail to await the action of the Grand Jury.

Tobin remained in a cell at police headquarters until 4 o'clock in the afternoon. In the meantime, Detective Gaffney, of the Central Railroad, got complete details of the assault from Dean. Officer Martin Canfield, who arrested Tobin, led the youthful desperado from his cell. Tobin approached the rail with a cigarette in his mouth.

"Throw that cigarette away," shouted Police Justice W. B. Toucey.

"All right," replied Tobin, as he walked to the other side of the room and deposited the cigarette in the stove. Officer Canfield followed the prisoner closely, fearing he was looking for a chance to escape.

The court then read the charge, saying: "Eugene T. Tobin, you are charged by Charles L. Dean with assault and attempt at robbery." Tobin immediately pleaded not guilty and asked for bail.

Judge Toucey stated that the offense was too serious for bail.

"All right," said Tobin. "I will get it when I reach Elizabeth."

Detective Gaffney stated that he was not ready to proceed with the case at present. The court set Wednesday, February 13, at 2 p. m. as the time for the hearing. Tobin reached the county jail shortly before 6 p. m.

Tobin's past record is a bad one. Several years ago he figured in a highway robbery at Garwood, and he and his partner, named Hann, were sent to the State Reformatory. Tobin's parole expired last May. Tobin and Hann laid in wait for Alfred Woidt, a grocer, of Garwood, and, after striking him over the head, rifled his pockets of a large sum of money. Woidt was unconscious for nearly a half an hour, and still carries a big blue mark on his forehead from the effects of the blow. The borough of Garwood offered a reward of $100 for the arrest of Mr. Woidt's assailants.

Tobin and Hann were found in New York by a Garwood boy. The two had with them a Newark girl, say the police. The Garwood youth went to New York and lived with the trio and enticed Tobin and Hann back to Westfield by planning a highway robbery. Isaac Lambert, a distiller, was to have been their victim. Hann was left at Garwood to await the return of his companions with the spoils. He was arrested while waiting and Tobin was found hiding in the barns at the rear of the Westfield Hotel, which he expected Lambert to pass. When taken into custody at that time Tobin had a long piece of iron pipe, upon the end of which was a bilt. This was the weapon to be used on Lambert.

A MAN DOES NOT ADMIRE

A self-opinionated girl. Not that he objects to the opinion exactly, but the ideal woman must at least be willing to be converted when her error is shown her.

A cold girl, or one whose manners give the impression of coldness—for in nine cases out of ten it is merely a manner. Sometimes it arises simply from shyness, sometimes from a too whole-hearted desire to be coy. The most beautiful face ceases to be attractive to the would-be lover when he begins to suspect its owner has little else to bestow.

A girl who is the least bit rapid in her manner of speech. He may talk to her, flirt with her perhaps, but in his heart he dislikes her.

An untidy girl. The girl whose buttons are forever coming off, whose hair is always ill-dressed and who habitually wears a half-finished air never finds favor in his sight. A dainty freshness possesses a potent charm for the masculine beholder. He cares little that the gown may be of the year-before-last's fashion, so that it fits perfectly, and all the little details of the toilet, especially boots and gloves, be above reproach.

An affecting girl—the girl who is forever pretending to be something she is not. Such a transparent pretense as it invariably is, too, deceives no one.

Scented Stamps.

It is a pretty conceit to scent one's postage stamps. This may be done in an easy way by keeping them in a teakwood box. There are many pretty little boxes of this kind made to hold postage stamps, and it is astonishing how they absorb the dainty odors. Sweet-grass is more odorous than teakwood, yet if one is unable to procure either, the paper packages of wood sachets sold for ten cents will provide not only the stamps but the writing paper with a delightful odor.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Case, of Craig place, have gone to Atlantic City, where Mr. Case will recuperate from an attack of the grip.

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DRYDEN'S WITHDRAWAL.

To Dryden, the politically dead, let us wish peace. His passing was nobler than his struggle, tenacious as that seemed to be.

His withdrawal looks like the biggest thing he has ever done since his mistaken entrance into a field of activity wherein there was no aching void yearning for him alone. It was the act of a man unselfishly devoted to his party. From what an outsider has to judge by, one can only conclude that Senator Dryden made up his mind to efface himself when he realized fully that the objection to his re-election, whatever its merits, was strong within the ranks of the party, and of a character to threaten the party structure in the event of his success.

Say what they may of Senator Dryden, he has undoubtedly given much in time, money and care to the Republican party. Such things are accountable in political rewards, and it is no small thing to Senator Dryden's credit that he has waived all claims in the face of the party crisis.

Senator Dryden's withdrawal may strengthen the party as much as his success would have weakened it. If the Senator chosen is a man free from the taint of corporation and ring, the popular reaction in favor of the Republican party—the party strong enough to purge itself—will kill every chance of Democratic success at the next election.

Having spoken well of the dead, let us hail the living. Senator Ackerman's unshaken, single-minded stand for what his consituents desired deserves commendation as strongly phrased as language permits. He acted as the voters of this county wished him to act, and if any politician, big or little, has any thoughts of "killing" him for the stand he took, that politician had best move cautiously. It is apt to be death to touch a true servant of the people.

BRIDGE OVER NEWARK BAY.

Bayonne Board of Trade Again Revives the Project.

The Bayonne Board of Trade will revive tonight the project to have a bridge built across Newark Bay, between Bayonne and Elizabeth. The Hudson and Union county Assemblymen have come out in favor of the project and Assemblyman Valentine Holzapfel, of Bayonne, is having a bill drafted authorizing the two counties to construct the span.

The project has been started several times and three years ago Congressman Allen Benny got a bill through the House, but it was killed in the Senate. One of the most ardent supporters of the project is Recorder Hyman Lazarus, president of the Bayonne Board of Trade. He said yesterday:

"The benefits that would follow the linking of Bayonne and Elizabeth would be vast to not only these two cities, but other sections in the two counties."

Scurry for a Minister.

A misunderstanding between the deacons resulted in a half-hour's delay in the service at the Baptist church of New Market yesterday morning. Each of the deacons thought the other had arranged for a pulpit supply, and when the congregation gathered there was no minister to conduct the service. The deacons discovered their mutual mistake a few minutes afterwards and repaired it by calling in Rev. H. N. Jordan, minister of the New Market Seventh-Day Baptist church. The congregation sang hymns while the deacons were getting the minister.

—The Storks defeated the Crows in the Y. M. C. A. Bible class basketball league, Saturday afternoon.

—Miss Lena Schurman, of Duer street, has resigned her position as an operator at the local telephone exchange.

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Wings and Flies

By Tom Muir.

Rowland Edwards, son of Maze Edwards, is winning new laurels in the dramatic field as a leading member of Mary Mannering's company in "Glorious Betsy." The production is soon to be seen at a Broadway playhouse and will afford Mr. Edwards' local friends an opportunity of witnessing his work.

For the Washington's Birthday attraction at the New Plainfield theatre Manager Counihan has secured the original company playing "The Daughters of Men," Charles Klein's new drama which recently closed a long engagement at the Astor theatre. The cast includes Miss Dorothy Donnolly, who was seen in Plainfield last season with John Drew.

The annual benefit for Treasurer Sam Cunningham, of the New Plainfield theatre, will take place on February 28, matinee and night. The old reliable laugh-provoker, "Happy Hooligan," will hold the boards.

The largest painted drop curtain in the world is now being painted at the New York Hippodrome by Arthur Voegtlin, the scenic artist of the big playhouse. This curtain is a circular one, designed to take the place of the red ovel curtain which hangs in front of the arena. It measures 166 feet long and is 40 feet high, and Mr. Voegtlin and his assistants have been obliged to paint over 7,000 square feet of surface. The design of the curtain is an imitation of old tapestry and is entitled "A Roman Garden." It is painted on heavy Russian linen and is lined throughout with felt. It weighs approximately one ton. Owing to the extreme length of the curtain, extending entirely around the Hippodrome stage, it has been divided in sections, showing various scenes from a Roman garden.

Manager William A. Brady, who is directing the professional fortunes of Wilton Lackaye, is arranging for revivals of "A New Way to Pay Old Debts," "Jack Cade" and Salvini's version of "The Outlaw," in which Mr. Lackaye will enact the leading roles.

Eugene Cowles, the well known basso, who was seen in this city last season in "The Rose of the Alhambra," has been engaged by Manager Daniel V. Arthur to support Marie Cahill in musical comedy.

New York is to have a new theatre, which will be called the Booth, and will be the metropolitan theatrical home of E. H. Sothern and Julia Marlowe. It will be built by Meyer R. Bimberg on the north side of Forty-sixth street, near Broadway. Bimberg built the recently constructed Astor theatre at Broadway and Forty-fifth street.

PASTOR SCORES CIGARETTE SMOKING BY BOYS.

The Rev. Father Hall Explains to Parents Failure of Children to Make Honor Roll.

The Rev. Father James J. Hall, rector of the Church of Our Lady of Sorrows, South Orange, speaking from his pulpit yesterday, severely condemned cigarette smoking by boys and young men. Father Hall's strictures on the evil came at the close of his sermon, when he was announcing the honor roll of pupils in his parochial school.

This list, which is announced from the pulpit by Father Hall every Sunday, includes the names of the pupils in the school who have achieved good marks in studies and deportment during the week, and after he had read it the priest remarked that it was likely some parents of children who stood well in their studies would be surprised that their children were not named on the honor roll. He said he would be glad to give reasons for this to any parents who inquired of him, and then added that cigarettes were at the bottom of many of the cases.

"No boys have any business to smoke," declared Father Hall, who then said he did not promise to go into the general question of the propriety of smoking except as applied to the young. "This smoking of cigarettes stunts the mind and prevents the natural development of the body, and parents should make every effort to stop the practice among their children."

Marlborough Case Settled.

Paris, Feb. 4.—There will be no more heard about the Marlborough case and the matter will not come into the law courts. By an amicable arrangement it has been settled that the Duchess shall have the care of both boys, Lord Blandford and Lord Ivor Spencer Churchill for six months in the year, the Duke having them the other six. Under the new arrangement the Duke will receive £20,000 a year and the Duchess a similar sum from the latter's father. It is also stated that the Duke is not to call at Sunderland House or "molest" the Duchess in any way.

Dies of Exposure In Street.

New York, Feb. 4.—Poorly dressed, an unidentified man about fifty years old died on the stoop of No. 187 Greenwich street yesterday morning, apparently of cold and exposure. In his pockets were an old nickel watch, eight cents and a collar button.

BUTTERICK PATTERNS.

Annual Sale of White Goods

The announcement of this event is always welcomed by the women of Plainfield, and there's reason for it, for nowhere in the state of New Jersey will you find a larger or better or more carefully selected stock of everything that's new and desirable. Our Mr. Williams, who has charge of this department, is a veteran at the business and knows it from A to Z. Couple these facts with our immense purchasing facilities, which include buying for our Lakewood, Atlantic City and Plainfield stores, and you will readily see why the announcement of these sales are so enthusiastically received. We invite special attention to the following items:

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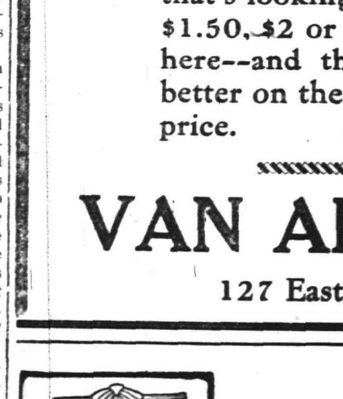

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9463	Good-a-Bye John! (Song)	*Collins and Harlan*
9464	Fancy Little Nancy (Song)	*Ada Jones*
9465	Regimental Pride March	*Edison Military Band*
9466	Uncle Josh in a Chinese Laundry	*Andrew Kats*
9467	Looking This Way (Sacred)	*Miss Hinkle and Miss Keys*
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9469	Little Nell (Bells)	*Albert Benzler*
9470	Night Time (Song)	*J. W. Myers*
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9475	Cherry Hill Jerry (Vaudeville)	*Ada Jones and Len Spencer*
9476	Somebody's Waiting for You (Song)	*Harry Anthony*
9477	Ave Maria ('cello)	*Hans Kronold*
9478	Because You're You (Song)	*Miss Hinkle and Mr. MacDonough*
9479	I'm Going Right Back to Chicago (Song)	*Arthur Collins*
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FUNERAL PROCESSION REVEALS SAD STORY.

Two Little Hoboken Girls Die Within One Hour—Six Others of Family Critically Ill.

Hoboken, Feb. 4.—A pitiful story was revealed here Saturday when a single hearse, in which were two little white coffins, with but one coach following it, was seen going through the street. The coffins contained the bodies of Anna and Julia Heimann, two and five years old respectively, the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Heimann, of 407 Grand street.

The two little girls died within one hour of each other last night. The cause of death was diphtheria, and in the home where live the Heimann family, which consists of the father, mother and nine children, the father and five of the children are critically ill of the same disease.

The mother and the two boys, Herman and William, who are the only ones well in the family, left the bedside only long enough to see the caskets placed in the one grave and then returned to keep their vigil over the ill ones at home.

JAIL FOR KICKING POLICEMAN.

Hoboken Recorder Censures "Rich Man's Son," for Asking Mercy.

Emanuel Rodriguez, of Boonton, was arraigned before Recorder Stanton in Hoboken Saturday for assaulting a special policeman, Romeo Scott, of the Lackawanna railroad, on Wednesday night. Rodriguez was drunk. Scott tried to help him to board a train, but he kicked the officer.

Rodriguez walked jauntily into court and smilingly shook hands with his counsel, but the smile left his face when he was compelled to stand in line with the other prisoners, most of whom had been arrested for drunkenness. Rodriguez said that Scott several times had been kind to him, assisting him to his train.

Rodriguez's lawyer wanted him let off with a fine. He said he was a member of a wealthy family and would apologize.

"I wish it plainly understood that the plea for sympathy which I have just heard has no influence with me," said Recorder Stanton. "It is high time that rich men's sons were given a lesson to prove to them that they have no more right than a poor man's son to disobey the laws. What right have you to assault an officer, even though you may be drunk at the time? The testimony has proved that you have no principle. I now sentence you to thirty days in the penitentiary, and will also hold you in bonds of $1,000 to await the action of the Grand Jury on a charge of atrocious assault and battery."

Men Fall Into Boiling Water.

New York, Feb. 4.—Passing each other on a plank over a tank of boiling water in the Pennsylvania Railroad power house in Long Island City last night, two men fell into the tank and were scalded so severely that both will die. They are John Waddington, thirty-nine years old, engineer, living in No. 393 Lenox avenue, New York, and Patrick Manning, twenty-eight, laborer, of No. 192 Greenpoint avenue, Brooklyn. Other men in the power house, hearing their screams, fished them out and they were taken to St. John's Hospital by Dr. Gallivan. No one saw them fall and how they came to do so is merely a matter of conjecture, as the victims have been unconscious since the occurrence.

Frozen to Death at Home.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Feb. 4.—Miss Emma K. Livingston, fifty years old, and two children were found frozen to death yesterday afternoon in a tenement here. A third child was found in an adjoining room, badly frozen, but alive. Miss Jennie Livingston called to pay a visit and found her sister and one child dead in bed, one child dead on the floor, and the third child nearly dead in the adjoining room. None of the family had been seen since Thursday, when two of the children attended school. The children lived with Miss Livingston, who was their aunt. It is supposed that after they retired on Thursday night they became partially asphyxiated by coal gas, and, the fire dying out, they were frozen.

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It Might Pay Now to Look Up Those Old Whalebone Ribbed Umbrellas.

"I see by the papers," said Mr. Grillfinby, "that the last quotation for whalebone in England was £1,750, or, say, about $8,750 a ton, making whalebone worth now somewhere in the neighborhood of $4.50 a pound—a pretty costly commodity.

"I can remember the time when whalebone was cheap, very cheap; when we used to burn whale oil in lamps and use whalebone for umbrella ribs. Those old-time whalebone ribbed umbrellas were not much like the present steel ribbed close rollers.

"No. They were of the bulgy out sort of gingham umbrellas that you see now sometimes reproduced after a fashion on the comic stage, but which are now never actually used by anybody, though once they were used by everybody, umbrellas with whalebone ribs. And what I was going to say was this:

"People are out all the time looking through the country for old furniture, quaint old colonial, and that sort of stuff. Why couldn't we hunt up those umbrellas—there must be millions of them lying around in country garrets—why couldn't we look up those old whalebone ribbed gingham umbrellas, for the whalebone there is in them? Don't you think there may be an idea here for making money.

IN A MODERN HAREM.

Circassian Slaves Now Wear Copies of Paris Fashions.

Less picturesque than the description in Pierre Loti's "Disenchanted" was my reception in the harem of Bosma Hanum, the wife of a close relative of the throne, says a writer in the Boston Globe.

I was assisted out of my carriage by a gaunt eunuch in a black frock coat and red fez, who gave me the shivers as he clutched my arm with his sable paw.

Inside the hall I was met by a crowd of female slaves, who helped me to remove my wraps. They varied in age from 15 to 40; some of them were negresses, but the majority were Circassians.

The latter are supposed to be the most beautiful of all Turkish women, on which account the slaves of the sultan are always selected from among them; but in this instance I looked in vain for any trace of good looks, and, indeed, could hardly help smiling at the comic effect they produced, dressed up to the nines in the latest Paris fashions, executed by local dressmakers.

Misleads Horse Buyer.

"Deacon" Snow, who recently died in Provincetown at a good old age, was one of the shrewdest horse traders on the cape. He once had a horse which showed a rooted aversion to covering more than three miles an hour.

A customer who liked the appearance of the animal had about concluded to purchase, and asked if he was a good traveler. The "deacon," assuming a confidential tone, said: "Mr. Jones, you'll certainly be pleased to see that horse go."

The bargain was made and the new owner drove away. The next morning bright and early he appeared on the scene in a great rage. "See her," he cried, addressing the "deacon." "I thought you told me this horse was a great traveler?"

"Never said nuthin' of the kind," was the quiet reply.

"What in thunderation did you say, then?"

"I said you'd certainly be pleased to see that horse go, and so would any one else, I guess, that owned him."

Sent Out by Express.

A few years ago a banquet was given the delegates to the convention which had that day nominated Hon. Otis M. Gove, of Waltham, Mass., for the state senate.

Several of the delegation had spoken in very flattering terms of the nominee, of his native city and its famous watch industries, whose products were so well known everywhere.

The last speaker, ex-Mayor Baxter, of Medford, began by saying: "Gentlemen, we have listened to the glowing accounts of the industries of Waltham, whose products are so well known everywhere. But don't forget that Medford also has industries of her own, the products of which I venture to say are as well known to the good people of Waltham as those of her own beloved city."

The Number of Our Hairs.

According to a well known medical authority fair-haired people possess commonly between 140,000 and 150,000 hairs on the scalp, the number being about the same for man and woman. Dark haired people have, on an average, about 105,000, while red haired people are said to have only 30,000. But the last apparently possesses one great advantage in the fact that they retain their hair better, seldom becoming bald. Their hair is much coarser than that of dark or fair haired persons.

Easy Matter.

Why do women always manage to have the last word?" asked the man of petty considerations.

"Possibly," answered his satirical spouse, "because men insist on yelling at baseball games and elections, until their voices are useless."

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PLENTY OF ICE, BUT NO CARS TO CARRY IT.

That Is the Cry From One Section But Railroad Hasn't the Cars Needed.

The situation with the ice harvesters in that section of Pennsylvania through which the Lehigh Valley operates is somewhat paradoxical. It is learned from a representative of the railroad company that the producers now have the finest harvest of their experience, but cannot get it to the great storehouses in the metropolitan centres.

The Bear Creek Ice Company has announced that it has placed an order with the Lehigh Valley Railroad for 150 cars and the use of three engines daily and were advised that the best that could be done was to send twenty-five box cars per day, with the use of one engine. The railroad company also announces that two points where ice was transported from the ice fields for 55 cents per ton the cost now would be 80 cents. There are other companies too in the Bear Creek region who have fine ice for sale and can get no cars to carry it to market. Such is the present day car shortage situation.

$125,000 BLAZE IN TRENTON.

Imperial Porcelain Works Destroyed Firemen in Peril.

Trenton, Feb. 4.—The large Imperial Porcelain Works were destroyed by a fire which started at 3 o'clock Sunday morning, and continued until late in the afternoon, causing $125,000 loss and throwing 160 operatives out of work. Heroic efforts were made by the entire fire department of the city to save the plant, but without avail. A number of firemen narrowly escaped death from falling walls. The work of the fire fighters was greatly retarded by frozen fire hydrants and a high wind.

It is supposed that the fire started from an overheated klin. The watchman did not discover the blaze until it had gained considerable headway.

The company consists of Frederick A. Duggan and V. B. Dinsmore. It is one of the biggest electrical porcelain specialty concerns in the country. The plant will be rebuilt at once.

Auto Line to Boynton Beach.

H. E. Pendleton, R. L. Bracher and W. A. Reason have incorporated as the Roosevelt Auto Company, of Roosevelt, Union county, this State, for the purpose of dealing in automobiles and auto accessories, in connection with their garage and repair shop, which is located on Rahway avenue, that place, the company will operate the new motor transportation line between Rahway and Boynton Beach. The company has purchased the three buses formerly owned and operated by the East Jersey Motor and Transportation Company, and is fitting them up for service, commencing about the middle of February. The line will be operated on a regular schedule, and will give quick transportation to the Boynton Beach pleasure grounds.

German Socialists Lose.

Berlin, Feb. 4.—There were twelve second ballots Saturday. The socialists lost three seats and even one of their best leaders, Herr von Elm. Their prospects, however, have slightly improved, the centre having in Southern Germany openly proclaimed its support. The centre in Silesia will support the conservatives against the liberals. These latter will vote against the socialists, even for conservatives, despite the warning of the Frankfurter Zeitung and other liberal papers, who repeat the German saying that only the most stupid calves select their own butchers.

Stood Hours In Cistern.

Bloomington, Ill., Feb. 4.—Mrs. Henry Walters, of No. 404 East Stewart street, yesterday plunged into the cistern into which her baby had fallen and rescued the child. She then stood in water up to her chin for several hours holding the little one above the water. Mother and child were finally rescued by neighbors who happened to go to the Walters home. Mrs. Walters, while in the cistern, kept calling for help, but until the neighbors came along by accident there was no one near except another child of hers, which was too small to render aid.

Two Hats a Year Enough.

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 4.—Representative Norfleet, of Morgan county, says he will introduce in the Legislature a bill "to prohibit any woman from purchasing more than two hats during any one calendar year, to regulate the price to be paid for such hats, and to prevent the wearing of any plumage thereon." The first provision of the bill reads: "Hereafter it shall be unlawful for any woman, either married or single, to purchase for herself, or to receive or in any way procure for her use and benefit, more than two hats, each to cost not more than $1.98, oftener than every twelve months."

Suicide at Bridal Door.

New York, Feb. 4.—Directly in front of the door of an apartment at No. 183 Amsterdam avenue, where a hundred or more persons had gathered to attend a wedding, Ulderic Hugron, thirty-five years old, of No. 221 South Main street, Waterbury, Conn., committed suicide last night by shooting himself in the mouth. Although the bride and many of the guests became hysterical immediately following the tragedy the ceremony took place about an hour afterward and the bride and bridegroom left on a wedding tour.

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DIED.

RAFFERTY—On Saturday, February 2, 1907, Thomas A. Rafferty, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Rafferty, 22 Sandford avenue.

Funeral at home, Tuesday, February 5, at 8:30 a. m., St. Mary's church 9 a. m.

Classified Advertisements

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Help Wanted.

WANTED—Experienced laundress for two days a week. Apply 704 West Seventh St.

WANTED—Two good white girls, cook and laundress; reference. Address Box 40, care Press. 2 4 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Call 113 Park place, corner Mercer avenue. 2 4 3

Help Wanted.

GIRLS wanted. Apply Watchung Silk Co., North Plainfield. 2 4 3

WANTED — Experienced cook, white; reference required. Apply 1060 Central Ave. 2 4 tf

WANTED—Nursemaid. Apply 129 Grove St. 2 4 3

WANTED—Young girl or woman for general housework. Call at 112 Westervelt avenue, North Plainfield.

WANTED—White girl for general housework; no washing. Call afternoons, 955 West Sixth St. 1 24 tf

WANTED—A colored girl as chambermaid; reference required. 721 Watchung Ave.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. 678 West Seventh street. 2 4 tf

MACHINISTS—First class vise, lathe and boring mill hands wanted at the Watson Stillman Co., Aldene, N. J. 2 4 12

WANTED—White woman as laundress and chambermaid; reference required. Laundress, care Press. 2 1 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework; white preferred; no washing. Apply 829 Park avenue. 2 2 3

WANTED—Two foundry helpers. Aluminum Press Co. 1 31 tf

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at once at Mrs. Keller's Intelligence Office, 22 Somerset place. 12 29 tf

GIRL wanted to cook, wash and iron; references required. Apply 526 West Seventh St. 1 29 tf

WANTED—A nurse. 915 Hillside avenue. 1 26 tf

GIRL wanted to assist at housework. 129 Grove street, corner Park place. 1 30 tf

WANTED—Good cook, white; references. Call 441 West 8th street. 1 4 tf

WANTED — General housework girls. Mrs. Day's Intelligence Office, South Plainfield, N. J. 12 12 tf

For Rent.

TO RENT—House of 11 rooms and bath, on West Front street. Apply 422 West Front street. 2 1 3

FOR RENT—From April 1st, 8-room house, with barn; all improvements; fine location. Address A. E. M., care Press. 2 1 tf

TO RENT—16 acres farm. Address Mrs. William Martin, New Brunswick Road, city. 1 30 6

TO LET—Offices in City Bank building now occupied by Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. Apply to S. J. Robertson, room 6. 2 2 3

TO LET—Large, new store, No 407 Watchung avenue. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin building. 9 24 tf

DENTIST office, heat, telephone, light, water, door attendance. 178 East Front street. 1 11 tf

TO LET—A number of small houses, $10 to $25 per month. M. F. Gano, 221 Park Ave. 12 22 tf

Wanted—Miscellaneous.

WANTED—House, 5 to 7 rooms, with improvements; in location convenient to trolley, by April 1. Address Small Family, care Press office. 2 4 2 m w

WANTED—House 8 rooms, all improvements; convenient to North Avenue or Grant Avenue stations; cash price $4,000 to $4,500. Address F. P. K., care Daily Press. 2 4 6

WANTED—$150 on first class chattel mortgage. Address A. B. C., care Press. 2 1 3

WILL care for good horse for the winter for use of same. Address Good Care, care Press. 10 6 tf

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Chickens and Eggs.

WANTED—At once, several brooding hens. Address Rufus Delafield, South Plainfield. 2 4 3

FOR SALE—One white and one brown Wyandotte rooster. 223 Somerset street. 2 4 3

FOR SALE—One Cyphers incubator and three out-door brooders practically new. Address G. G., care Press. 2 2 tf

BLACK ORPINGTON COCKERELS AND PULLETS—A few choice ones for sale; fine shape and color; good enough to show; brothers to first prize winners at the late large shows; write for prices; eggs $5 per setting. Oak Tree Poultry and Game Farm, Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J. 1 21 tf

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COLORED woman wants two unfurnished rooms. Martha A. Jones, 418 West Fourth St. 1 31 6

WANTED—Position as housekeeper by refined young woman, thoroughly competent to manage. Address Housekeeper, care Press. 2 4 3

WOMAN wants any kind of work; will take washing home; good references. 924 West Third St. 2 4 3

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—All the ladies of Plainfield to give their maids a night off, February 11; take your family to dine on the men at Holy Cross Parish House, Monday evening, February 11; tickets one dollar.

I WRITE insurance of all kind. Lemuel A. Tunison, Mt. Horeb, P. O., Martinville, N. J. 2 2 12

MRS. BONY — High-class dressmaking; French models; fine work remodeling; moderate prices. 12 Stone St., North Plainfield. 1 24 1m

ALL MY stock of sleighs will be reduced at half price; several second hand coupe rockaways. W. J. Conroy, 175-177 Somerset St. 1 17 tf

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GENERAL typewriting and stenographer. Call at 33 Somerset street, N. Plainfield. A. G. Daudt. 2 2 1m

FREE! FREE! Six fine square pianos, for cost of tuning and carting only; great chance for beginners and others. Call at once, Hadley's piano salesrooms, 315 West Front St. 23 tf

DEAD animals removed. Ruckman Brothers, 204 Plainfield avenue, 'phone 415-L. 8 28 6m

P. F. LATOURETTE, auctioneer; sales promptly attended to; satisfaction guaranteed. 326 West Front St. 2 10 tf

BEFORE selling your furniture see Latourette, 326 West Front St. tf

A REFINED messeuse would like few ladies to treat at their homes. Address Mrs. Ashley, 1326 Park avenue, 'phone 538-J. 1 8 1m

PAINTING and paperhanging, 1907 patterns; estimates furnished. Francis Bartels, Watchung, N. J. 1 14 1m

AUTOMOBILES sold by us guaranteed right; we thoroughly overhaul every machine before selling, and still sell way below market prices; we only buy and sell late model slightly used cars of the kind we know give satisfaction; investigate before buying. Thompson Auto Co., 315 West Front. 1 12 1m

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BABIES crochet sacques for sale; all prices; also ladies' knitted sweaters made to order. Mrs. Mayer, 54 Pearl street, North Plainfield. tf

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MONEY to loan on mortgage; five per cent. Louis A. Clement, lawyer, Babcock building. 2 4 6

TO LOAN on bond and mortgage, $3,000, also $2,500, on satisfactory risks. J. F. MacDonald, 149 North avenue. 1 31 tf

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MONEY to loan at 5 per cent. on first mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot. tf

TO LOAN—Money on first mortgages at 5 per cent. V. W. Nash, Jr., 221 Park avenue. 6 22 tf

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REAL ESTATE for sale, rent and exchange at bargain figures; insurance in strong companies at lowest rates; money to loan at five per cent. Thickstun & Emmons, 197 North avenue. 9 28 tf

FOR SALE—House and lot on Webster place, near Watchung avenue; fine location; 8 rooms; all improvements. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

FOR SALE—White Rock and White Leghorn Cockerels; also Pekin ducks. Netherwood farm, Mountain avenue. 1 30 6

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FOR SALE—Coal and lumber business, grocery, butcher, livery, trucking, automobile garage; all kinds of business bargains. Ira L. LaRue, next to station, next to bargain. 31 tf

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FOR SALE—At one-half cost, 5-horse Westinghouse compound engine (Junior) in good condition; cost $250; our price $125. Call at Daily Press office.

Lost and Found.

LOST—Pair trousers, between Fourth and Fifth streets, on Watchung avenue; $10 reward; no questions asked. Return to Leslie M. Cobbs, 146 East Fifth St. 2 4 3

FOUND—On Park avenue, gray Tam-o-shanter. Owner may have same by paying for advertisement at 602 Crescent Ave.

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OVER THE TEA CUPS.

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It isn't what a girl does for a living that makes the difference; it's what she is and how she conducts herself. If a girl is the right sort, she can walk through the world without meeting temptation, and she can be as good as gold, every minute of the time.

On the other hand, the girl who is always looking for adventure could be shut up in a cloister from her infancy, yet she would find temptation in some way, even if she had to break down the heavy doors of the building to find it.

It is a mistaken idea that high-strung, emotional women are the ones who succumb to the temper, but that is hardly so; it is rather the silly, empty-headed girl, whose bump of vanity is more largely developed than her good sense. This type of girl is not one whit more immune from temptation in the office or salesroom, or even in her own home, than she would be in a position that would keep her in the limelight of the public stage.

If there is any one thing more than another that girls should avoid, it is the use of slang. It is a common thing to hear really cultured girls, of wide intelect and good education, inject into their conversation, slang phrases that girls with less advantages would scorn to use. Somewhere, someone has said that the girls in the humbler walks of life, girls who are employed in stores and factories, cannot engage in ordinary conversation without using slang to a marked degree. While this may be said of some, it must be admitted with credit to the majority of working girls that the rule does not apply to them any more than to the class of young women known as ladies of leisure.

Because a girl has education and social position she has no more right to use slang than her less fortunate sister, who is more apt to be criticized. It should be avoided in all cases.

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Some men think housework is done by magic. It was not at this house. The man went to work and the wife dressed three children for school, gave them breakfast, washed the wishes, made the beds, cleaned the windows, fed the canary bird and cat, finished the ironing, prepared luncheon for the family, scrubbed the front porch, sewed on an apron. The children came home, ate luncheon, and had to be washed a second time.

After this noonday repast the woman cleaned chickens for dinner, made a sponge cake, put a new binding on the dress she had been wearing for fifteen years, and set sponge to make bread the next day, cleaned the silver spoons, made a guimpe for the oldest girl's dress, and was making the gravy for supper when the man came in and said:

"Good gracious, isn't supper ready yet? What have you been doing all day?" She was too tired to tell him, so she just scraped the gravy into the bowl and called the unruly brood to dinner.

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It is not too early to begin making some of the little hearts which you will use in February when you have your yearly feast for the little god of Love and your numerous friends. The paper hearts are sold, and candy ones are not all you desire, and you haven't the least talent in the world for painting them for place cards. Well, here is a new idea. Get your cards. You want right good sized ones, then cut out little white pasteboard hearts, dip them in melted paraffine which is made blood red with cochineal in the mixture. Lift out the little wax hearts and arrange in artistic style on the place cards. You can embellish the plates and many of the dishes in this manner. It is a very easy manner to scrape them off the dishes after the frolic is over.

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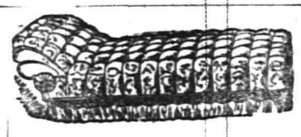

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A Heartless Jury.
Bob Smalls, the white man who was sentenced to be hung at Darlington today, has had his sentence commuted to life imprisonment. The jury that tried him done him great injustice—he was poor, ignorant, a stranger, and, with all, was drunk.—Bennettsville (S. C.) Democrat.

Can Sit Up and Taste.
Austin Brothers reached the seventy-first milestone in his life last Saturday. He is still hale and hearty and still has an old-time relish for the feast usually provided for such occasions.—Carrollton (O.) Chronicle.

Homecoming of Horace Littlejohn.
We are glad to see our popular druggist, Mr. Horace Littlejohn, back at his place of business, after his recent illness. His appearance at present, though, seems quite lengthy and strung-out, but we hope to soon see him as rotund and healthy looking as a washtub.—Leesburg (Va.) Mirror.

Light for the Dominie.
The W. C. T. U. ladies went to Ludlow last Friday with a liberal donation for the minister. They presented him with a copy and a year's subscription to their national paper, the Union Signal.—Carrollton (Mo.) Republican-Record.

Result of Water in Kansas.
Fellows over south who came so near drying up and blowing away early in the season are coming in on the home stretch, having gotten a good rain Thursday afternoon.—Valley Falls (Kan.) New Era.

CARE OF THE HANDS.

Few hands are perfectly formed, yet the greatest change can be made if the nails are given proper attention. Soft nails are not so easily cared for as the thick white ones, and it is going to take time and patience to make beautiful the thin, ugly-shaped nails which break so easily. The hands should be washed in hot soap suds, holding the hands in the water until the skin is soft around the nails and can be pushed back with the paddle-end of the orange stick. When cleaning the underside of the nails, cover the tip of the orange stick with a soft handkerchief, and dip the point in lemon juice or some good nail bleach. Do not use paste on the nails, but scrub them thoroughly with hand sapollo and rub with the nail polisher until they are sufficiently glossy. This is the simple method of caring for the hands. If the nails are very brittle, do not try to give them the oval curve on the top; it is only an aggravation, for they are certain to creak, and the short round effect is more pleasing than long broken nails.

THE USE OF LACES.

The craze for laces invades every field. It is an adorable dress accessory, and women cling lovingly to the pretty trimmings. For a time lace was colored to match certain gowns. This was not popular, since anything but the standard colors, white, black and cream, was considered just a trifle superfluous in the eyes of the modistes after a short reign of colored or dipped laces.

A very handsome piece of lace shows a touch of hand-painting, so daintily and faintly blended over the flower designs in the lace as to give it the appearance of net over satin blossoms. When the work is carefully done the effect is very artistic, yet should not be carried to the extreme in decorative effect, or it will meet a similar fate as did the dipped laces.

Lace and chiffon will ever be popular, for nothing so far has been able to supplant the two articles which, when combined as a dress trimming, give lovely results.

Bigamist Gets Three Years.

Jersey City, Feb. 4.—Edward Snyder, the young man who elected to go to trial on a charge of bigamy but later refused, when he saw both wives in court, to call witnesses or testify himself, was sentenced by Judge John A. Blair, in the Court of Generals Sessions Friday afternoon, to three years in State prison.

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CHAPTER I.

The Will of John Marshall Glenarm.

Pickering's letter bringing news of my grandfather's death found me at Naples early in October. John Marshall Glenarm had died in June, leaving a will which gave me his property conditionally. Pickering wrote, and it was necessary for me to return immediately to qualify as legatee. It was by the merest luck that the letter came to my hands at all, for it had been sent to Constantinople, in care of the consul-general instead of my banker there, and it was not Pickering's fault that the consul was a friend of mine who kept track of my wanderings and was able to hurry the executor's letter after me to Italy, where I had gone to meet an English financier who had, I was advised, unlimited money to spend on African railways. I am an engineer, a graduate of an American institution familiarly known as "The Tech," and as my funds were running low I naturally turned to my profession for employment.

But this letter changed my plans, and the following day I cabled Pickering of my departure and was outward bound on a steamer for New York. Fourteen days later I sat in Pickering's office in the Alexis Building and listened intently while he read, with much ponderous emphasis, the provisions of my grandfather's will. When he concluded I laughed. Pickering was a serious man, and I was glad to see that my levity pained him. I had, for that matter, always been a source of annoyance to him, and his look of distrust and rebuke did not trouble me in the least.

I reached across the table for the paper, and he gave the sealed and beribboned copy of John Marshall Glenarm's will into my hands. I read it through for myself, feeling conscious meanwhile that Pickering's cool gaze was bent inquiringly upon me. These are the paragraphs that interested me most:

"I give and devise unto my said grandson, John Glenarm, sometime a resident of the city and state of New York, and later a vagabond of parts unknown, a certain property known as Glenarm House, with the lands and hereditaments thereunto pertaining and hereinafter more particularly described, and all personal effects, goods and other property that may be located in the premises and on the land herein described,—the said realty lying in the county of Wabana in the state of Indiana,—upon this condition, faithfully and honestly performed:

"That said John Glenarm shall remain an occupant of said Glenarm House and of my lands appurtenant thereto, demeaning himself meanwhile in an orderly and temperate manner. Should he fail at any time during said year to comply with this provision, said property shall at once revert to my general estate, shall become, without reservation and without necessity for any process of law, the property, absolutely, of Marian Devereux, of the county and state of New York."

"Well," he demanded, striking his hands upon the arms of his chair, "what do you think of it?"

For the life of me I could not help laughing again. There was, in the first place, a delicious irony in the fact that I should learn through him of my grandfather's wishes with respect to myself. Pickering and I had grown up in the same town in Vermont; we had attended the same preparatory school, but there had been from boyhood a certain antagonism between us. He had always succeeded where I failed, which is to say, I must admit, that he had succeeded pretty frequently. When I refused to settle down to my profession, but chose to see something of the world first, Pickering gave himself seriously to the law, and there was, I knew from the beginning, no manner of chance that he would fail.

I am not more or less than human, and I remembered with joy that once I had thrashed him soundly at the prep school for bullying a smaller boy, but our score from school days was not without tallies on his side. He was easily the better scholar—I grant him that; and he was shrewd and plausible. You never quite knew the extent of his powers and resources, and he had, I always mantained, the most amazing good luck,—as witness the fact that John Marshall Glenarm had taken a friendly interest in him. It was wholly like my grandfather, who was a man of many whims, to give his affairs into Pickering's keeping; and I could not complain, for I had missed my own chance with him. It was, I knew readily enough, part of my punishment for having succeeded so signally in incurring my grandfather's displeasure that he had made it necessary for me to treat with Arthur Pickering in this matter of the will; and Pickering was enjoying the situation to the full.

But there was something not wholly honest in my mirth, for my conduct during the three preceding years had been reprehensible. I had used my grandfather shabbily. My parents died when I was a child, and he had cared for me as far back as my memory ran. He had suffered me to spend the fortune left by my father without restraint; he had expected much of me, and I had grievously disappointed him. It was his hope that I should devote myself to architecture, a profession for which he had the greatest admiration, whereas I had insisted on engineering.

I am not writing an apology for my life, and I shall not attempt to extenuate my conduct in going abroad at the end of my course at Tech and, making Laurance Donovan's acquaintance, setting off with him on a career of adventure. I do not regret, though possibly it would be more to my credit if I did, the months spent in leisurely following the Danube east of the Iron Gate—Laurance Donovan always with me, while we urged the villagers and inn-loafers to all manner of sedition, acquitting ourselves so well that, when we came out into the Black sea for further pleasure, Russia did us the honor to keep a spy at our heels. I should like, for my own satisfaction, at least, to set down an account of certain affairs in which we were concerned at Belgrad, but without Larry's consent I am not at liberty to do so. Nor shall I take time here to describe our travels in Africa, though our study of the Atlas mountain dwarfs won us honorable mention by the British Ethnological Society.

These were my yesterdays; but today I sat in Arthur Pickering's office in the towering Alexis Building, conscious of the muffled roar of Broadway, discussing the terms of my grandfather Glenarm's will with a man whom I disliked as heartily as it is safe for one man to dislike another. Pickering had asked me a question, and I was suddenly aware that his eyes were fixed upon me and that he awaited my answer.

"What do I think of it?" I repeated. "I don't know that it makes any difference what I think, but I'll tell you, if you want to know, that I call it infamous, outrageous, that a man should leave a ridiculous will of that sort behind him. All the old money-bags who pile up fortunes magnify the importance of their money. They imagine that every kindness, every ordinary courtesy shown them, is merely a bid for a slice of the cake. I'm disappointed in my grandfather. He was a splendid old man, though God knows he had his queer ways. I'll bet a thousand dollars, if I have so much money in the world, that this scheme is yours, Pickering, and not his. It smacks of your ancient vindictiveness, and John Marshall Glenarm had none of that in his blood. That stipulation about my residence out there is fantastic. I don't have to be a lawyer to know

"Well, What Do You Think of It?"

that; and no doubt I could break the will; I've a good notion to try it, anyhow."

"To be sure. You can tie up the estate for a half dozen years if you like," he replied coolly. He did not look upon me as likely to become a formidable litigant. My staying qualities had been proved weak long ago, as Pickering knew well enough.

"No doubt you would like that," I answered. "But I'm not going to give you the pleasure. I abide by the terms of the will. My grandfather was a fine old gentleman. I shan't drag his name through the courts,—not even to please you, Arthur Pickering." I declared hotly.

"The sentiment is worthy of a good man, Glenarm," he rejoined.

"But this woman who is to succeed to my rights,—I don't seem to remember her."

"It is not surprising that you never heard of her."

"Then she's not a connection of the family,—no long-lost cousin whom I ought to remember?"

"No; she was a late acquaintance of your grandfather. He met her through an old friend of his,—Miss Evans, known as Sister Theresa. Miss Devereux is Sister Theresa's niece."

I whistled. I had a dim recollection that during my grandfather's long widowerhood there were occasional reports that he was about to marry. The name of Miss Evans had been mentioned in this connection. I had heard it spoken of in my family, and not, I remembered, with much kindness. Later I heard of her joining a Sisterhood, and opening a school somewhere in the West.

"And Miss Devereux,—is she an elderly nun, too?"

"I don't know how elderly she is, but she isn't a nun at present. Still, she's very much alone in the world, and she and Sister Theresa are very intimate."

"Pass the will again, Pickering, while I make sure I grasp these diverting ideas. Sister Theresa isn't the one I mustn't marry is she? It's the other ecclesiastical embroidery artist,—the one with the "x" in her name, suggesting the algebra of my vanishing youth."

I read aloud this paragraph:

"Provided, further, that in event said John Glenarm aforesaid shall marry the said Marian Devereux, or in the event of any promise or contract of marriage between said persons within five years from the date of said John Glenarm's acceptance of the provisions of this will, the whole estate shall become the property absolutely of St. Agatha's School, at Annandale, Wabana county, Indiana, a corporation under the laws of said state."

"For a touch of comedy commend me to my grandfather! Pickering, you always were a well-meaning fellow,—I'll turn over to you all my right, interest and title in and to these angelic Sisters. Marry! I like the idea! I suppose some one will try to marry me for my money. Marriage, Pickering, is not embraced in my scheme of life!"

"I should hardly call you a marrying man," he observed.

"Perfectly right, my friend! Sister Theresa was considered a possible match for my grandfather in my youth. I'm quite out of it with her. And the other lady with the fascinating algebraic climax to her name,—she, too, is impossible; it seems that I can't get the money by marrying her. I'd better let her take it. She's as poor as the devil, I dare say."

"I imagine not. The Evanses are a wealthy family, in spots, and she ought to have some money of her own, if her aunt doesn't coax it out of her for educational schemes."

"And where on the map are these lovely creatures to be found?"

"Sister Theresa's school adjoins your preserve; Miss Devereux has, I think, some of your own weakness for travel. Sister Theresa is her nearest relative, and she occasionally visits St. Agatha's—that's the school."

"I suppose they embroider altar-cloths together and otherwise labor valiantly to bring confusion upon satan and his cohorts. Just the people to pull the wool over the eyes of my grandfather!"

Pickering smiled at my resentment.

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Bowling and General Sports

TALK OF SECOND LEAGUE

Part of the General "Fanning" as to West End Nines.

A. T. A. B. NINE LIKELY

Would Draw Support of St. Mary's Followers and Lead to Rivalry of the Glad Days of Yore.

Plans have practically been completed for the consolidation of the Suburban baseball nine with the Hope chapel Y. M. A. team, under the latter's name. Most of the Suburbans are chapelites and the transition will seem quite natural to them.

In connection with the strengthening of the Suburbans report of the prospective rising of other new stars among the amateur nines are heard. It is said that the T. A. B. Society, which has revived its youth and has started forth on lines of renewed activity, is planning to put a team in the field. A T. A. B. team will offer a great vista of hot games to the Y. M. A. The following of a T. A. B. team would be largely that of the old St. Mary's team, and the return of the sizzling rivalry of the halcyon days of West End baseball would attend the coming of the new team.

It is a settled thing that the Y. M. A. team will apply for a franchise to the Intercity League. It is pretty nearly as settled a thing that the application will be refused, but the Y. M. A. will go through the motions of knocking at the door and put the whole matter right up to the league. The Y. M. A. supporters appreciate the difficulty under which the league will be regarding the enlargement of membership, but it is felt that the league should have the chance of refusing the team after careful consideration and not on a snap decision. As like as not, the T. A. B. team, if shaped up in time, would also ask for a franchise. If the league had a chance to take in a A. T. B. team and a Y. M. A. team and did it, the "magnates" could be very certain that record-breaking attendance at West End games was assured.

One of the side lines of talk run out from the central batch of gossip deals with the possibility of a second league. Westfield has the making of a team and an ambition to shine in the baseball world, and Somerville yearns a bit that way also. The second league might make as swift a run as could be desired by the teams and their followers, but it is to be confessed by all concerned at this stage that the project is not what might be called exactly well defined.

BOWLING

The Park Club bowling team, which has practically won the championship in the Central Journal Bowling League tournament, will roll the Westfield Club at Westfield on Thursday night.

Montclair Will Meet Plainfield.

The management of the Montclair High School is out early with its schedule of baseball games for the coming season. Captain Wilson has issued a call for the candidates to report a week from today for practice. The school promises to have the strongest team in its history. Games have been scheduled with Plainfield High School, Peddie Institute, DeWitt Clinton, East Orange, Newark Academy, Newark High School, Stevens Prep. The game with Plainfield High School is scheduled to be played in this city May 11.

Victory and Lunch.

The junior basketball five of the Y. M. C. A. defeated the Summit juniors Saturday, 36 to 16, in a hot game. The Summit boys, with Physical Director Frank Marclay, who is an old Plainfielder, were entertained at lunch after the game.

Ten-Year-Old Sent Home.

Arthur Lanning, the wandering ten-year-old from Washington, this State, was sent home Saturday afternoon by the police. He went alone. Right after he started Chief Kiely got a telegram from the boy's father, Stewart Lanning, saying he would come for him. The Chief telegraphed back and caught him before he started for here. No other word has been received from Washington, and the police suppose Arthur got home all right.

Some Tragedy Ahead.

The Lotus Glee Club will appear in the Y. M. C. A. Star Course tomorrow night. "The Tragedy of a Grasshopper" will be sung.

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SOLE INHABITANT OF PLUM ISLAND DROWNED.

Younkins, Frugal Fisherman, Fell Through Ice and Was Swept Under—Lived in a Hut.

The body of Gustave Younkins, the sole resident of Plum Island, in the Shrewsbury River near Highlands, was recovered yesterday. Younkins, who had been engaged in the fishing industry on the Shrewsbury for many years, was drowned on Tuesday night while crossing the ice below the Highlands drawbridge. He was alone when he went through the ice on a thin spot in the channel. He vainly tried to save his life. As fast as he grasped the edge of the ice it gave away, and, with the strong current against him, he had no chance of escape.

The fisherman's cries for help were heard, and Joseph Layton, with others, started with a boat toward the spot; but before they arrived the fisherman had been sucked under the ice and was not afterward seen.

Younkins was forty-five years old and unmarried. He was sober and industrious and from his frugal earnings had saved more than $800, which he had deposited in the Atlantic Highlands National Bank. He lived alone in a hut on Plum Island, which is now without an inhabitant.

HEIGHTS TO BE DEVELOPED.

William Jeffrey to Devote All His Time to Enterprise.

William Jeffery, the well-known real estate broker, has decided to give his entire time to the development of the Berkeley Heights property, and the property of the Berkeley Heights Association in Plainfield. He will retain an office in the Jeffery building on Park avenue, but will probably lease the store on the first floor for a commercial line.

Mr. Jeffery, who altered the building on Park avenue, occupied by him, for his own business, has been engaged in developing land on the Lackawanna Railroad in addition to his Plainfield real estate business. The new ferry service of the Lackawanna Railroad, and the additional improvements which are proposed, together with the McAdoo Tunnel, are creating such a demand for property at Berkeley Heights and the immediate neighborhood, that Mr. Jeffrey has arranged to give all of his time to this enterprise. He is now building a picturesque office building opposite the station at Berkeley Heights and near the bungalow residence that he recently built and the coming season promises to be a busy and successful one.

CHANGE IN BILL.

New Artists Secured For Elks' Vaudeville Benefit.

Because of the artists going on long tours unexpectedly, several changes have been made in the bill for the Elks' vaudeville benefit Wednesday night, but the standard has not been changed any.

Almont and Dumont, high class musical artists, will take the place of the Musical Nosses and Lawrence and Harrington have been substituted for the Fitzgibbon-McCoy Trio. As an added attraction Hansen and Nelson, the clever soubrette team, has been secured.

The programme as now arranged will be one of the best ever seen in the city and the fact that tickets are selling fast for both matinee and night performances shows that local people are aware of its merits.

Accused Man Gets Bail.

Cranford, Feb. 4.—John Staffen, who was charged by Alfred Heitman, a trolley car conductor, with holding him up at the point of a pistol on Tuesday night, and was committed to the county jail in default of $200 bail by Justice of the Peace W. W. Mendell on Thursday, was bailed out by Carl Teichman, a builder. Teichman declares that it is a case of mistaken identity and that he and six others saw the accused man on the night of the holdup at a saengerfest in a Garwood hotel.

Funeral of Miss Morris.

The funeral services of Miss Elizabeth Crary Morris were held this morning at 10:30 o'clock from the residence of her nephew, Edward Morris VanBuren, on Central avenue. There was a large attendance of relatives and friends. Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson, rector of Grace church, of which Miss Morris was a communicant, officiated. The interment was in the family plot in Greenwood cemetery, Brooklyn.

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DRYDEN WITHDRAWERS

(Continued from Page 1.)

upon the use of his name in this connection and declared that he was out for the re-election of Mr. Dryden on the ground that he was the logical candidate, having waged the fight at the primaries and at the general election. It is known, however, that Mr. Dryden's friends have been urging the treasurer to enter the contest since it became apparent that the Prudential's president could not win.

Senator Ackerman's Statement.

In the withdrawal of Senator John F. Dryden as a candidate for re-election, State Senator Ernest R. Ackerman, of this city, and Assemblyman Randolph Perkins, of Westfield, have played a most important part. It was Senator Ackerman, who, closely following the last election, declared his opposition to the re-election of Mr. Dryden and he maintained that position from the first. It was Mr. Ackerman that took the initiative in the matter and the fact that eight other members of the Legislature stood by him, made Mr. Dryden's re-election impossible.

It is also conceded by prominent politicians throughout Union and Essex counties, as well as the State, that the statements made by Senator Ackerman setting forth his reasons for opposing Mr. Dryden, have been largely instrumental in bringing about the withdrawal of Mr. Dryden as a candidate for re-election.

When questioned by a Daily Press reporter concerning Mr. Dryden's withdrawal, Senator Ackerman made the following statement:

"I regret exceedingly to learn of Senator Dryden's illness and trust it is nothing serious. His withdrawal from the Senatorial contest can only be regarded as an act of generosity which will tend to cement and strengthen the Republican party whereby we can present a solid front to our friends the Democrats next fall. I respect his age and accomplishments and I am sure all will unite in giving him credit for trying to serve the State while serving as Senator in Washington.

"John W. Griggs has been my candidate and all should recognize his capacity and commanding intellect. If South Jersey feels that the Senatorship should go there Governor Stokes would be an ideal selection if the legal aspect of his availability were as clearly intrenched in the minds of all the other Republican representatives as it is in my own mind. In any event it seems fitting at this time that a gentleman should be selected who will measure up to the expectations of the people for disinterested Statesmanship."

Union County for Briggs.

Nearly all of the representatives of both branches of the Legislature are now in Trenton and preparing for tonight's session when the question of electing a successor to United States Senator John F. Dryden will be settled.

The concensus of opinion now is that State Treasurer Frank O. Briggs will be the candidate and will be elected unanimously by the Republican members. Union county appears to be solid for him and in fact all seems harmony within the ranks of the G. O. P.

It is expected that when the first ballot is taken tonight the various members will cast a vote for the "favorite sons," and when the second ballot is taken the unanimous vote of the Republican members of the Legislature will be for Briggs. He seems to be acceptable to all and the one most talked about for the place.

If Mr. Briggs is elected United States Senator, that will leave the office of State treasurer vacant. In this event it is expected that Daniel G. Voorhees, of Morristown, will be chosen for the place, in fact he is the only one prominently mentioned for the vacancy should one exist.

THINK HIM A HIGHWAYMAN.

Revolver and Mask on Prisoner—Some Recent Hold-Ups.

Morris Epstein, of No. 86 Columbia street, New York, is a prisoner in the Hackensack jail, on suspicion of being a highwayman. He was first arrested for brutally beating a horse. When searched a revolver and a mask were found on him. The authorities placed his bail at $1,000, so that an investigation could be made.

Epstein says he was sent from New York by Sol Fire, proprietor of a saloon at No. 252 Rivington street, to help in moving Fire's furniture from Ridgefield to Manhattan. This the local authorities think is only a pretext.

George McClennan, a broker, was brutally beaten and robbed by two highwaymen at Ridgefield recently. He failed to identify Epstein in the Hackensack jail yesterday.

May Organize Missionary Society.

An invitation is extended to all young women in the West End, and members of the Hape Chapel Sunday-school, to meet in the chapel tonight for the purpose of discussing the advisability of organizing a Young Ladies' Missionary Society. Mrs. L. R. Howard will be in charge of the meeting.

Eugene O'Reilly, formerly of this city, but now proprietor of the Meeker Inn, at Union, is in town today visiting friends. "Gene" has practically recovered from the knee affection that bothered him for so long and is enjoying good health otherwise.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

Superintendent E. E. Parvin, of Warren chapel Sunday-school, will entertain the teachers and officers of the school at his home Thursday night, February 14.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Park Avenue Baptist church will hold a business meeting and social tonight at the home of the pastor, Rev. A. E. Finn, on East Ninth street.

A valentine social will be held at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Marcus L. Clawson, corner of Fifth street and Park avenue, tomorrow night, under the auspices of the Seventh-Day Baptist Christian Endeavor Society.

"Ye Village Wablers" or "Ye Maidens" and "Ye Skulemaster" will be given Thursday night at St. Stephen's church parish house at 8 o'clock. This will be the last entertainment in the present series by St. Faith's Guild.

The Ladies' Aid Society of St. Peter's German Lutheran church will meet at the home of Mrs. Charles Smith, 51 Craig place, Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The Young People's Society will meet Thursday night at the parsonage, No. 2 Stone street.

The Women's Foreign Missionary Circle of the Park Avenue Baptist church will meet at the home of Mrs. J. Wesley Johnson, on East Seventh street, tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. The programme will be in charge of Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. George E. Hall.

The Christian Endeavor Society of Warren chapel will meet tomorrow night and pack a box of useful articles to be sent to R. D. Schoonmaker, a missionary from the Crescent Avenue church, who is engaged in work among the Mountain Whites of North Carolina.

Under the auspices of the Epworth League of the First M. E. church an indoor picnic will be held in Vincent chapel, Friday night, February 15. The programme will include all the festivities of an outdoor affair. A silver offering will be received for the flower fund of the church.

GAY OFFICER A WINNER.

Father Says Twins Were Captivated By Married Lieutenant.

Somerville, Feb. 4.—Lieutenant Emmet Workman, of Company M, Second Regiment, N. G. N. J., has been arrested by County Detective Totten on a charge of desertion and non-support, preferred by his wife before Justice of the Peace Sutphen. He was held under $700 bail, and, as he was unable to obtain a bondsman, he was locked up. Workman was held in high esteem by the members of his company, and his arrest surprised them.

Nicholas Teeter, a builder, of South Bound Brook, applied for a warrant for the arrest of Workman, who he charged with abducting his twin daughters, Bessie and Alice, aged 17 years. Teeter stated that Workman, who had been parading as a single man in South Bound Brook for the past year, had been paying marked attention to his daughter, Bessie, and had given her many costly presents of jewelry. His daughter, Teeter says, had became infatuated with Workman, and, despite the objection of her parents, had vowed that she would marry the handsome lieutenant when she reached her eighteenth birthday. Teeter says he recently discovered that Workman was a married man and so informed his daughter. His daughter refused to believe this statement. Bessie left her home, and was followed by her twin sister, Alice. The lieutenant's arrest on the desertion charge followed.

POLICE IN A NIGHT RAID.

Reserves Swoop Upon Alleged Disorderly House.

Two excise arrests were made in Jersey City yesterday for violation of the Bishops' law against the selling of liquor on Sunday. The victims were Owen Foley, who has a saloon at No. 371 Johnston avenue, and Henry Behrens, who keeps a place at No. 471 Jackson avenue. Both men were arrested by Patrolman Tulock and both were bailed to appear in the First Criminal Court this morning.

Martin Ormsby, of No. 76 Gregory street, was arrested on a charge of keeping a disorderly house in allowing music without a license. His place was raided late Saturday night by Inspector Monahan and reserves, who also arrested three women found there. The women were also held.

"The Village Choirmaster."

Social activities at Hope chapel will be revived on Washington's Birthday by the presentation of the "The Village Choirmaster," under the auspices of the members of Judge Runyon's Bible class. The entertainment will be featured with several unique ideas and will consist chiefly of the rendition of oldtime songs. A chorus of fifty voices, young men and young women, will be trained for the event by Judge Runyon, rehearsals to begin Friday night of this week. Judge Runyon will appear in the role of the choirmaster while the choristers will be attired in "rube" costumes.

—Garrett Powers, formerly of the borough, but late of Newark, has taken a position as assistant drug clerk with Dudley S. Miller, the Park avenue druggist, and entered upon his duties today.

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ALL MUST GO!

PERSONAL.

Miss Margaret Fitch, of this city, has been visiting friends at Sag Harbor, L. I.

Miss Nellie Vermeule, of Jackson avenue, has been visiting friends at Tuckahoe.

Mrs. James R. Blair, of Duer street, is convalescing from an attack of the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miles, of Somerset street, have been visiting friends at Keyport.

Norris Kent, of Milton, Pa., visited Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Templin, of North avenue, yesterday.

Miss Ethel Clarkson, of Orchard place, is detained at home with a severe attack of bronchitis.

Edward Mundy, of Harmony street, is detained at home with a severe attack of pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward T. Wilson, of Sycamore avenue, are among the visitors registered at Atlantic City.

George Beggs, of Manning avenue, has recovered from an injury to his ear, received in a slight accident while at work.

Mrs. William A. Woodruff, of East Second street, who has been detained by an attack of the grip, is able to be about the house.

Howard Willett, the six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Willett, of Craig place, who underwent an operation at the hospital for mastoditis, has been removed to his home and is rapidly recovering.

Philip Weinberger's Travels.

Philip Weinberger, son of the late Max Weinberger, who went away from home last September, and who has been travelling through the west ever since, returned home last night from Summit, where he had been spending a few days with his uncle. During his absence, the young man has visited California, Denver, Cleveland, Chicago, Buffalo, Baltimore and many other large cities. He secured a position in Baltimore as an assistant to a wealthy man, who spent his time travelling for pleasure and he accompanied the Baltimore man to California.

THINGS TO REMEMBER.

Glycerine and lemon juice will clear the voice when one has suffered from sore throat.

Chloroform and oil of cloves will instantly cure toothache. Placed on cotton and inserted in the ear is a speedy relief for earache.

Soda and borax is an excellent dentifrice.

Lemon juice will polish shoes that do not need to be blackened.

Tan goods can be cleaned with a mixture of corn starch and corn meal.

A mixture of beeswax, tallow, lard and camphor made into a plaster is one of the best known remedies for children who have the croup. It is an old recipe, tried and true, one well worth remembering. Make a bib of woolen, put the plaster on warm and relief will be given almost immediately.

—"A Modern Marriage," adapted from Tennyson's "Princess," will be presented at the Y. M. C. A. in the Saturday night popular series next Saturday by Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Rashland.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

The City National Bank

at Plainfield, in the State of New Jersey, at the close of business,

Jan. 26, 1907.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$1,021,518 77
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		46 92
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		150,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		5,180 00
Bonds, securities, etc.		490,537 79
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures		71,202 50
Interest Paid		6,352 20
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		14,799 56
Due from State Banks and Bankers		2,198 49
Due from approved reserve agents		156,236 49
Checks and other cash items		6,683 67
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents		465 76
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz.:		
Specie	$55,017 00	
Legal-tender notes	33,764 00	
		88,781 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)		7,500 00
Total		$2,021,503 15

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 150,000 00
Surplus fund	50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	176,998 78
National Bank notes outstanding	147,600 00
Accrued Interest	779 84
Due to other National Banks	14,293 34
Due to State Banks and Bankers	1,098 75
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	29,863 29
Dividends unpaid	64 00
Individual deposits subject to check	1,372,965 18
Demand certificates of deposit	12,692 62
Time certificates of deposit	72,385 67
Certified checks	1,132 55
Cashier's checks outstanding	327 25
Total	$2,021,503 15

State of New Jersey, County of Union, ss:

I, William F. Arnold, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

William F. Arnold, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this first day of February, 1907.

fifteenth day of November, 1906.

J. C. Pope, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

Louis K. Hyde,
Jas. T. Closson,
F. de L. Hyde,
Directors.

DIVIDEND NO. 60.

CITY NATIONAL BANK, PLAINFIELD, N. J.

The Board of Directors have this day declared the usual semi-annual dividend of four per cent. on the capital stock of this bank out of the earnings of the past six months, and an extra dividend of one per cent. upon the capital stock of said bank, payable on and after Tuesday, February 5, 1907.

Wm. F. Arnold, Cashier.

Dated, Plainfield, Jan. 30, 1907.

The City National Bank of Plainfield, N. J., since its organization has paid to its stockholders in dividends on their capital stock ..... $ 324,750 00
and now has a surplus of 50,000 00
and undivided profits after paying dividends 158,400 00
with deposits of 1,495,860 57

The above shows that the bank is increasing its business, and is one of the strongest institutions in the State.

OBITUARY.

Thomas A. Rafferty.

Thomas A. Rafferty, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Rafferty, of Sandford avenue, died at St. Vincent's hospital, New York, Saturday night, following a short illness. He was taken with grip about two weeks ago and it rapidly developed into pneumonia. The young man was twenty-eight years old and had many local friends. He had been living in New York for the past year or more. The body was brought to the home of his parents yesterday and the funeral will be held at St. Mary's church tomorrow morning at 9:30. Interment will be in St. Mary's cemetery.

Plainfield Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., will meet tonight in Junior Hall and receive several applications for membership.

Martha Washington Council, No. 23, Daughters of America, will hold a social Thursday night, at the home of Clarence Bye, of Chatham street.

ROADSTERS' CALENDAR.
Sun Rises 7:06 a. m.
Sun Sets 5:22 p. m.
Lanterns must be lighted 6 22 p. m.

THE DAILY PRESS.

THE WEATHER.
Clearing tonight; colder on the coast; Wednesday partly cloudy.
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ANSWERS MR. BUTTFIELD

Council Committee Tells what It Will Cost Borough to Use City Sewage System.

GIVES FLAT RATE

Quotes $25 Per Million Gallons for a Term of Ten Years, Provided It is Legal.

The street committee of the Common Council to which was referred the communication of W. J. Buttfield, secretary, of the North Plainfield Sewage Commission, in which he sought information as to conditions, terms, etc., whereby the borough might secure sanitary sewers by connecting with Plainfield's system, reported at the February meeting of the Common Council, last night, through the chairman, Mr. Ginna. The report was adopted and the city clerk was authorized to communicate the same to Mr. Buttfield. The report follows:

"The committee on streets and sewers would report as follows upon the petition of W. J. Buttfield, secretary of the North Plainfield Sewage Commission.

"Your committee would recommend as a preliminary understanding that in order to accommodate our neighboring borough, the city make a contract, provided it has a legal right to do so, to treat the sewage from the Borough of North Plainfield for a term of ten years at the rate of $25 per million gallons. It should be understood that the proposed sewage system in the borough shall be so constructed as to exclude infiltration of ground water, in order that it may be possible to predict, with reasonable certainty, what amount of sewage may be expected.

"To this end the plans of the proposed system, and the construction, material and workmanship of the same shall be subject to approval by an engineer for the city, the expense of such examination and inspection to be paid by the borough, but such examination and inspection not to be construed to relieve the borough from the responsibility of securing tight sewers.

"It is expected that an addition to the contact beds would need to be made in about two years and it is suggested that at the expiration of eight years notice may be given by either party that the agreement shall terminate at the end of the ten years' period."

CITY FINDS IT CANNOT COLLECT A PERSONAL TAX

WAS LEVIED AGAINST W. H. NEILSON AS TRUSTEE.

Corporation Counsel Craig A. Marsh communicated with the Common Council at its meeting last night, regarding the action brought against the city by Rev. W. H. Nielson, of East Ninth street, to have set aside an assessment of $675 on $50,000 worth of personal property in New York. The assessment was made against Mr. Nielson as trustee for Mrs. Anna Nielson, who has never resided in the State and who is now in a sanitarium in Pennsylvania.

Mr. Nielson appeared before the tax commissioners of New York and swore off the tax claiming that he was not a resident of New York, but of New Jersey. Then the local assessor, Charles H. Hand, of the Second Ward, in which Mr. Nielson resides, made the assessment which was confirmed by the Board. Mr. Neilson then brought an action against the city about a month ago to have the assessment set aside, on the grounds that he is a trustee for the property of Mrs. Nielson, and that the custody of the property ih in the hands of the Supreme Court, of New York.

Mr. Marsh stated that the city could not collect the tax, that a proper return of the writ had been made and he asked that the Common Council pass a resolution authorizing him to apply to the Supreme Court, of New York to have the suit terminated. It is understood by both parties that there shall be no expense attached to the city in the matter. Later Mr. Mellick offered a resolution, which was adopted, giving Mr. Marsh the authority he requested.

Moore Released On Bail.

Robert N. Moore, of Fanwood Township, who pleaded non vult to selling liquor in that township without a license, before Judge Atwater, yesterday, was released on $500 bail. He will be arraigned for sentence on Wednesday, February 27.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

—"The Chimes of Normandy," Thursday night at Casino. *** 2 4 3

ASSESSOR HUBBARD WITHDRAWS RESIGNATION

INFORMS MAYOR FISK, HOWEVER, HE WILL SERVE ONLY FOR ONE YEAR.

At the earnest solicitation of Mayor Fisk and other friends, Tax Assessor Joseph A. Hubbard has consented to withdraw his resignation, presented the first of the year and to serve the city as assessor from the Third Ward until January 1, 1908. He emphatically tells the Mayor, however, that he will not serve any longer than this year.

Mr. Hubbard in explaining his reasons for wishing to retire as assessor, told Mayor Fisk that he is now seventy-seven years old and that he has held the position long enough. He considers that he earned a rest from official duty. It was only at the urgent request of Mr. Fisk that Mr. Hubbard changed his mind.

In the meantime Mr. Fisk may perfect his plan of having a tax commission of three members, which was suggested the first of the year. It is understood that Mr. Fisk has some pronounced views on the question of assessment and taxation and he believes that a commission is the proper means to secure the best results. This system has been found to work well in other cities.

SCHOOL BOARD MILDLY SLAPS COLLECTOR'S WRIST

MEMBERS DO NOT LIKE TARDINESS IN RECEIVING MONEY REPORT.

Mildly, but sternly, the official wrist of Collector John W. Murray, Jr., was slapped by the Board of Education, at its monthly meeting, last night. The chastisement followed Secretary F. T. Woodhull's announcement that the collector's monthly report on school moneys had not been received.

"That has happened once or twice before, hasn't it?" asked Mr. Woodhull of Clerk F. B. Clark.

"The collector said we could have it tomorrow," reported Mr. Clark. "He said the Council met tonight."

"What has the Council got to do with our money?" asked Mr. Abbott, looking as if he feared a new game was being worked on the board.

"I think the Board ought to take some action," said President Probasco. "This has happened several times lately."

"A resolution was passed two months ago, requesting the collector to be prompt," said the clerk.

There was no further comment. The Board tacitly agreed to give the collector another chance.

E. M. Cave was the only absentee from the meeting, in spite of the baby blizzard. The session was brief and but little business was done.

Iron stairways to go under the fire exits on each side of the High School auditorium were voted. The stairways will be about eight feet high. When the wings provided for in the plans are erected the stairways will be rendered unnecessary. Their cost has not been estimated but it will not be large.

Superintendent H. M. Maxson was authorized to attend the annual meeting of the National Association of School Superintendents, at Chicago, February 25, as the representative of the Plainfield schools. It has been customary to send Dr. Maxson to the convention yearly.

The president announced the following committees for 1907: Teachers and Text-Books, Probasco, Lovell, Abbott; fuel, Cave, Lovell, Woodhull; books, stationery and supplies, Woodhull, Cave, Probasco; finance, Lovell, Abbott, Cave; buildings and repairs, Abbott, Woodhull, Cave.

A Finished Performance Assured.

In presenting "The Chimes of Normandy," at the Casino on Thursday night, the Plainfield Operatic Association expects to eclipse all previous efforts in amateur opera work. The members have been rehearsing for several weeks and have attained a degree of efficiency that promises an exceptional production. The music is very catchy and is sure to be well received. With a well trained chorus of sixty, an orchestra of thirteen pieces and fine soloists a finished performance is assured. Tickets can be had at Armstrong's pharmacy.

Mound Builders and Cliff-Dwellers.

An interesting paper on the "Mound Builders and Cliff-Dwellers" of the far away past was presented by Mrs. George H. Campbell at the meeting of the Monday Afternoon Club, held yesterday at the Casino. Discussion of the paper followed. Mrs. F. O. Herring, president of the club last year, was present and gave a brief account of life at Saranac in the Adirondacks and reported continued improvement in the health of Mr. Herring.

REPLIES TO HUGH FOX

Mrs. Kelley Meets the Exceptions Taken to Monday Club Lecture.

NEW JERSEY'S RECORD

How the State Went From a Crusaders' White List To Their Black List—Consumers' League's Aims.

Mrs. Florence Kelley, general secretary of the National Consumers' League and an active advocate of child labor reform, has made a statement in reply to Hugh F. Fox, of this city, president of the State Board of Charities, who took up the gage in defense of New Jersey's child labor laws in The Daily Press last month, after Mrs. Kelley's criticism of those laws in an address before the Monday Afternoon Club was published. In a letter to The Daily Press, under date of February 4, Mrs. Kelley says:

"I have just received a copy of the Press of January 8, containing a report of my address to the Monday Afternoon Club on the preceding day. I spoke without notes and rapidly, so that the report quite naturally omits some essential qualifications, and in one case substitutes a different bill for the Beveridge child labor bill. The intent of the report is so obviously fair and friendly that I feel sure you will print my statement as conspicuously as the original report, the more so as we are all alike desirous of having the best conditions for the children in all the States, a thing impossible without a widespread, accurate knowledge of conditions as they actually are.

"My criticism is directed to the statutes of New Jersey, not the enforcement thereof. The child labor and educational statutes of New Jersey are gravely defective in four important respects—as to an educational requirement for children about to begin to work; as to the scope of the child labor law, which applies only to children engaged in manufacture; as to the hours of labor, and as to the appointment of truant officers.

"1. The New Jersey child labor law does not, like the law of New York require that, before beginning to work, a child must have attended a school in which it has received instruction in reading, writing, arithmetic, geography and English grammar, the arithmetic to be "up to and including fractions," and the child to be specifically examined as to its ability to read fluently and write simple sentences in the English language. Nor does the New Jersey law require, like the law of Illinois, that the child must be able to read and write (in some language). Nor does the New Jersey law, like that of Massachusetts, require that the child under the age of 16 years must, before beginning to work, be able to read and write in the English language sufficiently to get into the third grade of the public schools. In New Jersey a child under 14 years of age must go to school, but it need not learn anything. Or a child may come to the State between the ages of 14 and 16 years and go to work immediately, although newly arrived from Russia, Syria, Croatia, Italy or any other country, and wholly illiterate. It need prove only its age.

"2. The child labor law of New Jersey applies only to factories and workshops, not to stores or offices. It gives no protection to messenger and telegraph boys, or to cash boys or girls. In this respect it is less effective than similar laws in New York, Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Illinois, Wisconsin and Oregon.

"3. The best child labor law is always a compulsory education law requiring the children to be in school throughout the school year and vigorously enforced throughout the State. The compulsory education law of New Jersey leaves each locality free not to appoint a truant officer and some of the glass-manufacturing communities appoint no truant officers, or appoint them for so few weeks in the year that the children are free to go to work, being in the factories until the factory inspectors discover them.

"4. The saddest chapter is that which deals with the hours of labor. In this respect New Jersey was, for eleven years from 1892 to 1903, in advance of all the State and nations. The law of 1892 prohibited the employment of women and minors longer than 55 hours in one week, ten hours in one day, after 6 p. m. on any day, and afternoon on Saturday. There were excepted canneries, fruit preserving establishments and glassworks. Overtime was prohibited sweepingly. Although this law was not enforced by numerous prosecutions, and although no case arising under it was carried to the highest court in the State, it was obeyed by many law-abiding employers.

"The International Association for Labor Legislation printed a white list of the States and nations graded

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REPUBLICANS STILL DISCUSSING CANDIDATE

Senator Ackerman Said to be Holding Out on Selection of Briggs.

MINORITY FOR MARTINE

In Caucus This Morning Plainfielder Is the Unanimous Choice of the Democratic Side.

According to the slate the New Jersey Legislature was scheduled to go into joint caucus at 12 o'clock noon today, following a caucus of the two parties held this morning, to select the successor of Senator John F. Dryden. The Democrats held their caucus and were ready for the joint session shortly after noon, but the Republicans were still in caucus and at 2 o'clock this afternoon it looked as though it would be several hours before they would be ready to meet with the Democrats.

The latest reports gives State Treasurer Frank O. Briggs forty votes for United States Senator, and it is reported that Senator Ackerman is one of those holding out on the question of making Mr. Briggs the party candidate. It was reported that he was not satisfied in his own mind as to whether Mr. Briggs would be acceptable to the people of the State. It is understood that Mr. Ackerman's choice for the office has been John W. Griggs.

Another report received late this afternoon says that Senator Colby is satisfied with Mr. Briggs and is ready to enter the joint session and vote for him as the party's candidate. From present indications it looks as though the result of the caucus would depend upon the action of Senator Ackerman.

Democrats Honor Martine.

When the Democrats of the New Jersey Legislature held their caucus this morning, James E. Martine was made the unanimous choice as the party's candidate for United States Senator to succeed John F. Dryden. The session was not a lengthy one and it did not take much time for the Democrats to unite upon Mr. Martine. While, of course, his election is improbable, the decision of the caucus is considered a fine compliment to the "farmer orator," and leader of his party in Union county.

The mention of his name for the office in the first instance was a great surprise to him for he had not the slightest intimation from any source that he would be considered with so many other candidates in the field. In connection with the choice of Mr. Martine for the office of United States Senator, there is a strong and persistent rumor throughout Trenton today that he will be the Democratic nominee for Governor next year. There is a growing sentiment that the recent actions of the Republican members of the Legislature has not tended to strengthen the party's position and that a candidate like Mr. Martine would have an unusual chance for success in the contest for the office of chief executive of the State.

Reed for State Treasurer?

Another name mentioned for the office of State treasurer, in case Mr. Briggs is elected United States Senator, is that of Former Senator Chas. A. Reed. In certain political circles at Trenton today he is considered a strong factor and it would not be surprising if he should be appointed to fill the vacancy. "Davy" Baird, of South Jersey, who has been a candidate to succeed Mr. Dryden, was said to have secured twenty votes, last night, but in the meantime the Briggs faction got busy and rallied forty votes for its candidate.

FRANK O. BRIGGS ELECTED

Trenton, Feb. 5.—State Treasurer Frank O. Briggs was elected United States Senator this afternoon, succeeding John F. Dryden. The joint session of the Legislature convened at 3:29 and by 3:45 the election was over. Mr. Briggs received forty-one votes, all the Republicans present, except Senators Ackerman and Colby, voting for him. Mr. Ackerman voted for John W. Griggs, while Mr. Colby voted for Mahlon Pitney.

Martin B. Hutchinson nominated Mr. Briggs and it was seconded by Assemblyman Perkins. Senator W. H. Gebhart nominated James E. Martine as the choice of the Democrats and he received thirty-five votes. Three Republican members were absent.

PLAN A $75,000 SCHOOL

That is What the Darrow Avenue Structure Will Cost.

HURRY CONSTRUCTION

Board of Education Faces Urgent Need For More School Room—New School Will Furnish Margin of Room.

Facing an immediate need for the building, the Board of Education is gathering its energies for as speedy an erection of the proposed new school at Darrow avenue and Essex street as is possible. The necessity for the school is present and urgent, and the structure will be made a fact as rapidly as the preparations, which include designing and contracting, as well as the actual work on the building itself, can be worked through.

The school is to be a twelve-room structure, most likely of brick, and will cost in the neighborhood of $75,000. The lot has already been purchased at a cost of about $4,500. It will be fireproof from top to bottom, with terra cotta lining between the doors and other features of safety from flames. It will be ready for service by September of next year. No name for the school has been considered.

It is probable that Walter Cook, who advised the Board in its choice of plans for the new high school, will again be employed to perform the same service in connection with the designs for the Darrow avenue school. Whether or not there is to be an architectural competition, as in the case of the high school, has not been decided.

In a statement to a Daily Press reporter last night, Charles F. Abbott, chairman of the building committee of the Board of Education, said that every school building in the city was now full, and that every schoolroom with the exception of one was crowded. In four or five rooms there are two classes, one going into session as the other ends. The Bryant School is full to overflowing, with certain classes on half time.

With the opening of the new school this condition—which will be aggravated by the time the school is ready—will be relieved completely. At least four rooms will be left over for future growth.

The pupils of the new school will be drawn mainly from the Washington School, at Liberty and Fifth streets, which was recently sold to St. Mary's R. C. parish, for parochial purposes. Irving School will contribute a large batch. It is estimated that the congestion everywhere will be relieved by the use of seven rooms in the new building. At the beginning, there will not be, of necessity, an increase in teachers. The teaching staff is always kept up to the size of the enrollment, and the change from the old schools to the new ones will not make it necessary to hire additional teachers.

By the terms of the sale, St. Mary's parish will not take over the Washington School until the Darrow avenue school is ready for the pupils. The day when the Darrow avenue school is declared fit for the reception of pupils will be the day St. Mary's parish will get the Washington building.

LICENSE APPLICATIONS.

Usual Number Presented at Last Night's Council Meeting.

The usual number of applications for liquor licenses were presented at the February meeting of the Common Council, and contrary to the rule not a new applicant appeared. There are now ten retail and two wholesale places in the city and the same number applied last night as follows:

J. A. Staats, Henry Windham, Henry Haurand, William and Charles Clark, Alex. Findlay, Chris. Gloeckler, John Rafferty, Jacob Blimm, Eastern Bottling Works, Frank Linke, Michael Watson and Jerome Leary. They will be advertised in the usual way and the Common Council will meet on Monday night, February 25, to act upon the same. It is necessary that this be done as the licenses all expire on March 1. For the first time an many years there were no new applicants and no new complications to meet and the members of the Common Council seemed pleased.

Was Quartermaster-Sergeant.

Emmett Wortman, who was arrested at Somerville, Saturday, on a charge of non-support and desertion preferred by his wife, was quartermaster-sergeant of Co. M, Somerville, and not lieutenant, as reported. He was employed at the Manganese Steel Safe Works and was well-known in this city.

Engagement Announced.

The engagement of Miss Mabel Tice, of Westfield, to S. Herbert Vance, of Jersey City, has been announced.

CONSOLIDATION MEMBERS HOLD ANOTHER SESSION

QUESTION THE STREET COMMISSIONER ABOUT THE CITY SEWAGE SYSTEM.

Another session of the consolidation committee was held in the office of Mayor Fisk, yesterday afternoon, all the members being present. While no official statements have been given out concerning the matters discussed, it is known that the commission took up the question of sewers, in relation to what would be required in the borough in case of consolidation.

The commission desiring information regarding Plainfield's sewage system, Street Commissioner A. J. Gavett was invited to attend the meeting. He was questioned in detail about the local sanitary sewer, answering only such questions as were put to him by the various members of the commission.

In the line of questioning no intimation was given as to the ideas of the members on the subject of sewers. It is the purpose of the commission to secure every bit of information possible about the subject under consideration, after which it will go over the ground thoroughly and upon that basis will frame its report to be presented to the Common Council.

ANNIVERSARY SERVICES CONTINUE AT MONROE

LARGE CROWD IN ATTENDANCE DESPITE THE STORMY WEATHER.

The storm had no appreciable effect on the tenth anniversary services held at the Monroe Avenue M. E. church, last night, there being 125 persons present to attend the reunion and fellowship service arranged. It was a happy occasion for the members had the opportunity to meet three former pastors of the church, Rev. William C. O'Donnell, now of the West End Avenue church, Jersey City; Rev. John MacMurray, of the Brown Memorial church, Jersey City, and Rev. George Mooney, of the South Orange M. E. church.

Each one of the former pastors had a few pleasant words to say to their former parishoners. They congratulated the members of the church and congregation for the excellent results of the past ten years, in which they had a part and it was their wish that the coming ten years would be even more fruitful and blessed than the first.

Rev. L. R. Howard, of Hope chapel, was the only one of the local pastors present, and he opened the service with prayer. The pastor, Rev. E. E. Roberson, also took part in the programme. Congratulatory letters were received and read from Rev. Dr. G. H. Whitney, of this city, president emeritus of Hackettstown Institute; Rev. Mr. Short, acting rector of the Church of the Heavenly Rest, who resides in Trenton, and Rev. Hubert Munson, of Hempstead, L. I., who was in charge of the services before the Monroe Avenue church, was constituted a regularly organized body. Following the services a social hour was enjoyed and the Ladies' Aid Society served refreshments. The anniversary services will be continued tonight.

CHAIRMAN MONTGOMERY HOLDS UP P. S. C. LIGHT BILL.

Wants to Have Conference With Officials About New Contract Before Paying It.

Pending the making of a new contract between the city and the Public Service Corporation for street lighting, Mr. Montgomery, chairman of the light committee of the Common Council, moved that the P. S. C. bill for lighting be held up at the meeting of the Common Council last night. This action no doubt was suggested by recommendations adopted by the Plainfield Protective Association at its meeting last week, when it presented a lengthy report of Alfred Spice, the expert, engaged by the association to investigate light conditions in Plainfield.

Mr. Montgomery, who is the new chairman of the light committee, is anxious to secure from the P. S. C. as favorable terms as possible and it is his intention to have a conference with the officials of the company before making any recommendations as to another contract.

Only a Firelet.

Some papers and boards left behind a stove, the damper of which was open, caught fire in the clothing store of Tunison & Giles, North avenue, at 11:11 o'clock last night. The firemen summoned by telephone, put out the blaze with one extinguisher. A broken pane of glass was the sum of the damage to the building.

KITCHELL FOR CAPTAIN

Company K. Members Decide Upon Him at Caucus Held Last Night.

ELECTION COMES LATER

First Lieutenant John M. Lewis Resigns Because of Pressure of Business Matters.

The members of Company K at a caucus held last night after the drill selected Second Lieutenant Harry Kitchell, of Westfield, for the position of captain to succeed Captain Martin, recently elected major of the Second Regiment, succeeding Major Dungan, who was likewise promoted to the position of colonel, taking the place of Col. Collins, successor of Brig.-Gen. Gillmore. First Sergeant Charles Peterson was the choice of the company for the position of first lieutenant to succeed John M. Lewis, resigned, and Quartermaster Sergeant A. I. Littell was the choice for the position of second lieutenant to succeed Harry Kitchell. It is not known at present when the election will be held, but the date will be announced by the regimental officials.

There is deep regret over the resignation of First Lieutenant John M. Lewis, who has been acting captain since the promotion of Captain Martin. He is a charter member of the company and has always taken great interest in all the affairs of the organization, working hard for its success in drills and marksmanship. Resolutions expressing the appreciation of the entire company for faithful services performed by Lieut. Lewis were adopted and a copy of them engrossed will be presented to him. Mr. Lewis resigns from the company for business reasons, finding that he has not time to devote to its many duties.

In the selection of Harry Kitchell for the position of captain, the members believe that the same high standard of efficiency will be maintained in the future as in the past under Captain Martin. He is also a charter member of the company and from the first has been closely identified with the organization and its successes. It is believed that he will enjoy the respect and confidence of every member of the company.

VACANCIES FILLED IN CITY FIRE DEPARTMENT

MAYOR FISK WITHDRAWS HIS RECENT POLICE APPOINTMENTS.

In view of the several vacancies in the call and regular force of the fire department, Mayor Charles J. Fisk made several appointments at the February meeting of the Common Council, last night, all of which were confirmed. John A. Townley was appointed a member of the regular department in place of Harry Bush, resigned; James B. Compton was appointed a call-man in place of David S. Dunavan, resigned, and Thomas Cavalear was appointed a call-man in place of Theodore J. LaRue, resigned. The Mayor appointed John P. Neylon a call-man in place of Daniel V. Force, but as the latter had not resigned, the appointment was withdrawn.

At the request of Mayor Fisk his appointments to fill the offices of captain, sergeant and detective-sergeant in the police department, were withdrawn and returned to him. The appointments were made at the meeting on January 7, but failed of confirmation because Chairman Frank Randolph, of the police committee, sought to have all three appointees, Christian Frederickson, John Flynn and Florence McCarthy, confirmed at once. The matter will probably come up again later on, when Mr. Randolph recovers from his illness.

The following special policemen appointed by the Mayor were confirmed:

Frank Day, David F. Stewart, Edwin Dobbs, Nathan Pollard, William Forrestel, John Albert, Jeremiah Cash, Fred Winn, Jacob Kriney, Ameriga C. Brancati, Edward Martin, Charles J. McCarthy, Samuel J. Robinson, Lewis Clark, Jacob Dunham, Rutherford B. Daily, Charles A. Peterson, Alexander D. Ayers, William Addis, W. R. Overland, Frank Sweeney, Tobias W. Nolan, Cornelius McCarthy, Henry Pugh, Charles Harris, Frank Kelso, Jesse M. Scull, Joseph B. Morrison, Benjamin W. Evans, George A. Broadbent, Henry A. Peterson, T. J. Clarkson, Robert McCormick, Tucker Johnson, Isaac Kennedy, Edward Maynard, George Dean, Edgar Brokaw, Henry Adams, F. W. Pearce, Thomas Morcom and Daniel McCarthy.

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After Inventory Sale of Seasonable Merchandise.

In taking inventory we have discovered many things that we don't deem desirable to put back in stock. We have decided to dispose of them from time to time during this month. This is naturally one of the dull months, but it is the intention of the "White Store" to make February a hustling month of continued activity. If low prices and good merchandise will contribute towards making it so. Here are a few examples.

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

New Market fans do not expect to have a ball team in the field next season. They are resigned to rooting for Dunellen in the league.

Charles Thornton has recovered from the bruises and bumps he sustained in falling from Ziba Osmun's sleigh last week.

Frank Fletcher, Jr., and Miss Dayton sang a duet at the Baptist church Sunday morning.

Charles Kirby has returned to New York after a visit to his father, Valentine Kirby.

Plans for an addition to the rear of the Fitzsimmons place are being considered.

Nelson Cronk is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Charles Underhill, of New York.

The Township Committee will meet at Nelson's Hotel tonight.

Benjamin Dodwell is recovering from an attack of tonsilitis.

Mrs. Charles Dodwell has recovered from her recent illness.

Mrs. George Caskey will entertain the G. E. Club tonight.

Mrs. Arthur Vail has been one of the grip sufferers.

The Board of Education will meet tonight.

Miss Katherine Moynihan is ill.

'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Rev. William Mulford, rector of All Saints' Episcopal church, will deliver a lecture in the parlors of the Baptist church upon Washington Irving. Proceeds will be turned into the treasury of the Public Library. Mr. Mulford needs no introduction as a speaker to the residents of either the Plains or the borough, having delivered a number of lectures here during his pastorate of All Saints' church. Of course you want to hear him and at the same time help the Public Library, so don't fail to attend.

In justice to the local hotel men, it should be reported that some of the drunks seen on the streets Sundays of late do not get their drink in town, it is said, but at a "speak easy" place not many miles away. The place does not come under the jurisdiction of the local police, being outside of the township limits.

William T. Sharpe and family, who have been residents here for several years, occupying the Marsh property on Front street, have removed to their new home in the Highland Park section, near Leland avenue, which was recently opened up.

The fur mill opened yesterday morning for active operation once more. The mill was to have opened last week but there was some delay in opening the plant, so but little work was done.

Richard B. Duyckincks, who has been occupying the Cook property on Mountain avenue, has given up housekeeping and is spending the winter in New York.

Miss Maud Merceirs, of Grand street, has returned from a visit with her sister, Miss Mamie Merceirs, of West Fourth street, Plainfield.

William C. Stanbery, who has been detained at home for several months on account of illness, is reported as improving nicely.

Mrs. Peter Smith, of Lincoln, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Clark, of Front street.

NORTH BRANCH.

John Aiken, Lewis Baldwin, Elmer Davis, William Lampe, Carl Sorges and Hattie Thompson were the pupils of the public school at Liberty Corner neither tardy nor absent during the month of January.

Mr. and Mrs. John Staats, of Belle Mead, have been guests of Mrs. Staats' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kline, at South Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. David Huff, of Pluckemin, have gone to Perth Amboy to spend the remainder of the winter with their daughter.

Professor Lutz, of the Neshanic public schools, has returned from a few days' vacation with relatives at Allentown, Pa.

Miss Marion Van Fleet, of South Branch, is spending several weeks with her sister, Mrs. William Stryker, in New York.

Miss Margaret M. Hoagland, of Neshanic, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Murray, in Princeton.

Miss Gertrude Mingle has returned to her home in this place after a visit to relatives in South Branch.

Mrs. H. Bert Ten Eyck has returned from a visit to her mother, Mrs. Thomas B. Skillman, at Skillman.

Mrs. John Thatcher, of Neshanic, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Veghte, in Newark, for a few days.

STIRLING.

The communion service of the Presbyterian church of this place, which was to be held Sunday morning, was postponed on account of the illness of Rev. Nicklas Bowers, the pastor of the church, who is suffering from the grip. The pulpit in the morning was filled by Rev. George Bowers, of Fanwood.

The meeting of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor and evening service were combined Sunday night in the Presbyterian church.

Miss Helen Stuart, of Summit, is being entertained here for a week by Mr. and Mrs. Peter Nelson and family, of Elm street.

John Ananson, of Chestnut street, returned home yesterday, after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. John Basmajian, of Brick Church.

Hanna Bahooshian, of New York, is spending a few days here with Mrs. M. Looloian and family, of Elm street.

George Gerloc, of Newark, was entertained yesterday by Mr. and Mrs. John McGrath and family, of Gillette.

Miss Lena Hildebrant, of Murray Hill, is the guest here of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heatinger and family.

Sarkis Chinkooslian, of Essex street, is spending a few days with friends in West Hoboken.

Mrs. Jacob Bahooshian is suffering from a severe cold.

BASKING RIDGE.

The congregation of St. Mark's Episcopal church will meet this evening at the home of the curate in charge, Rev. Edward W. Hall, on Main street, at which time a trip to Europe, illustrated by a magic lantern, will be given.

Mrs. Alfred Muller Norden, of Lyons, has secured a position as teacher in the New York city schools. Mrs. Norden expects to remove with her family to New York in the near future.

The receipts from the entertainment given on Thursday evening, in Dayton's hall, for the benefit of the Free Circulating Library, amounted to about $100.

Mrs. M. L. Connolly and son, Paul, who had been spending a week in New York city, have returned to their home on the Morristown road.

A. W. Cross is erecting a dwelling on the farm of John D. Cross, of Lyons.

WESTFIELD.

A meeting in the interest of industrial education for negros and Indians was held here last night in the Presbyterian church. Rev. H. B. Turner made the principal address. Harris Barrett and Charles Doxson, graduates of Hampton Institute, spoke on the work of the institute.

Frank Miller, of Elm street, who was reported as suffering from a broken collar-bone, has almost entirely recovered. It was found that the bone was simply cracked. With his brother, Amos, he visited relatives in Newark yesterday.

A meeting was held at Willard Hall, Prospect street, last evening to complete the organization of a choral club. A number of local singers intended to join the Cranford society, but later concluded to organize at home.

A praise service will be held at the Presbyterian church parsonage here this afternoon under the auspices of the Woman's Missionary Society.

Rev. W. H. Morgan, of New York, lectured to the Men's Club of the local Methodist church at the church last evening.

The police headquarters are to be repainted and decorated.

SOMERVILLE.

Miss Olive B. Klotz has returned to her home, on High street, after spending a week in Morristown with her sister.

The Monday Afternoon Club met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John B. Osbourn, of Summit street.

Miss Eleanor Carmer, of Elizabeth, is a guest of Mrs. John B. Parmelee, of Altamont place.

BOUND BROOK.

Mrs. Charles W. Thomas, of Bound Brook, in company with Mrs. Robert Cutts Pierce, of Potsmouth, N. H.; Mrs. Martha Linbarger, of Lambertville, and Miss Laura Lawshe, of Newark, is spending some time in a tour of the West Indies.

The South Bound Brook Woman's Christian Temperance Union will hold a memorial service for Mrs. Constance Anderson and Mrs. Mariah Broach tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. H. Shepherd, in Elizabeth street.

After spending several days at the home of her son, L. T. Stryker, of Bound Brook, Mrs. Joseph Stryker has returned to her home at Lebanon.

Mrs. A. S. Phelps and son, Charles Phelps, of Bound Brook, are being entertained at the home of Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Patton, at Newton, Mass.

Mrs. R. L. Read and daughter, Miss Bessie Read, of Bound Brook, have been spending several days with relatives in Brooklyn.

A festival and dance for the benefit of St. Joseph's church, of Millstone, will be held in East Millstone Hall tomorrow night.

Mrs. G. B. Witfield, of Brooklyn, was recently entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Johnson, of Beachwood Heights.

Miss Corle, of Neshanic, was a guest last week at the home of Mrs. W. E. Sperling, in Union avenue, Bound Brook.

Mrs. M. S. Farlee, of Bound Brook, has gone to Belle Mead, where she will spend some time with friends.

Aaron Marlatt, of Hackettstown, is spending several days with his sister, Mrs. W. D. Williams, of East Front street.

Jacob R. Williams, of Newark, who has been visiting his son, W. D. Williams, of East Front street, has returned home.

Mrs. John Valiant, of Myrtle avenue, who has been visiting her daughter in Baltimore, has gone south for the benefit of her health.

Miss Ethel Kline, of Plainfield avenue, who recently underwent an operation at the hospital for appendicitis, has about recovered.

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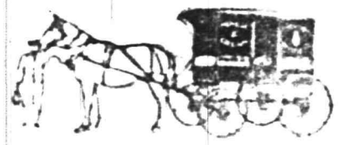

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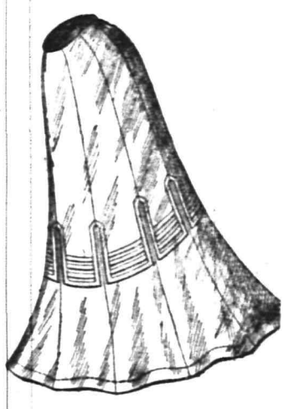

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CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The offering at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church on Sunday will be for the support of colleges.

"Our Home Mission Fields" will be the topic of the prayer meeting at the First Baptist church tomorrow night.

Miss Mary Giles will lead the Christian Endeavor Society meeting at the Park Avenue Baptist church Friday night.

The regular meeting of the McAll Auxiliary will be held at the Plainfield Public Library tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock.

"A Young Convert's Meeting" will be held at the Park Avenue Baptist church tomorrow night. The subject will be "Gospel Arithmetic."

The Young Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will hold a colonial tea and sale at the church on Tuesday, February 19.

The Women's Home Missionary Society of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will hold a sewing meeting Friday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock.

Owing to the absence of the pastor, Rev. C. L. Goodrich, from the city, the Junior Christian Endeavor Society of the Congregational church will not hold a meeting this week.

The Sunshine Mission Band of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will meet in the church parlors tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. The subject will be "David Livingston."

Under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Seventh-Day Baptist church a social will be held tonight at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Marcus L. Clawson, on Park avenue.

Mrs. Thomas MacDonald and Mrs. Charles L. Lewis gave vocal solos at the session of the Park Avenue Baptist church Sunday-school on Sunday. Hereafter, music, vocal and instrumental, will be made a feature of the sessions.

These persons were received into the membership of the First M. E. church on Sunday at the communion service: Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Higgins, Miss Hannah Higgins, Miss Sophie Johnson, Miss Nana C. Wilson and Mrs. Percy McVoy.

Rev. Herbert F. Randolph, a former pastor of Grace M. E. church, on Park place, will preach at the fifteenth anniversary services to be held on Sunday. He will speak in the morning and Rev. Dr. H. K. Carroll will occupy the pulpit in the evening.

The Ladies' Christian Work Society of Trinity Reformed church under whose auspices the annual turkey supper will be given Thursday and Friday nights, has arranged for a number of choice birds to be served on that occasion. You cannot afford to miss it. A fine musical programme will be given each night by Kenneth Stuart's orchestra.

In connection with the tenth anniversary services being held at Monroe Avenue M. E. church, tonight will be known as "Mission Night." Clarence Titus, connected with the "World Evangelism," of the Elizabeth District Epworth League, will speak and John Callahan, superintendent of the Hadley Mission, New York, will also make an address.

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Mary—You must remember that I'm leavin' you tomorrow, mum, and I'd not be after doin' any of the new girl's work!—Smith's Weekly.

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MILLINERY—All of our winter millinery to be closed out below cost to make room for new spring styles; assortment is broken up but a few good hats remain on sale yet.

Special lot of Hats on show in our show window worth double what we ask for them. Price to close out..... $1.50

WASH GOODS—2,000 yards of Outing Flannel, extra heavy weight and good assortment of patterns; the kind that usually sells for 9c yard..... .7

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Do you know What { Makes the memory of children at school so poor? The professors in the great colleges are advocating glasses for? Most physicians do when they have given you headache medicine in vain?

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A package of this splendid Fabric Finish Writing Paper, containing 85 to 110 sheets, according to the weight of the paper, with 75 fashionable envelopes to match (the actual value of the combination being $1.25), will be offered during this week's great sale at the extraordinary price of..... .25

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These are splendid fabrics for women's wrappers, house waists and little folks' dresses, and we do not wonder that we are selling so many of them at the diminutive price at which they are marked for this event—Six Cents a Yard..... .6

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PLAINFIELDER TOLD OF BANKING IN THE SIXTIES

FORMER MAYOR GILBERT GAVE INTERESTING ACCOUNT AT BANKERS' DINNER

At the annual dinner of the New York State Bankers' Association in the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel, President Alexander Gilbert, of the New York Clearing House, of this city, portrayed the happy existence of the banker of the '60s.

Chairman Stephen Baker, in introducing Mr. Gilbert, said that he had started in business in 1864 as cashier of the old Market Bank.

"I am also told," said Mr. Baker, "that my good friend, Mr. Morgan went in business that year; so it was a memorable year."

"I suppose you will take no exception to the statement," said Mr. Gilbert when he arose, "when I say that if Mr. Morgan started in 1864, the same year as I did, he has left me far behind him in the race."

Mr. Gilbert went on to say that it was a fitting thing that the second toast at a bankers' dinner should be the New York Clearing House.

"It is," said he, "the tie that binds us together, that holds us in with gentle strength, that creates the standard by which is made possible conservative banking in the city of New York and in times of danger rallies us all together in defense of the credit of this country. We must not forget that long after we pass away it will live and its power increase until it will have become the greatest financial power in the civilized world."

Mr. Gilbert spoke of the wonderful changes in business life in the last four or five years and said that it had been forging ahead by leaps and bounds, the changes being something too marvelous to grasp.

"We find ourselves," he said, "surrounded by forces which are pushing us along at too fast a pace, and it is to the New York Clearing House that the people are looking to maintain in New York conservative banking. The magazine writers tell us that we are living in an age of hazardous enterprise, of high finance and overcapitalization, the age that shuts the sunlight out of our streets and a good deal of it out of the hearts—an age for gain.

"Well, this may be true. Some of us believe that it is true. But what are we going to do about it? We can't get off this planet. Let us hope that these things are nothing more than the legitimate expression of the resistless energy of our people. But let us remember as bankers that the business prosperity of the country today and for all time to come must rest on the conservation of the banking in New York city."

Mr. Gilbert said that he could remember when banking in New York was delightful, when the rate of interest was 7 per cent. the year round and when there was no competition.

"Today," he said, "the banker feels that he must stand on guard all day to prevent the other fellow from encroaching on his reserve. Then bank presidents were elected because they had gray hairs and had nothing to do but look wise. Every application for a loan had to go into the discount box and go before the board. Those were the days when the directors earned their fees, although we didn't pay them anything. Gentlemen, you may not believe it, but it seemed an honor. We were all happy. We all made money.

"If the bankers of New York today would just stand shoulder to shoulder and work to maintain conservative banking instead of reaching out to get everything in sight we would have more happiness in our business lives."

Mr. Gilbert said that in those days no one had thought of "elastic currency." He said that the bankers of that time had reached the conclusion that there could not be financial activity and Wall street speculation at the same time.

"Now," said he, "we have several great speculative movements at the same time, the result being high interest and abnormal business conditions. I don't know why the banker should not meet his obligations at maturity. In those days the comptroller used to compliment our system. I never heard then that it was a shrewd scheme of the Government to sell its bonds. You did hear, though, that it was a scheme to help this Government preserve its life and at the same time give the country safe currency in lieu of wildcat money.

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WANTS CITY TO HAVE A TREE COMMISSION

MATTER BROUGHT BEFORE COMMON BY MR. MONTGOMERY.

Acting in accordance with a suggestion by Mayor Fisk in his annual message, Mr. Montgomery, at the February meeting of the Common Council, last night, took steps to have the city take advantage of a new State law which gives the Mayor authority to appoint a tree commission to look after the preservation of trees in Plainfield. He explained that it would be necessary to commence early the work of spraying trees if they were to be saved, hence the action at this time.

In answer to questions by Mr. Mellick and other members, Mr. Montgomery explained that the law provides for the appointment of three commissioners, for three, four and five years. They must be freeholders, and are to serve without compensation. The law further provides that the expenses of the commission and its work shall be raised by a tax which in Plainfield would approximate about $2,000 or $2,200. Mr. Montgomery stated further that the mater had been considered by the light and tree committee and all agreed that such a commission for Plainfield would be a good thing.

The only question that seemed to arise was as to whether a public hearing would not be necessary before the adoption of such a resolution as Mr. Montgomery proposed. The latter stated that he had communicated with Corporation Counsel Craig A. Marsh, and referred especially to the question of a public hearing. Having received no reply concerning it from Mr. Marsh he took it for granted that a public hearing would not be necessary. Mr. Mellick favored the idea, but thought it best to let the resolution lay over for a time. Mr. Buxton agreed with him. Mr. Montgomery then withdrew the resolution and it will be presented later.

REPLIES TO HUGH FOX

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acording to their legislation prohibiting night work for women. England, Switzerland and New Jersey were the first numerated in that honor list, and New Jersey led all the others. But while that International Association white list was being printed, in 1903, New Jersey repealed that beneficient law, left women wholly unprotected from night work, abolished the 6 p. m. closing hour for minors, and enacted the present non-enforceable statute. Under the present law no suit has been begun. This statute provides that children under 16 years of age shall not work longer than ten hours in one day and 55 hours in one week. They may work by day or night, or partly by day and partly by night, or by day one week and by night the next week. There is no fixed closing hour.

"By this action the State of New Jersey transferred itself from the head of the White List of the International Association for Labor Legislation to the black list of those States which do not prohibit night work for women.

"Meanwhile, fourteen European States have arranged by treaty to prohibit night work in manufacture for women. The United States and Russia are the only nations which are not parties to these humane agreements.

"Finally, the Federal child labor bill which the National Consumers' League strives to get enacted is the Beveridge bill forbidding inter-State commerce in the products of factories and mines employing children under the age of fourteen years."

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HORSES, HORSE BLANKETS AND TWO EATING PLACES

FIGURE IN TWO POLICE EPISODES, WITH SNOWSTORM SETTINGS.

Police headquarters received a telephone message from Bailey's restaurant, Watchung avenue, near the trolley station, at 7 o'clock last night, asking that a policeman be sent around to make two men pay for a supper they were said to be trying to "beat" Bailey out of.

Patrolman Overbaugh, sent out in answer to the call, found two men who had driven here with a van from Summit, with a vanload of furniture, at the restaurant, with sixty cents worth of food in them and no money to pay for it. They had been drinking. They said they never intended to sneak away without paying, and offered to leave the blankets on their teams as a guarantee that they would pay up when they got money. Overbaugh told them one blanket would be enough, if Bailey would accept the security. Bailey took the blanket. The horse from which it was taken was covered with burlap, and the pair drove off. They said the furniture was consinged to 1200 Evergreen avenue. The names of the pair were not learned.

Shortly after the restaurant episode, Patrolman Higgins saw two gray horses, tied to a pole at North and Park avenues, shivering, blanketless and snow-encrusted. He reported to Chief Kiely and the latter went out to look at the team. When he got there he found two men hitching the horses to the lunch wagon that was conducted by Fred Meeker on the lot opposite North avenue until it was damaged by fire a week ago. They said they were sent here from Summit with the team by a man named Welsh, who owned the wagon, to drive it back to Summit. A man who said he was Welsh drove up in a sleigh and told the chief that the men were all right and acting under his orders. The chief satisfied himself that Welsh was what he described himself, but he told the Summit man that the horses, weakened and chilled by exposure, were in no condition to draw a lunch wagon through the snow-drifted streets and roads. The chief watched the shivering team make a feable attempt to draw the wagon from the lot, and ordered the proceedings stopped. He made the men take the team to a stable for the night.

The police said this morning that the two men in charge of the lunch wagon team drove into the city drunk, with one horse hitched to a sleigh and the other trailing behind. The blankets were wrapped around the men.

The chief thought last night that the men in the restaurant episode were the ones who had come for the lunch wagon, but a comparison of the reports of Patrolmen Overbaugh and Higgins this morning corrected that idea.

THE FORUM.

A Dinner With a Purpose.

Editor, The Daily Press:

It seems to me that the recent dinner of the Jr. O. U. A. M. had more of a purpose than most affairs of this kind. The order desired to make known the work that has already been accomplished by it and to set forth the things it aims to do in the future, for these men not only meet to enjoy a good dinner and good speeches, but they actually do things. The speakers were interesting, the dinner was excellent and was especially notable for the absence of wine and beer from the table. The prominence given to the amber liquor at another notable occasion suggests its mention here. Toastmaster McCutchen showed his usual good taste by refraining from any allusions to the absence of wine. Success to this excellent order, which stands for temperance as well as for reforms in naturalization and immigration laws, for the Bible in our public schools and the Star Spangled Banner floating over them. A.

How a Quorum Was Gotten.

For a time last night it looked as though it would be impossible to get a quorum for the February meeting of the Common Council, on account of the illness of several members. Among those detained were President Daniel, William L. Gloak, Frank Randolph, W. S. Tyler and Henry D. Hibbard. First Councilmen Charles Randolph and Herbert Buxton arrived. Then Mr. Mellick, who has just returned from the south, put in appearance, followed by Mr. Tolles and Mr. Montgomery. With a number so near a quorum, it was decided to get the one necessary member, and a cab was sent to Mr. Ginna's home for him. At first it was decided to meet, pass the bills and adjourn for a week, but when the members got into the business they kept at it until most all of it was cleared up. An adjournment was taken to February 25 to act on the liquor licenses.

Hackmen Fined.

Howard Small and James Parsons, hackmen at the North Avenue station, were fined three dollars in the city court this morning, for breaking the hack ordinance.

Honeyman Party at Naples.

The A. V. D. Honeyman tourist party arrived early yesterday morning at Naples and all are reported well, having enjoyed a fine trip.

BUTTERICK PATTERNS.

Annual Sale of White Goods

The announcement of this event is always welcomed by the women of Plainfield, and there's reason for it, for nowhere in the state of New Jersey will you find a larger, better, or more carefully selected stock of everything that's new and desirable. Our Mr. Williams, who has charge of this department, is a veteran at the business and knows it from A to Z. Couple these facts with our immense purchasing facilities, which include buying for our Lakewood, Atlantic City and Plainfield stores, and you will readily see why the announcement of these sales are so enthusiastically received. We invite special attention to the following items:

Shirt Waistings in figured and striped jacquard and madras.
Very pretty open weave fancy mercerized figured Muslins, fancy Lingerie.
Fancy corded and figured Lotis Cloth, suitable for shirt waist suits.
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Plain mercerized Nainsook. Plain mercerized Persian Lawn from **20c** to **75c** a yd.
Plain French Nainsook, 45 inches wide, **50c** to **75c** a yd.
Skirtings, in Indian head, linens, galitea and pique, poplin cord, plain and mercerized and fine mercerized Rep.
Linen Suitings and Shirt Waistings, in 4-4, 5-4 & 10-4 widths, from **30c** to **1.00** yd.
Fine Linen Lawns, 4-4 widths, from **50c** to **1.50** a yard.
Table Linens and Napkins, Table Sets, Table Felt Padding, Damask and Huck Towels, Glass Toweling and Crashes, Bed Spreads, Sheets and Pillow Cases in all widths and qualities.

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Grand wind-up of all we have of this season's READY-TO-WEAR HATS

3.00, 4.00 and 5.00 Hats now for **1.50** | 1.00, 1.50 and 2.00 Hats now for **50c**

The Woodhull & Martin Store

WOMEN'S EXCHANGE HAS ITS ANNUAL MEETING

OFFICERS ELECTED AND REPORTS FOR THE YEAR RECEIVED.

Officers were elected for the coming year and reports presented at the annual meeting of the Women's Exchange held this morning in the parish house of Grace church. Owing to the storm many of the members were prevented from attending and in the absence of the president, Mrs. O. T. Waring, the recording secretary, Mrs. T. W. T. Maxwell, called the meeting to order. At her suggestion Mrs. Isaac N. VanSickel was made chairman pro tem.

It was reported that the receipts for the past year were $7,303.10 and out of this sum $4,863.21 was paid to consignors. Some persons have had the idea that consignors were not paid for their work and the officers of the exchange wish to correct the impression. There are 134 consignors at present and 130 subscribers to the exchange, thirty-three more than last year. No entertainments were given during the year, yet the exchange closes the year entirely out of debt and with a good balance in the treasury.

These officers were elected for the coming year:

President, Mrs. O. T. Waring; first vice-president, Miss Elizabeth R. Cock; second vice-president, Mrs. S. D. Lounsbery; treasurer, Mrs. William M. Stillman; recording secretary, Mrs. T. W. T. Maxwell; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Howard C. Tracy; chairman of the house committee, Mrs. Tompkins.

Funeral of Thomas Rafferty.

The funeral of Thomas Rafferty was held this morning at 9:30 o'clock at St. Mary's church, where solemn requiem mass was said. Father Bogan was the celebrant, Father Delehanty the deacon and Father Sciollia the sub-deacon. There was a large attendance of relatives and friends, including many former associates of the young man. The interment was in St. Mary's cemetery and the pallbearers were Harvey Moynihan, Edward Lynch, Francis J. Blatz, John Carty, Harry DeMeza and Erwin Neighbor.

Four Hundred Pounds of Turkey.

The committee from the Ladies' Christian Work Society of Trinity Reformed church, having charge of the arrangements for the annual turkey supper to be held Thursday and Friday nights, met yesterday to further details for the affair. It was reported that 400 pounds of fine turkey have been secured for the feast, in addition to all the good things which accompany it. Kenneth Stuart's orchestra will furnish music both nights.

The regular Tuesday evening song service will be held at the Grove Street Rescue Mission tonight. It will be followed by a business meeting.

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SEATS NOW ON SALE.

Friday, Feb. 8—
AS TOLD IN THE HILLS.
A Play You Cannot Afford to Miss.
PRICES—25c, 35c, 50c.

Saturday, Mat. and Night—Feb. 9—
Return of Last Season's Best Melodrama,
A WIFE'S SECRET.
Prices—Matinee 25c and 35c.
Night 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c.

Lincoln's Birthday, Mat. and Night—Feb. 12—
WILTON LACKAYE In
THE LAW AND THE MAN.
Matinee price, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, $1
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ANNUAL TURKEY SUPPER
Under auspices of
The Ladies' Christian Work Society,
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From 6 to 9 o'clock.
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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

Thomas Duffy, who received a severe injury to his foot a couple of weeks ago, a heavy iron falling on it, is able to be about again and will soon return to his position with the railroad company.

The attendance at the sessions of the public school today was exceptionally small, it being impossible for the children to get through the huge snow drifts.

While the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company is maintaining a fairly good local service today, the through trains are all several hours late.

Harry Mundy, who has been detained at home by illness for several days, is recovering.

Miss Margaret Randolph is critically ill at her home with rheumatism.

(Additional suburban news on page 2).

In the Land of the "Moonshiner."

Mrs. George H. Frost, of 745 Watchung avenue, has invited a few friends for Thursday evening of this week to listen to an informal talk about the Kentucky mountaineers, by Rev. William Goodell Frost, president of Berea College, an institution which cares for the education of about 900 students annually, the majority being children, of varying ages and of both sexes, of these interesing but little known fellow citizens of the great Republic. Mr. Frost has been president of Berea College for several years and through his intimate acquaintance with the life and habits of these quaint people has many interesting experiences to relate. Contributions are not solicited: better knowledge of the work that is being done among these people is the object of the lecture.

Death of George D. Howell.

George D. Howell, formerly of Chester, Pa., and a son-in-law of T. S. Alberti, formerly of this city, but now of New Brunswick, died at his home in New York on Sunday at the age of sixty-three years. The body will be brought to this city and the funeral services will be held from the parlors of the Seventh-Day Baptist church tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Mr. Macintyre Resigns.

George L. Macintyre, of West Front street, has resigned his position as secretary and manager with the Frank L. C. Martin Auto Co. Mr. Macintyre has been with the company for sixteen years, starting during the heyday of the bicycle of which it made a specialty until a short time ago.

—Owing to the storm there was no meeting of the Borough Board of Health last night.

COUNCILMANIC ROUTINE

Many Petitions Presented and Various Improvements Decided Upon.

WORD FROM THE P. P. A.

Secretary Hands In Resolutions Adopted Asking Council's Co-Operation in Gas and Electric Matters.

Resolutions adopted at the meeting of the Plainfield Protective Association, last week, asking that the Common Council co-operate with it in securing better gas and electric service from the Public Service Corporation in accordance with suggestions made in the report of the expert, Alfred Spice, were presented at the February meeting of the Common Council, last night, by the secretary, H. C. White. They were referred to the light committee for consideration and a report later on.

John Porter and other residents petitioned for electric lights and repairs on Prescott place, between Third and Fourth streets. The petitions were referred.

Mrs. Mary S. Myers, through her attorney, W. M. Stillman, asked for the return of $20.25 overpaid taxes for 1906, the Union County Taxation Board having allowed a reduction in her assessment. The matter was referred to the finance committee.

A report was received from the treasurer of the Plainfield Fire Department Pension Fund, showing a balance at last report of $274.20, disbursements of $148.64 and a present balance of $103.53. The report was referred to the fire and building committee.

Theodore J. LaRue resigned as a call member of Hose Company No. 1, and the same was accepted. Residents of Martine avenue asked for the location of two fire hydrants on that thoroghfare and the matter was referred.

Elston M. French, who is interested in the development of the Highland Park Realty Company property in the east end of the city, called the attention of the members to three petitions presented last year asking for sewers, macadamized streets and sidewalks and asked that something be done. Later Mr. Montgomery reported back a previous petition from Mr. French and moved that three electric lights be located in that section, one on East Front street and Sumner avenue, one at East Second street and Emerson avenue and the third at Emerson avenue and George street.

This called forth considerable discussion. Mr. Buxton stated that he thought that the Common Council should exercise care in granting lights. He understood that the houses in the section referred to are not occupied and he thought it was time to place lights there when they are.

Mr. Montgomery said that no owner of property could hope to sell or lease it unless it had such improvements and he understood that the houses referred to were now occupied. Mr. Mellick agreed with Mr. Montgomery and added that persons who are willing to invest money in improvements should be encouraged. Mr. Montgomery's motion for the three lights was finally adopted.

Petitions received from J. D. Loizeaux and others asking for lights on Rock avenue, between West Second and Third streets, and that South Second street be macadamized and graded were referred to the proper committees.

A communication from the Board of Education notified the Common Council that L. N. Lovell and C. F. Abbott had been appointed to represent the board on the Board of School Estimate. Two members from the Common Council and the Mayor constitute the board.

By way of explanation, Clerk MacMurray said that Clerk Walters, of the New Jersey Senate, had informed him that he would be willing to furnish the city with a double set of all laws passed during the session of the Legislature for $30. Heretofore, the city has paid $25 for one set sent to the office of Corporation Counsel Marsh. Now the city wants to secure extra copies for the clerk's office. The extra $5 would cover postage. Later a resolution was adopted authorizing Clerk MacMurray to make the arrangements.

A petition from the Plainfield Riding and Driving Club and others asked the Common Council to widen Randolph road between Park and Woodland avenues sixty feet and macadamize it sixteen feet. The matter was referred. A petition for a light on Netherwood avenue, between East Front and Second streets, was referred, and the bonds of Constables John Manley and Street Commissioner Gavett, which were approved by the corporation counsel, were received and filed.

Proposed plans for the remodelling of Bernard Mann's building at 120 West Fourth street, were presented by Blanchard Fosgate, architect, and referred to the fire and building committee. The Board of Health's annual report for last year was referred to the committee on public affairs. Clerk Horace G. Adams, of the district court, reported receipts of $119.59 for the past month, with a balance of $75.24. Street Commissioner Gavett reported that from December 14 to January 14, twenty sewer permits were granted, and Building Inspector Doane reported the granting of twenty-two permits.

On the recommendation and motion of Mr. Montgomery, an electric light was ordered placed on Rose street, opposite the property of B. A. Mumford & Son, according to a petition.

Mr. Ginna, as chairman of the street committee, presented several resolutions, which were adopted. The first one provided for the laying of crosswalks in certain sections of the city, another provided for the location of a hydrant near the city's disposal beds and a third requested that the Union Water Company be requested to lower a water pipe on Park terrace, to prevent freezing.

Mr. Ginna offered an ordinance providing for the establishment of the proper grade on Elmwood place, Pruden's alley, Exchange alley, Cottage place, Denmark road, West End avenue, Arlington place, West Third street, South Second street, and a part of Randolph road. The ordinance was adopted on first and second readings and ordered advertised. A public hearing on the ordinance will be given on Monday night, March 4.

When Mr. Buxton moved, according to a notice previously given, that the rule of the Common Council be adopted as the by-laws, it resulted in considerable discussion on the part of Mr. Montgomery, who was anxious to have the matter laid over until the adjourned meeting February 25, when all of the members could attend.

Notwithstanding the fact that Mr. Tolles, Mr. Buxton and Mr. Ginna stated that the finance committee had agreed to recommend that the rules remain as at present, Mr. Montgomery was anxious that they be amended according to Mr. Tyler's suggestions, which provide that no official or member of the Common Council shall expend an amount greater than $30 without obtaining bids. It was explained that the rules at present safeguard the city in this respect.

Mr. Montgomery questioned Mr. Buxton's right to present a formal report, one not in writing, but Mr. Tolles explained that it had always been the custom and he ruled against him. The motion to adopt the rules as by-laws was finally adopted, all but Mr. Montgomery voting in favor of it.

Mr. Buxton offered an amendment to an ordinance, which was adopted on first and second readings and ordered advertised. It provides that the Mayor shalll grant licenses to peddlers, hawkers, expressmen, truckmen, hackmen, etc., to so many as he thinks is proper and to those of good moral character, and that the clerk keep a record of the same.

Engagement Announced.

Mrs. John Lance, of Dunellen, announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Enid Mabelle Fonda, daughter of the late A. P. Fonda, of Kansas City, Mo., to Otto Muller, of Elizabeth.

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ROBERT A. MEEKER, Administrator.
2 5 5 tu

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DIED.

HOWELL—In New York city, Sunday, Feb. 3, 1907, George D. Howell, of Chester, Pa., in his 63d year.

Services in the parlor of the Seventh-Day Baptist church Wednesday afternoon, February 6, at 2:30 o'clock.

Classified Advertisements

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Help Wanted.

GIRLS wanted. Apply Watchung Silk Co., North Plainfield. 2 4 3

WANTED—A nurse. 915 Hillside avenue. 1 26 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Call 113 Park place, corner Mercer avenue. 2 4 3

Help Wanted.

WANTED — Experienced cook; white; reference required. Apply 1060 Central Ave. 2 4 tf

WANTED—Nursemaid. Apply 129 Grove St. 2 4 3

WANTED—White girl for general housework; no washing. Call afternoons, 955 West Sixth St. 1 24 tf

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. 678 West Seventh street. 2 4 tf

YOUNG Polish girl wants situation to do general housework. Call 657 South Second St. 2 5 3

WANTED—Colored maid as chambermaid and waitress. Mrs. Joy, 80 Myrtle avenue. 2 5 2

WANTED—Waitress (white); reference required. 151 East Seventh St. 2 5 3

MACHINISTS—First class vise, lathe and boring mill hands wanted at the Watson Stillman Co., Aldene, N. J. 2 4 12

WANTED—Girl for general housework; white preferred; no washing. Apply 829 Park avenue. 2 2 3

WANTED—Two foundry helpers. Aluminum Press Co. 1 31 tf

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at once at Mrs. Keller's Intelligence Office, 22 Somerset place. 12 29 tf

GIRL wanted to cook, wash and iron; references required. Apply 526 West Seventh St. 1 29 tf

WANTED—Two good white girls, cook and laundress; reference. Address Box 40, care Press. 2 4 3

GIRL wanted to assist at housework. 129 Grove street, corner Park place. 1 30 tf

WANTED—Good cook, white; references. Call 441 West 8th street. 1 4 tf

WANTED — General housework girls. Mrs. Day's Intelligence Office, South Plainfield, N. J. 12 12 tf

For Rent.

THREE-ROOM apartment to let, centrally located; rent $10. E. M. French, 171 North Ave. 2 5 tf

FOR RENT—From April 1st, 8-room house, with barn; all improvements; fine location. Address A. E. M., care Press. 2 1 tf

TO RENT—16 acres farm. Address Mrs. William Martin, New Brunswick Road, city. 1 30 6

TO LET—Offices in City Bank building now occupied by Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. Apply to S. J. Robertson, room 6. 2 2 3

TO LET—Large, new store, No. 407 Watchung avenue. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin building. 9 24 tf

DENTIST office, heat, telephone, light, water, door attendance. 178 East Front street. 1 11 tf

Wanted—Miscellaneous.

WANTED—At once, two-seated sleigh in good condition, reasonable Address Sleigh, care Press.

WANTED—House 8 rooms, all improvements; convenient to North Avenue or Grant Avenue stations; cash price $4,000 to $4,500. Address F. P. K., care Daily Press. 2 4 6

WILL care for good horse for the winter for use of same. Address Good Care, care Press. 10 6 tf

UPRIGHT piano wanted cheap for cash; any condition. Address Box 605, Plainfield. 11 8 tf

Chickens and Eggs.

WANTED—At once, several brooding hens. Address Rufus Delafield, South Plainfield. 2 4 3

FOR SALE—One white and one brown Wyandotte rooster. 223 Somerset street. 2 4 3

FOR SALE—One Cyphers incubator and three out-door brooders practically new. Address G. G., care Press. 2 2 tf

BLACK ORPINGTON COCKERELS AND PULLETS—A few choice ones for sale; fine shape and color; good enough to show; brothers to first prize winners at the late large shows; write for prices; eggs $5 per setting. Oak Tree Poultry and Game Farm, Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J. 1 21 tf

Situations Wanted.

WANTED—Position by young man who has had eight years of mercantile experience; satisfactory references given. Apply 306 Richmond St.

WANTED—Refined girl would like position as chambermaid; best references. Address all week to M. C., Bound Brook, N. J., P. O. Box 512.

COLORED woman wants two unfurnished rooms. Martha A. Jones, 418 West Fourth St. 1 31 6

WANTED—Position as housekeeper by refined young woman, thoroughly competent to manage. Address Housekeeper, care Press. 2 4 3

WOMAN wants any kind of work; will take washing home; good references. 924 West Third St. 2 4 3

Miscellaneous.

ADMINISTRATOR'S sale at D. W. Applegate's sale and exchange stables, Somerset street, Plainfield, Thursday, February 7, 10 a. m., 15 horses, new harness, second-hand harness, farm wagons, business wagons, surrey, and two steel carts; sale positive rain or shine as we sell under cover; these goods must and will be sold for the high dollar. Elizabeth Applegate, Administratrix. 2 5 2

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Money to Loan.

MONEY to loan on mortgage; five per cent. Louis A. Clement, lawyer, Babcock building. 2 4 6

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TO LOAN—Money on first mortgages at 5 per cent. V. W. Nash, Jr., 221 Park avenue. 6 22 tf

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FOR SALE OR FOR RENT—Several houses, stores and offices. J. P. W. Taylor, 102 North Ave. 12 20 tf

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Daring Young New York Bookkeeper Risks His Life to Save Two Strangers.

New York.—An old six-story American basement dwelling on East Eleventh street caught fire on the first floor the other afternoon and in the scramble to get out no one on the five lower floors thought of two men, Louis and Max Schwartz, who were working in a fur room in the rear of the top floor.

The first known of their danger was when the Schwartz brothers came out on the fire escape and shouted for help.

No hook and ladder had arrived and there seemed to be no way of escape but to jump. The Schwartz brothers

He Pulled Both of the Men to Safety.

were about to leap to the sidewalk when a window adjoining in a nine-story building was raised and Charles Bell, a bookkeeper 21 years old, called to them to stay where they were and he would rescue them.

Abraham Goldberg and Solomon Strow, workmen for a manufacturing company, for whom Bell is bookkeeper, had remained with him. The window of the building where Bell and his comrades stood is half a story higher than the fire escape where the Schwartz brothers stood and about five feet to one side. Bell told the two workers to hold fast to his legs and the young bookkeeper crawled out on the window ledge, over the coping and swung, head first, far to the side toward the balcony of the adjoining house. Louis Schwartz, standing on the fire escape rail, was just able to reach Bell's outstretched hands when the bookkeeper was let down almost to his full length by his legs. The young bookkeeper pulled both men to safety.

Dead Man Sat Beside Him.

New York.—Harry Melbourne drove a heavy furniture van through the Christmas shoppers Sixth avenue for nearly an hour with a dead man on the seat beside him. With John Parken, 45 years old, the regular driver of the van, Melbourne went to a house in West Thirteenth street to get a load of household goods to take to Harlem. The two men carried out chairs, tables, beds and other effects and had a large pile on the sidewalk when Parken reeled and complained of feeling ill. Melbourne supported him and led him to the wagon. Propping him up on the seat and wrapping a blanket around him he finished loading up the big vehicle alone. At Thirty-first street Melbourne drew his wagon up alongside the curb, made a hasty examination and found that Parken was dead. A physician called from the New York hospital said that Parken had died of heart disease and apparently had been lifeless for nearly an hour.

Finds Family Are Disagreeable.

Edmonton, Ala.—A weird tale of cannibalism among the Indians of the far north was brought in the other day by John McDougall, son of the first missionary to the Canadian northwest, who is in the employ of the Hudson's Bay company, and L. S. C. Ward, an independent trapper. A member of the Rib tribe, when provisions ran short, killed and ate his wife and three children, one by one, but soon died from the effects of overeating.

MacDougall and Ward are enthusiastic over the possibilities of the great wilderness. They tell of salt wells of inexhaustible wealth, of supplies of game limited only by the abilities of trappers to carry it away and of lakes full of excellent fish, but at present inaccessible on account of the lack of transportation.

College Gets a Mule.

Oberlin, O.—A big mule in Peter's hall was what greeted Janitor May as he entered the building early the other morning.

No sound did the animal make except the shuffling of his hoofs as he stood on the second floor in the gallery overlooking the central court. He was a large specimen and it required the united efforts of May and Folk, the college carpenter, to get him out of the building.

The stairs were broad and it was not very difficult for a bunch of college boys to lead him up, where he would have caused trouble had he not been discovered by the janitor. Whether it was a class "stunt" has not been learned, but it is attributed to the freshmen.

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The great success which attends "When Women Love," which was seen at the New Plainfield theatre last night and will be repeated tonight, is easily accounted for as it pleases both the eye and the ear. The company that interprets the play is said to be exceptionally fine, and gives tone to it. "When Women Love" is a four act drama of much merit, each act fitting together consistently. The scenes are laid in New York and on the Hudson river, and embody a play that is true to life. A phonograph is employed in a startlingly novel manner in solving the mystery of a crime in the melodrama. An innocent person has been wrongly condemned when, through the instrumentality of the phonograph, his innocence is clearly established and he is discharged. The scene is one of the most effective and the most novel ever seen on the stage.

"As Told In the Hills," the new melodrama of Western life which is being presented by W. F. Mann, is regarded as one of the best dramatic offerings of the season. The play is one that appeals especially to lovers of melodrama who have grown tired of those depicting life in the under world of the great cities where crime and debauchery are brought to view and in contrast with that class of play the new production is refreshingly clean and bright all through. The opening scene of the play where the little band of emigrants has been surrounded by hostile Indians and in danger of annihilation is intensely thrilling while the later scenes showing the Arkansas farm have a charming touch of nature that is made especially effective by not being overdrawn. This new and intensely interesting play will be seen at the New Plainfield theatre next Friday night.

A beautiful stage portraiture of a woman's fidelity and man's injustice is said to be charmingly presented in the successful emotional drama, "A Wife's Secret," which Spencer and Aborn produced two years ago on a splendid scale, and which has steadily grown in popularity ever since, in many cities where it has played three annual engagements. It will be at the New Plainfield theatre next Saturday afternoon and night. Far from losing its prestige by repetition, criticisms clipped from newspapers in other cities show that this year it is meeting with more enthusiasm than ever before, and on account of its exceptional merit as a dramatic work, and a mirror held up to human nature, its popularity is likely to continue for a long time. It involves an interesting story, told in a simple, straightforward manner, with engaging heart interest, thrilling realism and original comedy. The cast is reputed to be an excellent one this year, in every detail of its personnel, containing such familiar names as Grace Hopkins, Winona Bridges, Willard Bowman, George B. Connor, William J. Shea, Tommy Toner, Allan St. John, W. W. Newton, Anna Little, Estel Dudley and many others.

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"Nuns in spectacles, the gentle educators of youth and that sort of thing, with a good-natured old man for their prey. None of them for me!"

"I rather thought so," remarked Pickering,—and he pulled his watch from his pocket and turned the stem with his heavy fingers. He was short, thickset and sleek, with a square jaw, hair already thin and a close-clipped mustache. Age, I mentally reflected, was not improving him.

I had no intention of allowing him to see that I was irritated. I drew out my cigarette case and passed it across the table.

"After you! They're made quite specially for me in Madrid."

"You forget that I never use tobacco in any form."

"You always did miss a good deal of the joy of living," I observed, throwing my smoking match into his waste-paper basket, to his obvious annoyance. "Well, I'm the bad boy of the story-books; but I'm really sorry my inheritance has a string tied to it. I'm about out of money. I suppose you wouldn't advance me a few thousands on my expectation—"

"Not a cent," he declared, with quite unnecessary vigor; and I laughed again, remembering that in my old appraisement of him generosity had not been represented in large figures. "It's not in keeping with your grandfather's wishes that I should do so. You must have spent a good bit of money in your tiger hunting exploits," he added.

"I have spent all I had," I replied amiably. "Thank God, I'm not a clam. I've seen the world and paid for it, and I ask nothing of you. You undoubtedly share my grandfather's idea of me, that I'm a wild man who can't sit still or lead an orderly, decent life; but I'm going to give you a terrible disappointment. What's the size of the estate?"

Pickering eyed me—uneasily, I thought—and began playing with a pencil. I never liked Pickering's hands; they were thick and white and better kept than I like to see a man's hands.

"I fear it's going to be disappointing in his trust-company boxes here I have been able to find only about ten thousand dollars' worth of securities. Possibly—quite possibly—we were all deceived in the amount of his fortune. Sister Theresa wheedled large sums out of him, and he spent, as you will see, a small fortune on the house at Annandale without finishing it. It wasn't a cheap proposition, and in its unfinished condition it is practically valueless. You must know that Mr. Glenarm gave away a great deal of money in his lifetime. Moreover, he established your father. You know what he left,—it was not a small fortune as those things are reckoned."

I was restless under this recital. My father's estate had been of respectable size, and I had dissipated the whole of it. My conscience pricked me as I recalled an item of $40,000 that I had spent—somewhere grandly—on an expedition that I led, with considerable satisfaction to myself, at least, through the Sudan. But Pickering's words amazed me.

"Let me understand you," I said, bending toward him. "My grandfather was supposed to be rich, and yet you tell me you find little property. Sister Theresa got money from him to help build a school. How much was that?"

"Fifty thousand dollars. It was an open account. His books show the advances, but he took no notes."

"And that claim is worth—?"

"It is good as against her individually. But she contends—"

"Yes, go on!"

I had struck the right note. He was annoyed by my persistence and his apparent discomfort pleased me.

"She refuses to pay. She says Mr. Glenarm made her a gift of the money."

"That's possible, isn't it? He was forever making gifts to churches. Schools and theological seminaries were a sort of weakness with him."

"We'll pass that. If you get this money the estate is worth $60,000, plus the value of the land out there at Annandale, and Glenarm House is worth—"

"There you have me!"

It was the first lightness he had shown, and it put me on guard.

"I should like an idea of its value. Even an unfinished house is worth something."

"Land out there is worth from $100 to $150 an acre. There's an even hundred acres. I'll be glad to have your appraisement of the house when you get there."

"Humph! You flatter my judgment, Pickering. The loose stuff there is worth how much?"

"It's all in the library. Your grandfather's weakness was architecture—"

"So I remember!" I interposed, recalling my stormy interviews with John Marshall Glenarm over my choice of a profession.

"In his last years he turned more and more to his books. He placed out there what is, I suppose, the finest collection of books relating to architecture to be found in this country. That was his chief hobby, after church affairs, as you may remember, and he rode it hard. But he derived a great deal of satisfaction from his studies."

I laughed again; it was easier to laugh than to cry over the situation.

"I suppose he wanted me to sit down there, surrounded by works on architecture, with the idea that a study of the subject would be my only resource. The scheme is eminently Glenarmian! And all I get is a worthless house, a hundred acres of land, $10,000, and a doubtful claim against a Protestant nun who hoodwinked my grandfather into setting up a school for her. Bless you heart, man, so far as my inheritance is concerned it would have been money in my pocket to have stayed in Africa."

"That's about the size of it."

"But the personal property is all mine,—anything that's loose on the place. Perhaps my grandfather planted old plate and government bonds just to pique the curiosity of his heirs, successors and assigns. It would be in keeping!"

I had walked to the window and looked out across the city. As I turned suddenly I found Pickering's eye bent upon me with curious intentness. I had never liked his eyes; they were too steady. When a man always meets your gaze tranquilly and readily, it is just as well to be wary of him.

"Yes; no doubt you will find the place literally packed with treasure," he said, and laughed. "When you find anything you might wire me."

He smiled; the idea seemed to give him pleasure.

"Are you sure there's nothing else?" I asked. "No substitute,—no codicil?"

"If you know of anything of the kind it's your duty to produce it. We have exhausted the possibilities. I'll admit that the provisions of the will are unusual; your grandfather was a peculiar man in many respects; but he was thoroughly sane and his faculties were all sound to the last."

"He treated me a lot better than I deserved," I said, with a heartache that I had not known often in my irresponsible life; but I could not afford to show feeling before Arthur Pickering.

I picked up the copy of the will and examined it. It was undoubtedly authentic; it bore the certificate of the clerk of Wabana county, Indiana. The witnesses were Thomas Bates and Arthur Pickering.

"Who is Bates?" I asked, pointing to the man's signature.

"One of your grandfather's discoveries. He's in charge of the house out there, and a trustworthy fellow. He's a fair cook, among other things. I don't know where Mr. Glenarm got Bates, but he had every confidence in him. The man was with him at the end."

A picture of my grandfather dying, alone with a servant, while I, his only kinsman, wandered in strange lands, was not one that I could contemplate with much satisfaction. My grandfather had been an odd little figure of a man, who always wore a long black coat, silk hat, and carried a curious silver-headed staff, and said puzzling things at which everybody was afraid either to laugh or to cry. The thought of him touched me now. I was glad to feel that his money had never been a lure to me; it did not matter whether his estate was great or small, I could, at least, ease my conscience by obeying the behest of the old man whose name I bore, and whose interest in the finer things of life and art had given him an undeniable distinction.

"I should like to know something of Mr. Glenarm's last days," I said abruptly.

"He wished to visit the village where he was born, and Bates, his companion and servant, went to Vermont with him. He died quite suddenly, and was buried beside his father in the old village cemetery. I saw him last early in the summer. I was away from home and did not know of his death until it was all over. Bates came to report it to me, and to sign the necessary papers in probating the will. It had to be done in the place of the decedent's residence, and we went together to Wabana, the seat of the county in which Annandale lies."

I was silent after this, looking out toward the sea that had called me since my earliest dreams of the world that lay beyond it.

"It's a poor stake, Glenarm," remarked Pickering consolingly, and I wheeled upon him.

"I suppose you think it a poor stake! I suppose you can't see anything in that old man's life beyond his money; but I don't care a curse what my inheritance is! I never obeyed any of my grandfather's wishes in his lifetime, but now that he's dead his last wish is mandatory. I'm going out there to spend a year if I die for it. Do you get my idea?"

"Humph! You always were a stormy petrel," he sneered. "I fancy it will be safer to keep our most agreeable acquaintance on a strictly business basis. If you accept the terms of the will—"

"Of course I accept them! Do you think I am going to make a row, refuse to fulfill that old man's last wish!

I Found Pickering's Eyes Bent Upon Me With Curious Intentness.

I gave him enough trouble in his life without disappointing him in his grave. I suppose you'd like to have me fight the will; but I'm going to disappoint you."

He said nothing, but played with his pencil. I had never disliked him so heartily; he was so smug and comfortable. His office breathed the very spirit of prosperity. I wished to finish my business and get away.

"I suppose the region out there has a high death rate. How's the malaria?"

"Not alarmingly prevalent, I understand. There's a summer resort over on one side of Lake Annandale. The place is really supposed to be wholesome. I don't believe your grandfather had homicide in mind in sending you there."

"No, he probably thought the rustication would make a man of me. Must I do my own victualing? I suppose I'll be allowed to eat."

"Bates can cook for you. He'll supply the necessities. I'll instruct him to obey your orders. I assume you'll not have many guests,—in fact,"—he studied the back of his hand intently,—"while that isn't stipulated, I doubt whether it was your grandfather's idea that you should surround yourself—"

"With boisterous companions!" I supplied the words in my cheerfullest tone. "No; my conduct shall be exemplary, Mr. Pickering," I added, with affable irony.

He picked up a single sheet of thin typewritten paper and passed it across the table. It was a formal acquiescence in the provisions of the will. Pickering had prepared it in advance of my coming, and this assumption that I would accept the terms irritated me. Assumptions as to what I should do under given conditions had always annoyed me, and accounted, in a large measure, for my proneness to surprise and disappoint people. Pickering summoned a clerk to witness my signature.

"How soon shall you take possession?" he asked. "I have to make a note of it."

"I shall start for Indiana to-morrow," I answered.

As I rose to go Pickering said:

"It will be sufficient if you drop me a line, say once a month, to let me know you are there. The postoffice is Annandale."

"I suppose I might file a supply of postal cards in the village and arrange for the mailing of one every month."

"It might be done that way," he answered evenly.

"We may perhaps meet again, if I don't die of starvation or ennui. Good-by."

We shook hands stiffly and I left him, going down in an elevator filled with eager-eyed, anxious men. I, at least, had no cares of business. It made no difference to me whether the market rose or fell. Something of the spirit of adventure that had been my curse quickened in my heart as I walked through crowded Broadway past Trinity church to a bank and drew the balance remaining on my letter of credit. I received in currency slightly less than $1,000.

As I turned from the teller's window I ran into the arms of the last man in the world I expected to see.

This, let it be remembered, was in October of the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and one.

(CONTINUED.)

—Roy Adams has resigned his position with J. P. Powers, the Somerset street druggist, and returned to Newark, where he will take a position in a drug store.

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For Somerville—5.19, 7.11, 8.21, 9.17, 9.55, 11.00 a. m., 1.01, (1.41 Saturday only), 2.02, 2.09, 3.49, 4.33, 5.04, 5.28, 5.57 except Saturdays, 6.04, 6.19, 6.37, 7.12, 7.29, 9.09, 9.37, 10.23, 11.26 p. m., 12.59 (except Mondays) night. Sunday—5.45, 8.42, 11.13 a. m., 1.05, 2.03, 3.40, 5.37, 7.05, 8.30, 10.15, 11.16, 11.25 p. m.

For Bethlehem, Allentown and Mauch Chunk—5.25, 9.55 a. m., 2.09, 5.28, 5.47 p. m. Sundays—5.45 a. m., 2.02, 5.47, 7.05 p. m.

For Wilkesbarre and Scranton—9.55 a. m., 2.09, 5.47 p. m. Sundays—5.45 a. m., 5.47 p. m.

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For Philadelphia—7.13, 7.39, 8.45, 9.13, 10.42 a. m., 12.12, 12.42, 1.39, 2.12, 2.45, 3.12, 6.44, 8.50, 9.46 p. m., 1.17 night. Sunday—8.45, 9.53, 10.39, 10.43, 11.42 a. m., 12.42, 1.44, 2.45, 3.42, 4.55, 5.39, 6.44, 8.50, 9.46 p. m., 11.25, 1.17 night.

For Reading and Harrisburg—5.25, 9.55 a. m., 2.09 (5.47 through train). Sundays—2.03, 5.47 p. m.

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Couch Covers—Just received three hundred couch covers and will offer them at a very special price. All of excellent quality striped material—Oriental effects—alike on both sides—special each ..... .69

Table Covers—Allover designs in one and two toned colorings—fringed all around—two yards square—extra good quality—would retail regularly for $1.50 each, for this sale, special at, each $1.10

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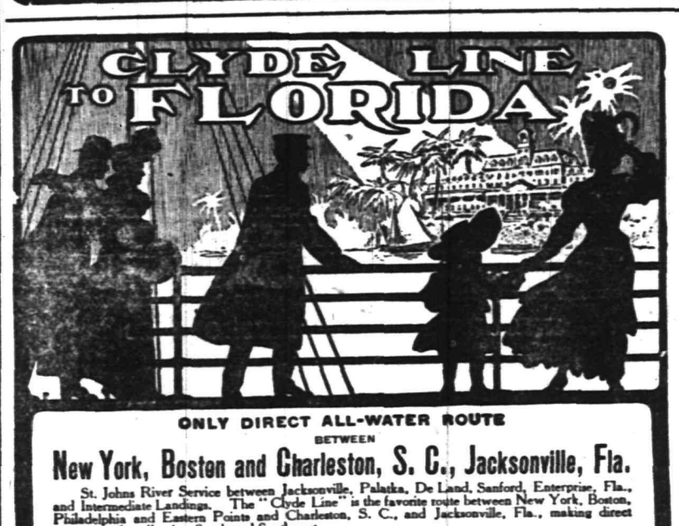

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Bowling and General Sports

FIRST TEAM LOSES; SECOND TEAM WINS

USUAL THING HAPPENS IN Y. M. C. A. BASKETBALL DEPARTMENT.

The Y. M. C. A. five lost a close basketball game with the Naval Reserve team of New Jersey, last night, by a score of 30 to 26. It was played at the Y. M. C. A. The Y. M. C. A. players owe their defeat to poor shooting. They had chance after chance to basket the ball, but failed in the throws. They went at their opponents hammer and tongs in the second half, and nearly snatched the game out of the jaws with which defeat is always provided. These jaws worked a little too fast for a second-half recovery, and they closed on the panting Plainfielders with a horrid crunch that upset Physical Director Listman.

Line up and summary:

Y. M. C. A.	Naval Reserves.
Gilmore	Newbert
Loizeaux	Renner
forward.	
Collier, Aalholm	Voss
centre.	
Miller, Loizeaux	VanDoren
Gavett	Voght
guard.	

Goals from field, Gilmore (2), Loizeaux (4), Aalholm (4), Collier, Miller, Newbert (2), Renner (4), Voss (3), VanDoren (2), Voght (2).

The Second team won its game, defeating the Plainfield High School five by the same as that of the main game. It was a lively and a pretty contest. The line-up: Seconds—Sheppard, Templin, f; Aaholm, c; Hoagland, Miner, g. P. H. S.—Caldwell, Doane, Line, f; Gavett, c; Freeman, Leggett, Loizeaux, g.

POND TEAM SWAMPED.

Defeated By Hope Boys By Terrific Score of 54 to 16.

The Hope Boys' Club basketball team defeated a team from the Pond Tool Works, in the Hope Y. M. A. gymnasium, last night, the final score being 54 to 16. The game was the first of a series to be played between these teams. The Hope boys had no difficulty in scoring at will and the victory was an easy one. The line-up:

Hope—Snyder, center; Hunter, left forward; Mortimer, right forward; Rimmer, right guard; Meade, left guard.

Ponds—Harris, center; R. Randolph, left forward; Fluck, right forward; Hoffman, right guard; C. Randolph, left guard.

George McComb was referee; James Penny, timekeeper, and William Chamberlain, scorer.

STILLMAN TEAM WINS.

Defeats Westfield Freshmen at Basketball By Score of 21 to 11.

The basketball team from the Stillman Public School defeated the Westfield freshmen team at Westfield, yesterday afternoon, by a score of 21 to 11. The Plainfield boys had the best of the argument throughout the game. At the end of the first half the score was 10 to 9 in favor of the Plainfield boys and at the end of the second half the score stood 21 to 11. The best work for the Stillman team was done by Bohan, while Cherry excelled for Westfield. The line-up:

Stillman—Clark and Manley, forwards; Bohan, center; Little and Bristol, guards.

Westfield—Cherry and Delatour, forwards; Hanford, center; Irving, Brown and Taylor, guards.

Pythian Bowling Match.

Arrangements have been completed for two bowling contests between a team from Perseverance Lodge, K. of P., this city, and Newark Lodge, K. of P., champions of the Pythian League of Newark. The Newarkers will roll here, at McLaughlin's alleys, on February 20, and the return games will be rolled in Newark. Perseverance's team will be composed of V. W. Nash, George E. Firstbrook, W. N. Runyon, E. D. Cutting, John Cose and Philip Jahn.

Meeting of P. A. F. C.

A meeting of the Plainfield Athletic Football Club will be held on Wednesday evening at the club rooms, West Front street and Clinton avenue. Business of importance will be brought up and a full attendance of members is asked.

Clear Snow From Fire Hydrants.

Chief Doane, of the fire department, issued a warning anent walk-cleaning this morning. Said Chief: "If the people who clear their walks will be careful to clean away the snow from and around the fire hydrants they may save time for the fire apparatus. A snow piled hydrant cannot be opened with any speed."

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WINTER'S WORST STORM

Snowfall Which Began Yesterday Brought Nearly a Foot of "The Beautiful."

TRAFFIC HINDERED

Railroad Trains Ran Behind Time and Trolleys Had to Fight Hard to Get Through Drifts.

Business and travel suffered as a result of the snowstorm that began yesterday afternoon and which was still faintly active at noon today. The fall was so heavy by early nightfall yesterday that only the things on runners could move with anything like ease.

The snow came down in small particles, but the latter made up in number what they lacked in size. The air was full of them all through the afternoon and most of the night. They were driven by a biting East wind that drove them into the faces of those outdoors, and made the street the last place anyone with a fire wanted to go. By noon today a total of 11.8 inches had been registered.

The drifting piles took the starch out of the trolley and railroad schedules very early. Before night the surface cars were engaged in a losing battle with delay, and the trains were struggling haltingly to make their stations with no hope of promptness. The trolley sweeper hustled up and down the tracks, but the going was too heavy to be eased up more than a bit. The cars were able to move this morning, because the sweeper fought the snow all night, but not with any snap. The trains were steadily behind time. As a result the mails were late.

North Plainfielders found easier going this morning than their city brethren. The borough sidewalk plow was put into commission at 10 o'clock last night, and it was kept going. When the boroughites left their houses this morning they found the walks cleaned enough to make walking possible without rubbers—until they got to the city streets. Over the line, where industrious householders has not wielded the shovel it was a case of plunging through drifts.

PLAY PLEASED AUDIENCE.

"When Women Love" One of the Best Melodramas of the Season.

Despite the storm, a good-sized audience was at the New Plainfield theatre last night and was rewarded for braving snow drifts by witnessing one of the best melodramas of the season. "When Women Love" is the title and it is a cleverly written piece capably acted by a large company. The scenic effects are good and there is an absence of the "stupendous" features usually prominent in a play of this kind and which only serve to hinder the action.

"When Women Love" will be repeated tonight and should be seen by all lovers of good, clean drama.

Moument For Mrs. Rogers.

Rutland, Vt., Feb. 5.—The grave of Mrs. Mary Rogers, who was hanged at Windsor in December, 1905, for the murder of her husband at Bennington in 1902, is to be marked by a $600 monument. The donor's name is withheld other than it is a wealthy Vermont woman who was greatly interested in the desperate fight for Mrs. Rogers' life on the eve of her hanging. The order for the tribute has already been placed with a manufacturer of Barre. The monument will stand eight feet tall and will measure three feet six inches each way at the base, weighing three tons.

Bad Smell in a Defense.

Only one case was contested in the District Court today, that of the Joy Courts Realty Company against Marvin D. Rae, on contract. The plaintiffs sued for $240, claimed to be due for four months' rent on an apartment at 210 West 107th street, New York. The defense is that the odor from a dynamo in the cellar of the apartment house compelled the Raes to move out. They left in 1904. The case was still on at 2:15 o'clock, with Mrs. Rae on the stand. It was said a plea of recoupment would be filed. H. C. Runyon is the plaintiffs' lawyer. W. A. Coddington is the defendant's attorney.

Volunteer Firemen Killed.

White Plains, N. Y., Feb. 5.—Three volunteer firemen were killed and four injured, one probably fatally, while at work early yesterday morning on the ruins of the Mead Building, which was destroyed by fire Sunday night. The dead are. John Cromwell, thirty years old, assistant cashier of the First National Bank, of which institution his father is president; Charles E. Cooley, thirty years old, a real estate agent; Caleb Underhill, thirty-two years old, a liveryman.

—On Monday evening, February 11, at the Y. M. C. A. hall, D. W. Robertson's Famous Moving Picture Company of New York City, will give another of their matchless moving picture entertainments, which have become so popular in Plainfield. This will be Mr. Robertson's twelfth visit to this city, and already seats are selling, and indications are for another crowded house.

LAWSON SYNDICATE ATTACHED BY LOCAL MAN

H. G. RUNKLE ALLEGES MONEY FOR COPPER MINES WAS USED IMPROPERLY

Two orders of attachment of $500,000 each were issued yesterday by Judge Lawson in the Superior Court at Boston in favor of Henry G. Runkle, of this city, on the funds and property of Albert C. Burrage, Thos. W. Lawson, G. B. Burrage, the Eliot National Bank, National Shawmut Bank and the firm of Hayden, Stone and Company, bankers and brokers.

The orders were granted because of the two suits brought about three years ago. The first suit is to recover $386,125 subscribed by persons in 1899 to a syndicate for the purpose of developing copper mines in New Mexico and Arizona. It is alleged that the syndicate did not exercise reasonable care and judgment in the spending of the funds and received profit from the promotion.

The second suit is to recover $20,000 given by Runkle for the same purpose.

The bill of complaint alleges that Lawson Burrage and others organized a $500,000 syndicate to buy copper mines in Mexico and Arizona, and received subscriptions from a number of persons to the amount of $400,000 on representations that were not carried out.

It is alleged that they did not use proper judgment and prudence in the investment of the funds of the syndicate, but devoted them to the purchase of unworked and unprofitable copper mines, received large personal profits for the promotion of the enterprise, and offered the subscriber an unfair and disproportionate amount of the stock of the Arimex Consolidated Copper Company, which acquired the purchased properties.

Runkle declared himself willing to deliver the receipts and certificates of the subscribers represented by him, but wanted the defendants ordered to pay back what the subscribers paid in.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Hope chapel will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Louis Martin, 1004 West Third street.

No. 2243.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

The City National Bank.

at Plainfield, in the State of New Jersey, at the close of business,

Jan. 26, 1907.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$1,021,518 77
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		46 92
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		150,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		5,180 00
Bonds, securities, etc.		490,537 79
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures		71,206 50
Interest Paid		6,352 20
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		14,799 56
Due from State Banks and Bankers		2,198 49
Due from approved reserve agents		356,236 49
Checks and other cash items.		6,633 67
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents		465 76
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz.:		
Specie	$55,017 00	
Legal-tender notes	33,764 00	
		88,781 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)		7,500 00
Total		$2,021,503 15

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 150,000 00
Surplus fund	50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	176,998 76
National Bank notes outstanding	147,300 00
Accrued Interest	779 84
Due to other National Banks.	14,393 84
Due to State Banks and Bankers	1,098 73
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	20,863 39
Dividends unpaid	64 00
Individual deposits subject to check	1,372,965 18
Demand certificates of deposit	12,693 62
Time certificates of deposit..	72,385 67
Certified checks	1,132 55
Cashier's checks outstanding	327 25
Total	$2,021,503 15

State of New Jersey, County of Union. ss:

I, William F. Arnold, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

William F. Arnold, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this first day of February, 1907.
fifteenth day of November, 1906.
J. C. Pope, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
Louis K. Hyde,
Jas. T. Closson,
F. de L. Hyde,
Directors.

DIVIDEND NO. 60.

CITY NATIONAL BANK,
PLAINFIELD, N. J.

The Board of Directors have this day declared the usual semi-annual dividend of four per cent. on the capital stock of this bank out of the earnings of the past six months, and an extra dividend of one per cent. upon the capital stock of said bank, payable on and after Tuesday, February 5, 1907.

Wm. F. Arnold, Cashier.
Dated, Plainfield, Jan. 30, 1907.

The City National Bank of Plainfield, N. J., since its organization has paid to its stockholders in dividends on their capital stock ..... $ 324,750 00
and now has a surplus of 50,000 00
and undivided profits after paying dividends 158,400 00
with doposits of $1,500,000 00

The above shows that the bank is increasing its business, and is one of the strongest institutions in the State.

FOR WEEK COMMENCING MONDAY, FEB. 4, 1907.

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IF YOU TRADE AT THE A&P STORES

ONLY ONE PRICE.

The Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Company stands at the Head of the Retail Tea, Coffee and Grocery Business in the U. S. They are no mushroom concern. They are in business to stay, sell the Best Goods at the Lowest Prices all the time, make money and Save You Money. Full weight, polite and courteous treatment to all. They organized the Tea and Coffee business in 1859, to take the Burden off the People. Reorganized in 1869 to extend the business over the United States. Incorporated in 1901 to Perpetuate the business. They are the Oldest, Largest and Most Successful Retail Tea, Coffee and Grocery Concern in the World. They are satisfied with a Small Margin of Profit on their enormous business—Hence the Low Prices.

SPECIAL LEADERS:

Satin Gloss Soap, 7 cakes for	25c
A&P Borax Soap, 7 cakes for	25c
Schumacher's or A&P Farina, regular price 6c, package	5c
Marshall's Tomato Herring in Sauce, regular price 15c	12½c
Colman's English Mustard, regular price 13c, ¼-lb can	10c

EXTRA S&H STAMPS.

80 Stamps with a large can of A&P Baking Powder	50c
50 Stamps with 50c worth of Our Famous Teas and Coffees	50c
20 Stamps with 3 cans of A&P Condensed Milk, each	10c
10 Stamps with 1 package of Magi Washing Crystals	10c
10 Stamps with 1 package Minute Tapioca	10c
10 Stamps with 1 package of A&P or X-Ray Stove Polish	5c
10 Stamps with 1 can A&P Evaporated Milk, 10c or 2 cans at 5c each	
10 Stamps with 2 packages of Cream of Wheat	25c
10 Stamps with 1 package of Egg-O-See	10c
10 Stamps with 1 package of Grandmother's Grains	10c

TEAS—If you want to Enjoy a cup of Pure Tea, try our new cup. Formosa, Oolong, English Breakfast, Japan Ceylon, Mixed, Young Hyson, Gunpowder, Imperial, India, 50c a lb. This is the best 50c Tea in the United States. Fancy Chop Teas, 60c and 70c a lb. Very Good Teas, 35c and 40c a lb.

COFFEES—There is nothing so dear and disappointing as a cup of poor Coffee. If you want perfection, Try Our Coffees. 25c, 30c, 35c. Very Best 38c a lb. Very Good Coffees, 18c and 20c a lb. Fair Coffee, 15c a lb.

THE GREAT ATLANTIC AND PACIFIC TEA CO.

137-139 W. Front Street, Plainfield, N. J.

265 Stores in the United States.

Weinberger's New York Clothing Co.

202 West Front St., Plainfield, N. J.

The Largest Retail Clothiers in Union County.

Taking Inventory!

We are taking inventory this week and will announce later the result. **We do not intend to carry over one Suit or Overcoat** of this winter's stock. Notwithstanding our immense reorganization sale, which, by the way, carried off thousands of dollars' worth of merchandise and pleased hundreds of our customers, **we have considerable winter stock left,** and also find that it consists mostly of the **higher priced goods,** and in order to **clean up entirely** after inventory we will still further reduce the price so

ALL MUST GO!

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 6, ONLY.

A $5.00 Pair of Glasses For $1.00.

To Introduce our improved crystal lenses, this offer includes a 12K SOLID GOLD SHELL FRAME WARRANTED FOR 20 YEARS.

ALSO a thorough examination of the eyes by a specialist, no better tests to be had at any price, and GUARANTEE THAT your glasses will fit.

IF YOU HAVE A HEADACHE

if you squint, if your vision blurs, if after reading a short time you get drowsy, if you have dizzy spells, if you see objects double, if you have been told you have vertigo, nine cases out of ten the trouble is with your eyes, and can be corrected with properly fitted glasses. Agency

FRANK ROWLEY, Druggist, 218 W. FRONT ST., PLAINFIELD, N. J.

For the benefit of those whom we have fitted and their friends, we will continue this offer one day, on **Wednesday, February 6th.**

OFFICE HOURS—9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

MILLS OPTICAL CO.

MAIN OFFICE AND FACTORY, 110 EAST 23d STREET, NEW YORK.

Our entire output from maker to wearer. You get the benefit. Prescriptions and prismatic lenses at half price.

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ROADSTERS' CALENDAR.
Sun Rises 7:05 a. m.
Sun Sets 5:23 p. m.
Lanterns must be lighted 5:23 p. m.

THE DAILY PRESS.

THE WEATHER.
Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday; not so cold Thursday.
Maximum 30, minimum, 8.
24 hours ending at noon. Temp. at noon 20.

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COUNTRY CLUB'S ANNUAL

Elliott T. Barrows Elected President to Succeed George P. Mellick.

AMEND CONSTITUTION

Past Year the Most Successful in the History of the Organization.

Reports of the most successful year in the history of the Plainfield Country Club were presented at the annual meeting at the Casino, last night, officers were elected for the coming year, and several amendments were adopted, the most important of which was one providing that "The clubhouse shall be closed on Sunday except to such members, guests and transients as occupy rooms as boarders at the club." This amendment was originally proposed, but was amended slightly by Thomas M. Day and carried by a vote of 17 to 8.

The amendment caused spirited discussion on the part of some, who seemed to think that the wording might be miscontrued and permit an "open Sunday" at the club and eventually lead to Sunday golf. The retiring president, George P. Mellick, declared, however, that the purpose was to permit the classes mentioned in the amendment to remain at the clubhouse over Sunday, when they previously engaged rooms there and were considered boarders, and that its adoption would provide for the serving of meals. At present no one is allowed to remain in the clubhouse over Sunday and it is kept closed from Saturday night until Monday morning.

The other amendments adopted refer to the nominating committee, which shall be composed of five members, the trustees and the manner of election by previous notice, and independent nominations, all of which were published in The Daily Press a few days ago. They were adopted unanimously.

The report of the treasurer, which had previously been circulated among the members, shows receipts for the year of about $15,000 with a small balance in the treasury. There are now about 838 members of all classes. The annual reports of the club events and general comments by President Mellick, as also previously published, was referred to. Copies have been sent to all the members.

Stuart A. Patterson, Henry J. Cochran and James P. Murray were elected trustees, upon the motion of the nominating committee, and Charles W. McCutchen, Charles F. Abbott and Howard W. Beebe were elected a nominating committee for 1908.

In view of the retirement of Mr. Mellick as president and trustee, Elliot T. Barrows took occasion to speak of the appreciation of his long and faithful services, adding that he would be missed by the Board of Trustees, of which he had been a member since 1896. He offered a resolution expressing the appreciation of the club for his services and it was ordered spread on the minutes.

Mr. Mellick thanked the members for the kind words spoken. He recalled his association with the club when he first assisted in the organization of the Hillside Tennis Club, which later became the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club and then the Plainfield Country Club. It was about in 1889 that the Hillside Tennis Club was organized and used to meet on Watchung avenue. He said that he had always been interested in the success of the club and hoped that its growth would continue.

Leighton Calkins also spoke of the retirement of Mr. Mellick with regret. He referred to his efficiency, tact under many trying circumstances, and took occasion to also speak of the retirement of Senator Ernest R. Ackerman as a trustee. He expressed the appreciation of the club for his faithful and conscientious service. Complimentary remarks were also made by John M. Whiton and Thomas M. Day.

After the regular club meeting the board of trustees met to organize. These officers were elected: President, Elliot T. Barrows; vice president, Thomas M. Day; secretary, James P. Murray; treasurer, Joseph M. Shellabarger; chairman of the greens committee, Leighton Calkins; chairman golf committee, Thomas R. VanBoskerck; chairman house committee, Lewis G. Timpson; chairman tennis committee, Henry J. Cochran; chairman building and grounds committee, Stuart A. Patterson. These various chairmen will select their own assistants later. After discussing matters pertaining to the approaching season, the meeting adjourned.

—"The Chimes of Normandy," Thursday night at Casino. *** 2 4 3

COLLEGE ALUMNAE ELECT CLUB MEMBERS

COMPLETE ORGANIZATION AT THE HOME OF THE MISSES GODDARD.

The college alumnae completed the organization of their club yesterday afternoon. Thirty-six graduates of women's colleges met at the home of the Misses Goddard, East Ninth street, and elected the officers of what was decided to call the Plainfield College Club. These are the officers:

President, Miss Margaret McCutchen, Smith; vice president, Miss Harriet Goddard, Wellesly; secretary and treasurer, Miss Elsie Suffern, Vassar. Miss McCutchen presided all through the session.

A complete constitution was adopted. The club is to meet "every little while," but not more than six times a year. The next meeting will be held in April; where, has not yet been decided.

Tea was served after the meeting. Tea will be a concomitant to all the meetings, but no plans have been made for a formal luncheon or dinner of the sort beloved by most college organizations.

CITY UNUSUALLY FREE FROM CONTAGIOUS DISEASE

REPORT OF SANITARY CONDITIONS MADE TO BOARD OF HEALTH.

According to the reports presented at the February meeting of the Board of Health, yesterday afternoon, it was shown that the sanitary condition of the city remains good and unusually free from communicable disease. But three cases of scarlet fever were reported during the past month. Health Officer Leon R. Thurlow reported that he had inspected nineteen dairies and all were found to be in excellent condition. The total number of inspections of all kinds was 153.

Complaints have been received by the board of the unsatisfactory way in which scavengers, licensed by the board, have been cleaning cesspools, it being stated that they did not scrape the bottoms of the cesspools and remove all solid matter. In view of this the board adopted a resolution authorizing the health officer to notify the licensed scavengers to do the work according to the provisions of the ordinance.

Dr. B. VanD. Hedges, president of the board, appointed the following committees for the year: Finance and supplies, W. C. Kinney, Charles H. Dunham; contagious diseases, Dr. T. S. Davis, W. C. Kinney; food and drink, F. W. Dunn, Dr. T. S. Davis: nuisances, Charles H. Dunham, F. W. Dunn.

During the past month there were reported twenty marriages, thirty-five births and thirty-four deaths. Permits were granted to Charles W. Squires and Dencklau & Co., to sell milk and to John Giles to collect garbage. The plumbers bond of Daniel W. Hibbits was approved and ordered filed and the bond of Willard L. Larrabee was not approved. It was decided to ask for bids for publishing the annual report of the board for 1906.

Special Lenten Services.

Rev. Charles Fiske, of St. John's church in Somerville, who has been spending several weeks doing mission work in Oakland, Cal., is expected home next week to have charge of the special Lenten services in his church. He has announced the following preachers, one from Plainfield, for these services: Feb. 13, Rev. Charles Fiske; Feb. 20, Rev. J. R. Atkinson, of Elizabeth; Feb. 27, Rev. W. Dutton Dale, of New Brunswick; March 6, Rev. E. J. Knight, of Trenton; March 13, Rev. C. S. Wood, of Roselle; March 20, Rev. Sydney Cross, of Westfield; March 27, Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson, of Plainfield.

Like An Old Time Ball.

The annual ball of Plainfield Aerie, No. 866, F. O. E., at Saengerbund Hall, Friday night, gives every indication of being what the fire companies' balls were to Plainfield twenty years ago. Several hundred dollars have been appropriated for decorations and the grand march will be one of the prettiest ever seen in the city. Visiting delegations will be present from aeries at Elizabeth, New Brunswick, Newark and Jersey City.

K. G. E. Anniversary.

Freedom Castle, No. 42, K. G. E. will celebrate its anniversary Tuesday night, February 26. The newly appointed good and welfare committee, the make-up of which was announced at the meeting last night, will have charge of the affair. The committee is as follows: Dr. J. H. Buchanan, chairman; Edward Schmeyer, Raymond Carver, Frank Neidig and Walter Randall.

SMELL DEFENSE FAILS

Couldn't Prove Alleged Odor Was Strong Enough to Break Lease.

VERDICT AGAINST RAE

He Tried to Prove the Health of Family Suffered Through An Aroma From Lighting Plant.

Unable to prove that a dynamo in the cellar gave forth a smell strong enough to break a lease, Marvin D. Rae's defense of the action brought against him by the Ivy Courts Realty Company, of New York, for four months' rent of an apartment at 217 West One Hundred and Seventh street, New York, failed in the District Court yesterday. The case ended yesterday afternoon, after a trial lasting four hours. The verdict for the plaintiff amounted to $240, the apartment having rented for $60 a month.

Mr. Rae moved to this city in 1904, after giving up the apartment in One Hundred and Seventh street. The Realty company sued for the rent due for the four months the apartment was unoccupied. Mr. Rae's defense centered on the odor declared to have come from the electric lighting plant in the cellar of the house. The defense testified that the smell was so strong and so bad that the health of the family suffered. It was declared that a baby born in the apartment was weakened by it, and that a doctor ordered Mr. Rae to move in order to save the child from worse ill health.

The plaintiffs denied that there was anything like the smell complained of. It was admitted that on one day in the week, when the batteries of the plant were charged, an odor might be detected in the hall, but that a strong smell of any sort reached the Raes' apartment at any time was denied unqualifiedly. It was also denied that any vibration from the dynamo, which was also complained of, could be felt on the Raes floor. The agent of the apartment house swore that Mr. Rae told him, at the time he spoke of moving, that the doctor had ordered him to the country for the benefit of the general health of his wife and child, and not because of the alleged odor.

It was rumored about the court room early in the case yesterday that Mr. Rae would file a claim for recoupment on the ground of damaged health, but no such claim was introduced. Harry C. Runyon conducted the plaintiffs' case.

DEGREE TEAM TO TRAVEL.

Freedom Castle, K. G. E., Initiators Invited to Yonkers.

To demonstrate the full beauty of the degree work when displayed by a well balanced team, the degree experts of Freedom Castle, No. 42, K. G. E., will go to Yonkers, N. Y., the night of Washington's birthday, to put a large class through the three degrees. This is the first time a New Jersey team has been asked to leave the jurisdiction to give an example of the work.

The request for the team was made by Supreme Chief John D. Harger, who is helping on a lodge boom at Yonkers. He was highly impressed with the work of Freedom's team when he visited the castle recently.

Inspection of Schools.

Dr. S. Josephine Baker, of New York, made an interesting address last night on the medical inspection of schools before the Public Education Society in Somerville. She is the personal representative of Dr. Thomas Darlington, Health Commissioner in New York. The work of medical inspection in the Somerville public schools has already been commenced by Dr. McConaughy and will be continued by the physicians of the town in rotation.

Celebrated Silver Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Walsh, of McKinley place, celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of their wedding at their home Monday night. About fifty guests were present to enjoy the festivities and congratulate the couple. Mr. and Mrs. Walsh received a great many handsome gifts. An elaborate collation was served during the evening.

Last McIntyre Concert.

The fourth McIntyre Chamber Concert, and the last of the season's series, will be given at the Casino, Friday night, with Mrs. Viola Waterhouse, soprano, of New York, as assisting artist. Tickets can be had at Armstrong's drug store.

Company K's Annual Banquet.

At the business meeting of Company K on Monday night the entertainment committee was authorized to go ahead and make arrangements for the annual banquet to be held on Monday night, February 25.

COMPLETING PLANS FOR BOARD OF TRADE DINNER

COMMITTEE PREPARED TO ANNOUNCE LIST OF SPEAKERS.

Arrangements are rapidly being completed for the annual banquet of the Board of Trade to be held at the Casino on Tuesday night. The committee on speakers, of which Alexander Gilbert is the chairman, will be prepared to announce the complete list tomorrow. It is expected that several men of State prominence will speak.

Among those from this city who will speak will be Rev. B. M. Bogan, of St. Mary's church, and Rev. Geo. A. Warner, of the Church of the Holy Cross. The committee in charge of the details for the banquet have left nothing undone in providing a fine menu and good music.

The committee hopes to be able to secure the presence of Thomas N. McCarter, president of the Public Service Corporation, who will be asked to speak on the toast of "Public Utilities." He has been invited and a favorable answer is expected this week. The tickets for the affair are selling rapidly and those intending to be among the guests should secure them as early as possible.

ASSESSOR WAS TOLD TO MAKE NEILSON LEVY

MR. HAND GIVES OUT A STATEMENT ON THE CLERGYMAN'S CASE.

That the public may know he did not act without consideration in placing a levy against Rev. W. H. Nielson for the personal property of his wife in New York, which assessment Mr. Nielson has succeeded in having quashed, as reported in yesterday's Daily Press, Assessor Charles H. Hand, in whose ward Mr. Neilson lives, made a statement regarding the case this morning.

Mr. Hand assessed the property, which was valued at $50,000, under instructions from the County Board of Taxation, and by subsequent legal advice. Before the property was brought within the ken of the local assessors, Mr. Neilson appeared before the New York tax commissioners, and swore off the levy on it, directed against him, on the ground that he was a resident of this State. He is said to have acknowledged before the commissioners that the value of the estate was $50,000. The New York commissioners dropped a line to the Union County Board of Taxation, informing the body that there was a man in Plainfield with $50,000 worth of personal property in his charge who couldn't be taxed in New York.

When the County Board met the local assessors in the Council Chamber in this city soon after that, the members told Mr. Hand to put Mr. Neilson down for $50,000 worth of personal property. Subsequent to that Mr. Hand sought legal advice, and was told that, in the face of Mr. Neilson's appeal from the New York levy, the property was plainly taxable here. Thereupon Mr. Hand made the assessment.

Mr. Nielson brought his action to set the Plainfield assessment aside on the ground that he was simply trustee for Mrs. Nielson, and that the custody of the property is in the hands of the Supreme Court of New York. Corporation Counsel Marsh advised the Common Council that the city could not collect the tax.

The New York tax commissioners have been advised of the case. They are expected to take up the matter.

Storm Stalled Freeholders.

The Somerset County Board of Freeholders were to have had a special meeting in Somerville yesterday to award the contract for macadamizing the public road from North Branch to the Hunterdon county line and from North Branch to North Branch Depot, but some of the county roads were so badly blocked with snow that a quorum of members were not able to reach Somerville, and the special meeting was indefinitely postponed.

Accepts Position as Gen. Manager.

George M. Macintyre, of West Front Street, has taken a position with the Laing Machine-Auto Repair Company, on Sycamore street, between Fourth and Fifth streets. He will act as general manager for the company. Mr. Macintyre has had a long experience with the automobile business and is thoroughly acquainted with every detail.

P. H. S. Alumni Annual.

Frank Moss, counsel for the Parkhurst Society for the Prevention of Vice, New York, will speak before the Plainfield High School Alumni Association at its annual meeting February 22. It is probable Mr. Moss' address will be open to the public.

REED FOR BRIGGS' PLACE

North Plainfielder One the Two Prominent Candidates For the Job.

PAYS $6,000 A YEAR

Senator Dryden Said to Have Pledged Support to Daniel Voorhees, of Morristown.

With the U. S. Senatorial fight off their hands the State Legislature will have another important matter to deal with, that of the appointment of a State treasurer to fill the vacancy caused by the elevation of Frank O. Briggs, the present incumbent, to the United States Senate, succeeding Senator Dryden.

Two candidates have so far loomed up prominently for the job, former Senator Charles A. Reed, of North Plainfield, and County Clerk Daniel S. Voorhees, of Morristown. Voorhees is said to have the support of Senator Dryden and his friends in the Legislature, this matter being settled at a conference held in the Prudential Building, Newark, one day last week, at which Dryden practically decided to retire from the Senatorial race.

That Mr. Reed is also a candidate for the position is not denied by his friends in this city and borough. A reporter for The Daily Press was unable to see Mr. Reed today owing to his absence from his offices. From that source it is given out that he is in Washington, D. C. From this fact it is to be inferred that Mr. Reed is at the national capital for the purposes of rallying national influences to his support in the contest for the office. Mr. Reed has many friends in the administration at Washington and for this reason it is not at all improbable that he will develop into a strong candidate for the place.

Mr. Reed was a candidate for the office five years ago but was beaten out by Mr. Briggs after one of the biggest fights in New Jersey legislative history. Mr. Reed had the support of the Senate but was unable to muster sufficient strength in the Assembly, hence his defeat by a narrow margin. After that setback Mr. Reed retired from State politics and has since confined his activities to local affairs.

There is no doubt that Senator Reed is well qualified to fill the office and his local friends are anxious to see him win out in the fight. Mr. Voorhees is also known locally, being an uncle of Mrs. James T. MacMurray, of this city.

While the smoke following the battle for the U. S. Senatorship is slowly blowing over there is much discussion over the election of Briggs. While the fact is clear that Dryden was personally defeated for re-election it remains to be seen that his terms of surrender were all arranged in his favor by his chief lieutenant and son-in-law, Colonel Anthony Kuser. When Dryden decided to retire from the race, he personally selected Briggs, and also picked out Voorhees as the man to take Briggs' place in the State treasurer's office.

As Mr. Reed remained in a neutral position during the senatorial fight and did nothing to hamper the chances of Dryden's re-election, it is the general impression that the "tall sycamore of Somerset" may have gone to Washington for the sole purpose of putting his case before Senator Dryden and asking for his support for the treasurership. The job pays $6,000 per annum.

SOMERSET DOCTORS' MEETING.

Kentucky Physician Will Make An Address On Health Matters.

The Somerset County Medical Society, of which the North Plainfield physicians are active members, is arranging to hold a public meeting in the assembly room of the high school in Somerville next Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

The speaker will be Dr. McCormack, of Bowling Green, Ky., who will deliver an address on "The Things About Doctors Which Doctors and Other People Ought to Know." He will go to Somerville as a representative of the American Medical Society and his address will be anent the relation of the physician to the public, the patent-medicine evil and fake practitioners. He will discuss hygiene, sanitary arrangements, and other health matters.

P. H. S. Seniors' Class Pins.

The seniors of the Plainfield High School are wearing their class pins which arrived today. It is a seal pin, having the high school in relief, bordered with the class colors, red and green.

Engagement Announced.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Bertha Frazee, of Elmwood place, to Lawrence Fahn, Jr., of Somerset street. The wedding will take place in the spring.

ACKERMAN REFUSED TO VOTE FOR BRIGGS

WRITTEN TAX COMPLAINTS REACHED A TOTAL OF 868

COMPILATION OF LIST COMPLETED BY COUNTY BOARD'S SECRETARY.

William R. Townsend, secretary to the Union County Board of Taxation, has just completed the compilation of written complaints and decided by the board up to February 1, and he finds a total of 868. This does not include the hundreds of verbal complaints received. As yet Mr. Townsend is not able to give the number of complaints granted and refused, but a statement of this will be made within a short time.

Elizabeth presented the greatest number of written complaints, a total of 359, and Plainfield was second in order with 154. It is noticeable that no complaints were received from Clark township, Mountainside and New Providence Borough.

The written complaints received in the order of towns, cities, boroughs and townships throughout the county are as follows:

Clark township, 0; Cranford, 94; Elizabeth, 359; Fanwood township, 13; Fanwood borough, 4; Garwood borough, 3; Linden township, 17; Linden borough, 12; Mountainside, 0; New Providence township, 1; New Providence borough, 0; Plainfield, 154; Rahway, 8; Roselle borough, 41; Roselle Park, 25; Springfield, 5; Summit, 60; Union, 13; Westfield, 59; a total of 868.

WORK PROGRESSING ON MT. ST. MARY'S COLLEGE

CONTRACTORS EXPECT TO HAVE BUILDING READY FOR ROOF BY APRIL.

Mt. St. Mary's College which has been in course of construction on the picture lands near Mountain avenue, the borough, has reached that point where the work is progressing rapidly and it is the hope that the main building will be ready for the occupancy of pupils by August 1. A large force of men has been working steadily on the large structure and it is expected that by April it will be ready for the roof.

This roof will cover the largest area of any building in this vicinity, it being approximately 2,000 square feet. The architecture of the college is very attractive and when completed will be one of the best equipped of any in the State. The college is being erected on land given for the purpose by David T. Kenney, of North Plainfield.

John Abbott & Son have the general contract for the construction work and the other contracts have just been given out. William H. Bartle has the mason and stone work; Daniel Galbraith that of plumbing and steam-fitting; John H. Cose the roofing, and Philip Jahn's Sons that of the sheet metal work.

In connection with the general improvements of the property in that section is the building of a fine macadamized road leading from Mountain avenue to the college, and W. H. Bartle, who has the stone and mason contract, has built a private road from Washington Valley to the college over which he carts the stone used in the building.

Father Miller, rector of St. Joseph's church, the borough, as well as officials of the college from Bordentown, make frequent visits to the new college to inspect the work and they are much pleased with the progress thus far made. Bishop McFaul, of Trenton, who is the head of the Trenton Diocese, in which the college is located, keeps in close touch with the building of the new structure and many of his suggestions have been incorporated in the plans.

Library Directors Meet.

The regular meeting of the Board of Directors of the Public Library was held at the library last night with the following directors present: Col. Mason W. Tyler, president; J. Herbert Case, treasurer; W. M. Stillman, secretary; Dr. Leonard Waldo and W. F. Merrill. The treasurer's report for the months of December and anuary was presented and placed on file, as well as the librarian's report for January. Following the regular routine business and payment of bills the meeting adjourned.

Fanwoodite In Big Company.

Among the concerns incorporated at Albany yesterday was the Barret, Palmer Company, of New York, capital $100,000, of which F. J. Palmer, of Fanwood, is a director. The company is to deal in petroleum.

—"The Chimes of Normandy," Thursday night at Casino. *** 2 5 2

Senator Colby Also Bolted the Caucus and Held Out For Mahlon Pitney.

MAJORITY REDUCED

Successful Candidate for Dryden's Place Got Through Only By Narrow Limit.

The election of Frank O. Briggs as United States Senator to succeed John F. Dryden, as announced in yesterday's Daily Press, came after one of the greatest political struggles in the history of New Jersey.

It was a case of battle until the last moment and the successful candidate got through by a bare majority. Senators Ackerman and Colby bolted to the last ballot and the party majority was cut to narrow limits.

Forty-one Republican votes were recorded for Briggs. Fake, of Bergen, voted for him, although he staid out of the caucus. Buck, of Cumberland, was absent because of illness.

Senator Colby voted for Mahlon Pitney after bolting the Briggs caucus, and Ackerman voted for John W. Griggs. He also remained out of the caucus.

All day long the fight was waged against Briggs, and when the caucus was held Briggs had but 40 votes, not a majority of all the Republicans in the joint meeting, but a majority of the members present.

When the voting commenced in the joint meeting Senator Ackerman, of Union, was understood as voting for Briggs, when he really voted for Griggs. His was the first name on the alphabetical list, and his mistaken vote was applauded to the echo. It was not until the result was announced that it was known that Ackerman really voted for Griggs.

With Ackerman, of Union, and Colby, of Essex, voting away from Briggs, the election seemed to turn on the absence of the two Democrats, Aufderheide and Eppinger, of Hudson. Fake, of Bergen, was in consultation with former Assistant Postmaster General William M. Johnson when the balloting was started. Fake was nervous and asked Johnson, "What shall I do?" Johnson replied: "Your duty is to go in the joint meeting and cast your ballot for Frank O. Briggs."

Fake went to his seat, and when his name was called said: "Frank O. Briggs." This vote was received with applause as the enormous audience, which crowded every portion of the Assembly chamber galleries and lobby, realized that Mr. Briggs was to be elected United States Senator by a full Republican majority of the whole membership of the joint meeting.

When Secretary Tyler announced the vote of 41 for Briggs and 35 for James E. Martine and one each for Pitney and Griggs, there was prolonged applause.

This was the Briggs vote:

Avis, Barber, Bradley, Brown, Burk, Buxton, Cattell, Chaplin, Crowther, Davison, Devine, Drake, Elvins, Fake, Frelinghuysen, Gibbs, Haines, Hand, Hillery, Hutchinson, Irick, Jess, Jones, Lee, Lewis, Lillagore, Manson, Minch, Moxon, Perkins, Plummer, Potter, Ridgeway, Robbins, Shinn, Smalley, Stille, Taylor, Thompson, Tillman, Wakelee. Total, 41.

Ackerman voted for Griggs and Colby for Pitney. The absentees were Buck (Rep.), of Cumberland, and Aufderheide and Eppinger (Dem.), of Hudson.

President Minch, of the Senate, the presiding office of the joint meeting, declared Briggs elected Senator from New Jersey and the joint meeting dissolved, ending the fight.

Interesting as was the election of Briggs, the whole day was full of surprises. The supporters of State Assessor David Baird, of Camden, worked all night in an effort to land enough votes to win him the caucus nomination, and although Assemblyman Buck was in the company of newspaper correspondents until long after midnight, it was announced early in the morning that he had appendicitis and had been taken back home to Cumberland county. Mr. Buck is an ardent supporter of Gov. Stokes. Before 8 o'clock in the morning Senator Avis, of Gloucester, was at the State House looking for votes for Senator Bradley, of Camden, for Senator. It was announced that Baird had withdrawn and thrown his

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Closed in by one of the worst storms since the blizzard of '88, the residents of the 'Plains passed yesterday entirely by themselves, the blizzard cutting the town off from communication with the outside world. The trolleys were stalled, drifts of banks of snow in some places five and six feet blocked the roadways in places and but few people ventured out until the storm was over.

The baseball team has been unsuccessful in its effort to lease part of the Cook farm on Westfield avenue for a baseball grounds. Several other desirable sites are being considered and a selection will no doubt be made within a week or two.

George Harper, Jr., the new manager of the Harper-Hollingsworth mill, has rented the Marsh property on Front street, recently occupied by William T. Sharpe and family. Mr. Harper expects to take possession this week.

The Cook property on Mountain avenue, occupied for several years by R. B. Duyckinck and family, has been rented through Paff's real estate agency to a New York party who expects to take possession soon.

Rev. William Mulford will deliver his lecture upon Washington Irving tonight in the parlors of the Baptist church. Remember the proceeds will be turned into the treasury of the Public Library.

Frank Corrona has resigned his position with a foundry company at New Brunswick to accept a similar position in one of the Garwood shops.

Rev. T. Moore-Smith, who has been quite ill for a week, is improving nicely and expects to be able to occupy his pulpit again on Sunday.

Fanwood Bucket and Engine Company holds its regular monthly meeting tonight in the company rooms.

WHITEHOUSE.

Alpheus C. Young, eighty-one years old, passed away at his home at Whitehouse Station yesterday, after a long illness, from Bright's disease. Years ago Mr. Young was a successful commission merchant in New York, when he retired to move on a large farm in this vicinity. The funeral will be held in the Reformed church at Whitehouse Station on Thursday, at 11 a. m. Rev. Henry T. Jones, the pastor, will officiate. Burial will be in the cemetery at Readington. Mr. Young is survived by a widow and one son.

Several boys were coasting on the hill opposite the postoffice at Peapack the other day. In making the descent the sled collided with John Blain's wagon. The horse darted to one side of the road and the wheel came in contact with a post and was smashed. The boys escaped injury.

Charles, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Reilly, of Peapack, was taken suddenly ill with spasms a few days ago. A specialist from the city was called, and now the boy is recovering.

The chicken supper held at the home of H. S. Potter, at Pottersville, the other night for the benefit of the Reformed church, was largely attended. The proceeds amounted to $23.40.

Harry Alpaugh and his sisters, Misses Elizabeth and Ella Alpaugh, of New Germantown, have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Runkle Alpaugh, at Whitehouse Station.

David C. Hoff, of Whitehouse Station, has purchased a large farm near Neshanic and is making arrangements to move his family there.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Philhower and daughter, of Madison, have been spending some time with C. B. Pickell and family at Pottersville.

Raymond Stryker, of Newark, has been a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William J. Stryker, at Whitehouse Station.

Mrs. Charles H. Tiger, of Peapack, has been a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Martyn Wyckoff, at Bedminster.

Mrs. G. A. Lance, of Middle Valley, has been at Pottersville spending a week with her mother, Mrs. Eliza Moore.

Mrs. George W. Thurston, of Pottersville, is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Miller, in Raritan.

Miss Kathryn Bartles, of Newark, has been spending several days with her parents at Pottersville.

Mrs. Jacob H. Dilts, of Whitehouse Station, was a guest yesterday of friends in Somerville.

Miss Nora Simons, of Gladstone, is visiting friends at Liberty Corner.

BASKING RIDGE.

The marriage of Miss Irene Schofield to Leport Denister, both of Basking Ridge, took place last week in St. Mark's Episcopal church. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Edward W. Hall, the curate in charge. The bride is a daughter of the late Mrs. Sydney Snable, Sr., and the bridegroom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Denister, of Somerville, and is engaged in the hardware business in Basking Ridge, where the newly married couple will make their home.

Rev. John T. Stuchell, who preached in the Presbyterian church last Sunday, will leave with his wife and daughter on Saturday for Italy, where they will remain for a few months for the benefit of Mr. Stuchell's health. Mr. Stuchell was formerly pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Elizabeth.

The regular monthly business meeting and social of the Christian Endeavor Society was held last evening at the home of Miss Elsie Boss, on the Bernardsville road.

Miss Nellie Erickson slipped on the ice last week, thereby straining the ligaments of her foot, which has caused her to be confined to the house for several days.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church held its regular meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. D. Tappen, on the Morristown road.

Miss Margaret Anderson, superintendent of the Nurses' Settlement in Orange, was a recent guest at her home on Main street.

The Misses Bessie and Marion Ballentine entertained a number of their little friends recently at their home, "Craigleigh."

Calvin T. Dunham, of the junior class of Princeton University, was a recent visitor at his home at Madisonville.

Miss Gladys Brown, of Long Branch, is visiting her uncle, Dr. Fred C. Jones, at his home on Main street.

Miss Fannie Harding is spending this week in New York city, the guest of the Misses Brown.

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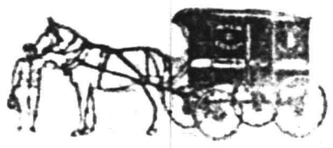

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NORTH BRANCH.

Miss Margaret L. Vroom will lead the Christian Endeavor meeting in the Presbyterian church at Pluckemin tomorrow night. The topic will be "What Christian Endeavor means to me and to the world."

Rev. Mr. Hurdge, of New Brunswick Theological Seminary, preached in the Reformed church in this place on Sunday. Next Sabbath Rev. William E. Pannell, of Flanders, will occupy the pulpit.

Rev. Henry M. Cox, of New York, occupied the pulpit of the Reformed church at Bedminster, Sunday. Next Sabbath Rev. C. E. Corwin, of New Brunswick, will preach.

Wallace McAloan, of Raven Rock, formerly a teacher in our public school, has been a guest for a few days of old friends here.

Edwin C. Field returned to New York yesterday, after a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Field, near this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Herder, of Raritan, have been spending a few days with Mrs. Herder's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Mingle.

Mrs. William E. Dumont and son, Edgar Dumont, have returned from a visit to relatives in Brooklyn.

Mr. and Mrs. William Voorhees, of Illinois, are spending a month with relatives in this vicinity.

Mrs. Peter D. Lane, of Bedminster, is entertaining her aunt, Mrs. Montanye, of Tenafly, N. J.

W. V. D. Jeliffe, of North Branch Depot, was a guest yesterday of friends in Somerville.

Mrs. Walter Ludlow, of Bedminster, has returned from a visit to friends at Peapack.

BOUND BROOK.

Mrs. Charles Ulmer and daughter, Miss Emma Ulmer, and Mrs. John H. Staats, of South Bound Brook, and Mrs. Emma Prugh, of Bound Brook, are in Plainfield today attending the fifty-ninth wedding anniversary of Mrs. Ulmer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Prugh, being celebrated at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Richard V. Kinney, in Somerset street.

Mrs. Kirk Wiggins and son, of Plainfield, were guests yesterday at the home of Mrs. Wiggins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Staats, in High street, South Bound Brook.

H. H. Shepherd, of South Bound Brook, was entertained Sunday at the home of his brother, Britton H. Shepherd, in Somerset place, Plainfield.

Mrs. Andrew Walker, of Boston, is a guest at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tester, of South Bound Brook.

John Heinz, of Newark, was entertained over Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Zimmerman, in Main street, South Bound Brook.

Mrs. A. Logreen, of Brooklyn, was entertained over Sunday at the home of Charles J. Anderson, in High street, South Bound Brook.

A daughter was recently born to Mr. and Mrs. John Foley at their home in Canal street, South Bound Brook.

Mr. and Mrs. Karsner La Rue have moved from Newark to Cedar street, South Bound Brook.

Ernest Miller, of South Bound Brook, is spending some time in Boston and vicinity.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

A rumor current yesterday afternoon that a slide of snow from the mountain top near the crusher had resulted in the injury of one of the Italian workers living near the base of the rise was found to be untrue.

Miss Mabel Cole and Miss Mary Baldwin will sing in the amateur production of the "Chimes of Normandy" by the Plainfield Opera Club at the Casino tomorrow night.

The storm tied up traffic here yesterday as much as it did anywhere. It took one of the morning trains twenty minutes to get under headway from the Central station.

Miss Estelle Sofield spent Monday in New York. She had difficulty in getting back home Monday night in the teeth of the blizzardy storm.

Whenever the vacancy in the Baptist pulpit is mentioned in their hearing nowadays Deacons Blackford and Randolph smile wanly.

Mrs. W. W. Casselberry is recovering from the effects of her recent accident. The broken bones in her leg are knitting rapidly.

There are now over 125 current accounts at the bank. The volume of business is gratifying to the officers.

Mr. and Mrs. William Voorhees, of Jacksonville, Ill., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William McCullough.

Attachments for gas stoves have been put in the choir loft and gallery of the Methodist church.

Court Dunellen will entertain a big delegation from Court Plainfield next Monday night.

George Schenck has been getting seven and one-half inch ice for his storehouse.

Mrs. Carrie Voorhees will entertain Friendship Circle this afternoon.

Col. William J. Downey has returned from New York.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. William Newcorn, of West Front street, is detained at home by illness.

W. H. Pope, of West Fourth street, has recovered from an illness that detained him at home.

Edward Bowman, of West Second street, is confined to his home with an attack of the grip.

Miss Carrie Duboise, of Easton, Pa., who has been visiting friends in town, has returned home.

Harry K. Lister, of Grant avenue, is much improved from an illness that has detained him at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Chappell, of West End avenue, the borough, have moved to Greenbrook road.

Miss Clarkson, of Orchard place, who has been detained at home with an attack of the grip, is improving.

Councilman William L. Gloak is kept at home by illness, the result of going out too soon and suffering a relapse.

George Voehl, of West Front street, who has been spending a few weeks hunting in the south, has returned home.

Mrs. O. T. Waring, of Park avenue, who was very ill for a number of weeks, is much improved and able to be about the house.

Miss Evelyn Slater, of Somerville, has returned home after spending a few days with the Misses Dunavan, of East Second street.

Rev. and Mrs. C. L. Goodrich, of West Seventh street, who are spending the week out of town, are expected to return home on Friday.

President Leslie M. Daniel, of the Common Council, who has been detained at home by a slight illness, hopes to be out within a few days.

Steady improvement is noticed in the condition of John Bushnell, of Central avenue, who has been kept at home as the result of a fractured collar bone.

Miss Fanny Rafferty, of White Plains, N. Y., who was called to Plainfield by the death of her brother, Thomas Rafferty, will return the last of the week.

Mayor Charles J. Fisk, who has been detained at his home on West Seventh street, with a severe attack of the grip, is much better, although he is unable to leave his room yet.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Case, of Craig place, who have been sojourning at Atlantic City for the benefit of Mr. Case's health, are expected home soon. Mr. Case has about recovered from an attack of the grip.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

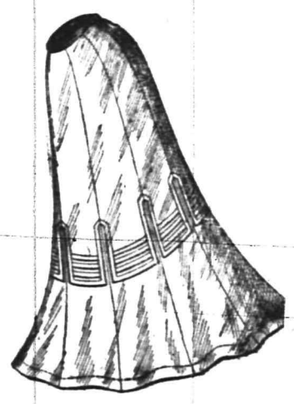
The Junior Society will meet at the First Baptist church Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

The Boys' Athletic League will meet at the First Baptist church Friday night at 7:30 o'clock.

The members of the Women's Foreign Mission Circle of the Park Avenue Baptist church met at the home of Mrs. J. Wesley Johnson on East Seventh street, yesterday afternoon and discussed the subject of "Fiji and New Hebrides Islands."

Under the auspices of the Sunday-school classes taught by Rev. and Mrs. A. E. Finn, of the Park Avenue Baptist church Sunday-school, a "Cherry Tree Social" will be held on Thursday night, February 21. Many surprises are being planned for the event.

Dr. Harold Dunbar Corbusier, of Watchung avenue, formerly a surgeon in the U. S. Army, will give an illustrated lecture at Grace church on Thursday night, February 28, on scenes and incidents in China during the Boxer uprising. The lecture will be given for the benefit of the Colored Industrial School.



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LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

"As Told in the Hills," the new melodrama of Western life, will be seen at the New Plainfield theatre Friday night. The play is regarded as the best of the new offerings of the season in the melodramatic line and has met with unqualified success from its first performance. It has a strong plot, original and cleverly conceived, and the play is written with true dramatic skill and literary excellence.

The real emotions that are experienced in every-day life were never more beautifully portrayed, it is said, than in Spencer and Aborn's comedy dramatic offering, "A Wife's Secret," which comes to the New Plainfield theatre next Saturday afternoon and night. "A Wife's Secret" was first produced two years ago by these well-known managers on a splendid scale, both from a scenic standpoint, and in point of excellence in the cast. It was hailed at once by press and public, as a welcome addition to the list of melodramatic and comedy-dramatic successes. Since then, it has piled up a record of crowded attendence never excelled in the popular priced houses, and there is little doubt that it will hit the spot to perfection among the patrons of the New Plainfield theatre. Though "A Wife's Secret" possesses many thrilling scenes and exciting adventures necessary to melodrama, its sponsors claim for it more than this—distinct merit as a play of human sentiment and clever character drawings. Its pictures are said to portray all of the phases of real life, as it is today, with quick passages from grave to gay, and from ridiculous to the sublime, with comedy, human nature, humor and pathos, all cleverly blended in an absorbing story of the kind that gains and holds the rapt attention of its auditors from start to finish.

Maclyn Arbuckle (the original County Chairman) and his brilliant company in George Ade's spectacular comedy, "The County Chairman," will be the attraction at the New Plainfield theatre next Monday night. This announcement should create unusual interest, partly on account of the play's prevailing spirit of jollity and partly also by reason of its wholesome simplicity and fidelity to home life and character. Its types are true to everyday life, its love interest is charming, its drollery is delicious, and its dramatic episodes are intensely stirring. Maclyn Arbuckle in "The County Chairman" comes to this city endorsed by long engagements in New York, Chicago, Boston, Philadelphia.

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—It was James B. Conklin and not James B. Compton who was appointed a call-man at the meeting of the Common Council Monday night.

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The doillies were circular, with four pointed inserts of the lace connected by a heavier edge, so shallow as to scarcely amount to a scallop. This was worked in an open buttonhole stitch about one-sixteenth of an inch apart. Beneath the edge and between the lace points were graceful sprays of maidenhair fern done in satin stiich in the natural colors.

The long centerpiece was worked in the same manner, but in addition to the lace inserts on the edges it also had them at intervals through the centre, with maidenhair arranged in loose wreaths around them.

Such a set would be especially effective on a mahogany table with green and white china and a silver fern dish filled with the real maidenhair ferns.

AS A BACHELOR GIRL THINKS.

Reform is often only "getting even" under a better-sounding name.

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Its a wonder some of the windows filled with pictures of sunny Southern resorts haven't been smashed to bits by weather-crazed passersby.

Whether a woman is married or not, she can generally contemplate the thought of a second marriage with some pleasure.

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—The Board of Governors of Muhlenberg Hospital will meet at the Casino on Monday night, when several matters of importance will be considered.

RAILROADS PAY STATE HALF MILLION IN TAXES.

Big Companies Make Plans to Fight Main Stem Tax Law—Little Ones Settle Up.

More than $500,000 has been turned into the State treasury during the past few days by the railroad companies in settlement of the one-half of one per cent. main stem" tax, which fell due yesterday. The Central Railroad of New Jersey was the first of the larger railroads to make its settlement.

The Erie, New York, Susquehanna and Western, Lehigh Valley, Delaware, Lackawanna & Western and West Shore followed suit yesterday, with some of the smaller unclassified systems.

The separate amounts paid by some of these systems follow: D., L. & W., $167,612; Lehigh, $91,248; Erie, $67,854; Susquehanna, $32,363; West Shore, $21,980; New Jersey Junction, $7,141; Raritan River, $1,766.

A few of the smaller independent railroads have not joined with their more powerful contemporaries in the litigation to test the "main stem" tax act. The Tuckerton railroad, for example, paid over yesterday $3,605, which is the full amount of tax levied by the State. Had it followed the larger roads example by paying only one-half of one per cent. its check would have been only $1,000.

To Settle Jap Question.

Washintong, D. C., Feb. 6.—Mayor Schmitz, of San Francisco, and the representatives of the School Board of that city are expected to arrive in this city on Friday, and the Congressional representatives of California made arrangements with the President today to meet the delegation on that day. It is expected this conference will put an end to all that is important in the Japanese school controversy. It is understood the meeting will be most amicable and mutual concessions will be made. This impression comes from California's representatives here, who say they see no reason for any further difference of opinion, and they feel that when once the President has learned from Californians their views of the situation there will be no further difficulty. They are very positive that all war talk will subside and the question will be considered in a matter-of-fact manner. In the departments, particularly in the War and Navy, all talk of war is decried. In the Navy Department it is regarded as unfortunate that anything of the sort should have arisen, since the services of the two countries have always been on the most friendly terms.

Expect Pennsy Strike.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 6.—So serious do the officials of the Pennsylvania Railroad consider the situation between the railroad and the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, who are demanding an increase of pay, that, following a meeting between General Manager Atterbury and a committee of the employees held at the Broad street station, yesterday, a special meeting of the officers and several of the Board of Directors was held to consider what should be done in the event of a strike being declared. Final refusal was today given to the men's demands and the angry disposition shown by the committee of the employees at the treatment accorded them caused such apprehension at Broad street station that measures were at once taken to prepare for any possible emergency. One of the first things done was to issue a hurry call to members of the railroad detective force in all parts of the State to report at once to the head of the department in the Arcade building, Fifteenth and Market streets. Each train brought some of these detectives, and by evening a large force had been gathered.

Bell Boy Was a Girl.

Beaumont, Texas, Feb. 6.—A strange case of dual personality came to light here yesterday. On December 17 of last year a young man, apparently about twenty-five years old, called on the secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association and required to be assisted in his search for employment. He said he came originally from New York, but had become ill in New Orleans and was only recently discharged from a hospital there. He gave his name as Perry Martin. Employment was obtained at the Oaks Hotel as bellboy. Last Friday the manager saw the bellboy without his coat and noted that the contour was not masculine. Charged with masquerading in false attire, the young woman burst into tears and confessed her sex. She declared she had been compelled by force of circumstances to don man's apparel. She vounteered no statement as to her past life. She left yesterday for Houston.

$1,000,000 From Mrs. Sage.

Troy, N. Y., Feb. 6.—The gift by Mrs. Russell Sage of $1,000,000 to the Emma Willard School, of this city, was announced yesterday at a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the institution when the gift was formally accepted. The handsome buildings which are now in the centre of the city, including Russell Sage Hall, are to be taken down and the stone and brick removed a mile and a half to a picturesque spot on one of the hills on the outskirts of the city, where the buildings will be restored as nearly as possible as now. In addition, new buildings will be erected.

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SENATOR BRIGGS.

By the selection of Frank O. Briggs to succeed John F. Dryden in the United States Senate, which prediction was made by The Daily Press three weeks ago, the Republican members of the New Jersey Legislature have happily ended a long drawn out and somewhat acrimonious contest within the party. The continuance of the deadlock at Trenton seriously threatened Republican prospects in the State and aggravated differences of opinion aroused by the issues underlying Mr. Dryden's canvass for re-election. To have ended the session without harmonizing those differences would simply have been to invite defeat at the polls next fall. Mr. Dryden's timely and judicious retirement opened the way for a satisfactory compromise between the two elements in the Republican ranks, and the unanimous nomination of Mr. Briggs makes it clear that practical party unity has been restored.

As a loyal supporter of the junior Senator Mr. Briggs attracted the bulk of Mr. Dryden's supporters, and as a representative of South Jersey, which has had no Senator since General Sewell's death, he became the natural choice of the South Jersey element when Governor Stokes' determination not to run counter to the provisions of the State constitution by accepting an election to any other office while serving as Governor was demonstrated to be final and sincere. Mr. Briggs has a high personal reputation and has shown aptitude for public life. His election ends a dangerous situation and will create a general feeling of relief and gratification.

The selection of James E. Martine as the unanimous choice of the Democrats for United States Senator is another honor for a man who justly deserves it. Perhaps it was only intended as a compliment, but it paved the way for other things and may not be without its results. His name was mentioned at Trenton yesterday as the next Democratic Gubernatorial candidate and when the time comes his choice will in all probability be just as unanimous.

VALENTINE SOCIAL.

Seventh-Day Baptist Young People Gather at Dr. Clawson's Home.

Under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Seventh-Day Baptist church, a Valentine social was held last night at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Marcus L. Clawson, of Park avenue. No special programme was prepared, the evening being devoted to the playing of games, a feature being the shooting at a large heart with a bow and arrow. During the evening there was a piano duet by Miss Eva Rogers and Miss Helen Rogers. The home was attractively decorated with red hearts.

Mrs. Frank J. Hubbard poured tea and coffee in the dining room, and she was assisted by Miss Evaloise St. John and Miss Helen Rogers. The social committee in charge of the affair comprised Miss Mary St. John, Miss Eva Rogers and Mrs. Charles H. Dunham.

Business College to Move.

The Plainfield Business College, which has occupied the third floor of the City National Bank since it was started here several years ago by Mr. Phelps, will soon move to the Woodhull & Martin building on East Front street, where there will be more room to mee the increasing demands of the college. During the past year the number of pupils enrolled has steadily increased, until the present accommodations are not large enough to carry on the several branches of work. Prof. Herr, proprietor and head of the college, is planning a number of improvements that will greatly add to the efficiency of the school.

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ACKERMAN NOT FOR BRIGGS

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strength to Bradley. The Briggs forces met this with some concern, as a Bradley fight was looked upon as a move of the forces of Gov Stokes. It was known that Stokes did not want an out-and-out South Jerseyman to win the fight for Senator, and some of the Briggs men saw the hand of the Governor attempting to hold the election of a Senator off for another year, when there would not run against him the constitutional inhibition to his election during the Gubernatorial term.

Late in the morning Baird came to the State House and said that there was a mistake, that he was for Briggs, had been for Briggs all the time, and every effort he could put forth would be used for Briggs. Baird went to work and soon the Bradley boom died. Avis was conspicuous in promoting Bradley after he had a long talk with Gov. Stokes.

Colby, who the day before had been declaring that he would vote for Briggs, turned tail yesterday and declared he would have nothing to do with him. He said this so often that Dr. Crowther, Middlesex, attacked him in the caucus which started just before noon, calling him a political trickster. Colby left the Republican caucus announcing that he would never enter one again. Then Senator Ackerman also left the caucus, saying he would not vote for Briggs on the rumor that the Briggs campaign was fixed before Dryden withdrew.

Mr. Haines, of Monmouth, being missing, telegrams and telephone messages were sent after him, and when he could not be found the regulars decided to go on with their caucus a little later in the day.

Later it was found that Fake, of Bergen, would not go in, and there was a wait until Haines arrived. Fake said that he was not personally opposed to Briggs, but he wanted to see what the people of his county thought of him, and had not found out, because the caucus followed so quickly the withdrawal of Dryden.

Frank O. Briggs.

Frank Obadiah Briggs was born in New Hampshire in 1850, and was a student at Phillips Exeter Academy in 1866-68. He entered West Point on September 7, 1868, and was graduated in 1872. Lieutenant Briggs served in the Second United States Cavalry as second lieutenant until 1877, when he resigned to enter the employ of the John A. Roebling's Sons' Co., Trenton. His services as an engineer were much in demand by the company, but finally he went in the financial department and is now the assistant treasurer. He is also a bank director and an official in the many Roebling companies.

Mr. Briggs was prominent in campaign clubs and political gatherings, and was on April 11, 1899, elected Mayor of Trenton, and served until January 1, 1902.

Governor Voorhees appointed him State Treasurer on January 3, 1902, upon the sudden death of George B. Swain, of Newark, and the appointment was ratified by the legislative election on February 11 following.

Mr. Briggs remained throughout the administration of Governor Franklin Murphy and into that of Governor Stokes.

In 1904 Mr. Briggs was elected chairman of the Republican State Committee, and still holds the place. He advised the equal taxation programme of the last Legislative, and when others were weakening because of the most powerful lobby the railroads had ever sent, Mr. Briggs, by virtue of his office as chairman of the Republican State Committee, called together some of the county leaders and told them that their legislators must not weaken, but must put through the equal tax programme. He succeeded, though the railroads went to the utmost length for a compromise, but Mr. Briggs said that the people demanded that the railroads pay their fair percentage of taxes, and the life of the Republican party in New Jersey was at stake.

Mr. Briggs led the Dryden fight for re-election as the fulfillment of a party pledge.

Fine Dress Rehearsal.

The final rehearsal for "The Chimes of Normandy," to be given at the Casino tomorrow night by the Plainfield Operatic Association, was held at the Casino, last night, and was satisfactory in every way. The participants went through the entire opera in costume and Mr. Holmes expressed much pleasure over the results. The work of the large chorus came up to the expectations of the director, and the soloists went through their parts perfectly. The production is deserving of generous support. There has been quite a demand for the tickets but there are a number of good seats remaining to be sold.

No Scarcity of Turkey.

There will be no scarcity of turkey and other good things at the annual turkey supper to be given by the Ladies' Christian Work Society of Trinity Reformed church, tomorrow and Friday nights. The women have provided a liberal supply and no one will go hungry who patronize the affair. Good music will be furnished each night by Kenneth Stuart's orchestra.

Sesame Club Meeting.

The Sesame Club will meet tomorrow morning at the residence of Mrs. W. H. P. Veysey, 812 Park avenue.

BUTTERICK PATTERNS.

Annual Sale of White Goods

The announcement of this event is always welcomed by the women of Plainfield, and there's reason for it, for nowhere in the state of New Jersey will you find a larger, better, or more carefully selected stock of everything that's new and desirable. Our Mr. Williams. who has charge of this department, is a veteran at the business and knows it from A to Z. Couple these facts with our immense purchasing facilities, which include buying for our Lakewood, Atlantic City and Plainfield stores, and you will readily see why the announcement of these sales are so enthusiastically received. We invite special attention to the following items:

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Plain French Nainsook, 45 inches wide, **50c** to **75c** a yd.
Skirtings, in Indian head, linens, galitea and pique, poplin cord, plain and mercerized and fine mercerized Rep.
Linen Suitings and Shirt Waistings, in 4-4, 5-4 & 10-4 widths, from **30c** to **1.00** yd.
Fine Linen Lawns, 4-4 widths, from **50c** to **1.50** a yard.
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The strict accuracy of the last statement is a matter of opinion, but that the programme was one of the most enjoyable ever presented there is no doubt at all. The numbers were all delightful, and splendidly rendered. Mrs. Smith was as charming in her readings as at other appearances.

The quartette was made up of Harvey Hindermeyer, first tenor; O. Morgan Stricklett, second tenor; Charles L. Lewis, first bass; George Bermus, second bass. Mr. Lewis won warm applause from his townsfolk by especially good singing. The tragedy of the grasshopper—which was eaten by a turkey-gobbler—was sung with noteworthy success.

Frank J. Smith, the conductor, played his accompaniments with rare skill. There may be as good accompanists as Mr. Smith, but none better.

After Tardy Walk Cleaners.

Procrastinating property holders and tenants who neglected to clean their walks up yesterday were put on a black-list collected by the police last night. All the officers on duty took note of uncleaned walks and the house numbers were reported to Street Commissioner Gavett this morning. The street department men started out this morning to shovel the walks of the delinquents. The property owners will have to pay for it. Chief Kiely said this morning that the uncleaned walks did not total to an unusual number. The majority of people hustled the snow off early.

Flomerfelt Trial Again Delayed.

The third trial of Jacob Flomerfelt, who is under indictment in Somerset county for manslaughter, is not likely to be taken up in the Somerset county courts this term, because of the illness of the aged defendant at his home at Gladstone. Flomerfelt is charged with the killing of his brother-in-law, Constable Frank D. Cramer, at the latter's home in North Branch Depot, in a desperate fight over two years ago. The defendant has been tried twice and in each case the jury failed to agree. The trials caused deep interest because of the prominence of the Cramer and Flomerfelt families in Somerset county.

Sunday-school Rally.

The tenth anniversary services will be continued at the Monroe Avenue M. E. church, with a Sunday-school rally. The speaker of the evening will be James R. Joy, of the First M. E. church Sunday-school, and there will be special instrumental music by a mandolin club.

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Wings and Flies

By Tom Muir.

Manager "Bill" Counihan, who years ago used to run a bill-posting car for Barnum & Bailey, told the following story to a party of interested listeners in the Iroquois last evening:

"You know," said 'Bill,' "that the darkies down south think that there is no circus equal to that of John Robinson's. About ten years ago I had the gang posting bills at Columbus, S. C. Watching us were a couple of darkies. We had just put up the head streamer, reading 'Barnum & Bailey's Greatest Show on Earth,' when one of the darkies said to his companion, 'Look at dat, Sam; you know dat am a lie. Barnum & Bailey, whoebber dey are, hain't got de biggest show on earth. John Robinson has got de biggest show on earth.' 'Ob course he has,' replied the other darkey, who could not read, and depended on his companion for his information. Just then we put right under the greatest show announcement the date streamer, Sept. 1.

"'Now, dat's right,' said the first darkey.

"'How is dat,' asked the second one.

"'Why,' answered the other, slowly reading, 'Barnum & Bailey's greatest show on earth, sept one, and dat one am John Robinson's.'"

The first of the series of Laura Jean Libby's dramatizations of her own novels will be produced by Manager Charles E. Blaney at his theatre in Brooklyn on February 10. The novel was called "Miss Middleton's Lovers," but the play has been christeneed "Parted on Her Bridal Tour."

"The Galloper," the farcical comedy in which Raymond Hitchcock has been starring and which had its first performance in this city, has been converted into a musical comedy, and under the name of "The Yankee Tourist" will be produced by Manager Henry W. Savage at an early date.

The original Kirk La Shelle production of "Checkers" is to be one of the big novelties of the month at the New Plainfield theatre. It is booked for February 19.

The demand for seats for both matinee and night performances of Wilton Lackaye's "The Law and the Man," which will be at the New Plainfield theatre Lincoln's birthday, has been very large. The production is one of the largest and best that Manager Counihan has ever secured for his patrons and they have been quick to realize it. The company numbers forty people, many of them being among the Great White Way's favorite artists.

FOR LOCAL OPTION.

Congregational Men's Club Urges Legislators to Vote For It.

A resolution favoring the local option bill before the Legislature was passed by the Men's Club of the Congregational church last night. The secretary was instructed to write the assemblymen and senator and urge them to vote for the measure. The Congregational church, with several others in this city, took a stand for local option last year. The temperance movement is particularly strong in the Congregational church.

Following the meeting, which was well attended considering the weather, Joseph Lorraine, a humorist, entertained. Refreshments were served.

Warrant for Elizabeth Man.

Elizabeth, Feb. 6.—A warrant was issued in police court here yesterday afternoon by Judge Mahon for LeRoy Davis, twenty years old, of Salem avenue, this city, who, it is charged, last Wednesday tried to rob the grocery store of Edward S. E. Newbury. The young man is now in jail in New York city, where he was caught Saturday night by Detective-Sergeant Murphy and Detective Ward, of this city. Chief of Police Tenney will go to Albany early next week with a requisition on Governor Hughes for the prisoner, who will be brought here for trial.

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DIES RATHER THAN RETURN TO HIS PIPE.

Johnson Swore Off Tobacco After Sixty Years, and, Needing Its Stimulus, Expires.

Atlantic City, Feb. 6.—"I will die trying to do right. I will not yield to temptation only to perish in hell fire," should be old John Henry Johnson's epitaph.

Conscious until his last gasp and glorifying in his moral strength, Johnson, eighty years of age, died at his home in Port Republic, Monday night. Up to a few days ago he had smoked tobacco incessantly for threescore years. As recently told in the papers, Johnson and every man and boy in the little town near here swore off tobacco after an evangelist in St. Paul's church declared eloquently that he who burns or chews or snuffs the weed will burn eternally that cigarette smokers will be particularly well broiled. Fired by the sermon Miss Amanda Blake, who keeps the general store in Port Republic, made a bonfire of her stock of pipes and tobacco.

Only a few hours after his renunciation of tobacco old Johnson was taken ill. His physicians said that his nervous system, accustomed to the tobacco stimulant for sixty years, was going to pieces for lack of it. They told Johnson that if he took to his pipe again he might get well. The old gentleman retorted with the words that may be graven on his monument.

Nor did he need the encouragement to stand fast given him in hundreds of letters from women and men which came to him after some of the facts here were published.

Johnson's funeral today will be one of the largest ever known in the shore village. A movement has been started to commemorate the old man's fortitude with an enduring shaft.

COST OF CORNELL FROLIC.

Students Endeavoring to Figure Up Their Expenditures for Junior Week Revelry.

Ithaca, N. Y., Feb. 6.—The last of the junior week girls who have been in possession of the Cornell campus for the past week departed yesterday, and the men are now trying to figure out the bills. It is estimated that this year's round of revelry cost about $30,000. Cornell junior weeks are generally the most elaborate in the country and this year's has proved no exception.

The four big serial events most about $10,000. The junior promenade involved an expenditure of about $3,500, the sophomore cotillion $2,500, the masque play and Glee Club concerts $2,000 apiece. The individual expenses of the men who took in the week and entertained necessarily fluctuate. There are about 100 men in the most noted fraternities whose expenses averaged $75, making a total of $7,500.

There are about 200 men who spent on a less elaborate scale, on an average of $50, making a total of $10,000. Then there were about a hundred more whose average expense was not more than $20, making a total of $2,000. The rest of those who took in some of the functions spent about $1,000. The cost of junior week to the girls can never be determined, but when it is considered that many of them traveled hundreds of miles to come here, and that practically every one of them had two new dresses for the big dances, their grand total would probably run way up into the thousands, too.

BIG INCREASE IN DEATHS.

January's List Is 1,000 More Than Was December's.

Trenton, Feb. 6.—According to the report of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics, the number of deaths in the State during January was 3,289, an increase over December of 1,019. The majority of deaths were due to diseases of the nervous system, the number being 617. There were 307 deaths from tuberculosis. The number from other diseases follow:

Typhoid fever, 45; measles, 4; scarlet fever, 11; whooping cough, 46; diphtheria and croup, 80; malarial fever, 3; tuberculosis of other than lungs, 53; cancer, 127; cerebro-spinal meningitis, 23; diseases of circulatory system, 343; diseases of respiratory system, 215; pneumonia, 332; infantile diarrhoea, 171; diseases of digestive system, 203; Bright's disease, 200ffi suicide, 22; all other causes, 687.

Cold Grips the West.

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 6.—With few exceptions there has been below zero weather in this section for seventeen days and for three days thermometers have registered 22 degrees below zero. In North Dakota 30 degrees below was common, and this was coupled with terrific blizzards. For days the main lines of the Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie, the Great Northern and the Northern Pacific railroads have been blocked and many of the branch lines have been at a standstill for weeks and months. There have been reports of many persons freezing to death, but these have been denied from North Dakota sources. It is, however, admitted by railroad managers that the spring thaws will reveal some grewsome tales of suffering, starvation and death.

Mrs. O. L. Jenkins is registered at the Chalfonte, Atlantic City. She arrived on Monday.

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HIT BY TRAIN, ONE MAY DIE.

Adams Express Drivers in the Elizabeth General Hospital.

Elizabeth, Feb. 6.—Charles Johnson and Robert Wood, both 25 years old, drivers for the Adams Express Company, were struck by a special work train at the Pennsylvania Railroad station Monday night. They were taken to the General Hospital. It is feared that Johnson's skull is fractured and it is doubtful if he can recover. Wood's left arm and shoulder bone are broken and he is badly bruised about the body.

The men were hauling the trucks from the express storerooms across the tracks from the West. A freight train was approaching, but so far away that it gave them plenty of time to cross in safety. It concealed, however, the special coming from the same direction on the parallel track, which bore down on them before they were aware of their danger.

More Land Frauds.

San Francisco, Feb. 6.—Thomas B. Neuhausen, Inspector of the Interior Department, and the State Mineralogist, Lewis E. Aubury, have been investigating land locations in California, and, it is reported, have unearthed large frauds, which will be made a basis of criminal prosecutions. One of the men against whom proceedings will be begun is well known in San Francisco and has been rated a millionaire. Fifteen or twenty others are reported implicated by a report which Neuhausen has made to Washington. Frauds are said to have been discovered all the way from Siskiyou county to Death Valley. The most flagrant offences were in Tuolumne county, where homestead entries were freely made on the Table Mountain channel. This channel is of lava formation and contains rich deposits of gold. Millions of dollars worth of the yellow metal are said to have been extracted from this land.

INDICTED FOR MURDER.

Morris Grand Jury Makes Presentment Against James Dugan.

Morristown, Feb. 5.—The grand jury reconvened yesterday after adjournment from January 19, and found four additional indictments, one of which is for murder, in the case of James Dugan, the young man charged with shooting his grandfather, William Hager, of Mendham. The other three were against defendants who have been apprehended.

Besides the indictments, the Grand Jury presented Morris county for maintaining inadequate quarters for witnesses who wait upon the jury. These quarters consist of a room at one end of the vestibule, opening into the Grand Jury room.

Miss Miller's Tea.

In honor of her cousin, Miss Jane Bowen, of Buffalo, Miss Anna Miller, of Watchung avenue, entertained at tea yesterday afternoon. The decorations were yellow daffodils.

Queen City Lodge, I. O. O. F., will initiate six candidates tonight.

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DIED.

ADAMS—At the Baptist Home for the Aged in Newark, N. J., on Monday, Feb. 4, 1907, Martha J., widow of John Q. Adams, in her 78th year.

Funeral services at the home of her niece, Mrs. Charles Van Winkle, 301 West Fourth street, this city, on Thursday, Feb. 7, at 3 p. m.

WILLIAMS—In this city, Monday, Feb. 4, 1907, Henry Williams.

Funeral services Thursday, Feb. 7, from Mt. Zion A. M. E. church, West Fourth street, at 3 p. m. Relatives and friends respectfully invited. Interment in Plainfield Avenue cemetery.

Classified Advertisements

Rates for advertisements under this heading one cent a word for first insertion, one half a cent a word for consecutive insertions of the same advertisement running for less than one month; one month fifty cents a line (6 words to a line), double rate for advertisement set in capitals.

No advertisements received for less than ten cents.

Copy for deaths and marriage notices and classified advertising accepted up to 2:30 p. m.

THE DAILY PRESS is not at liberty to give any information regarding advertisements that require an address in care of this office. Persons answering these ads. should mail or leave answers as stated in advertisements.

Help Wanted.

GIRL wanted for general housework; no washing. 129 Grove, corner Park place. 2 6 tf

WANTED—By a local banking institution, young man about 18 years of age; high school graduate preferred. Address, giving references, Banking, Press office.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 403 Central avenue. 2 6 4

FIRST-CLASS patternmaker wanted on machine work. Apply Watson Stillman Co., Aldene, N. J. 2 6 3

WANTED—Two young men to drive baker wagon in Bayonne, New Jersey. Inquire Jacob Voehl, 65 Somerset street.

GIRLS wanted. Apply Watchung Silk Co., North Plainfield. 2 4 3

WANTED—A nurse. 915 Hillside avenue. 1 26 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Call 113 Park place, corner Mercer avenue. 2 4 3

Help Wanted.

WANTED—Two hundred ladies to watch the men cook and serve a dinner at the Holy Cross Parish House, Washington and Mercer avenues, Monday evening, Feb. 11, six to eight. All you can hold for a $1.

WANTED — Experienced cook; white; reference required. Apply 1060 Central Ave. 2 4 tf

WANTED—Nursemaid. Apply 123 Grove St. 2 4 3

WANTED—White girl for general housework; no washing. Call afternoons, 955 West Sixth St. 1 24 tf

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. 678 West Seventh street. 2 4 tf

YOUNG Polish girl wants situation to do general housework. Call 657 South Second St. 2 5 3

WANTED—Colored maid as chambermaid and waitress. Mrs. Joy, 80 Myrtle avenue. 2 5 2

WANTED—Waitress (white); reference required. 151 East Seventh St. 2 5 3

MACHINISTS—First class vise, lathe and boring mill hands wanted at the Watson Stillman Co., Aldene, N. J. 2 4 12

WANTED—Two foundry helpers. Aluminum Press Co. 1 31 tf

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at once at Mrs. Keller's Intelligence Office, 22 Somerset place. 12 29 tf

GIRL wanted to cook, wash and iron; references required. Apply 526 West Seventh St. 1 29 tf

WANTED—Two good white girls, cook and laundress; reference. Address Box 40, care Press. 2 4 3

WANTED—Good cook, white; references. Call 441 West 8th street. 1 4 tf

WANTED — General housework girls. Mrs. Day's Intelligence Office, South Plainfield, N. J. 12 12 tf

For Rent.

TO LET—The third floor in the City National Bank building, at present occupied by the Plainfield Business College, heated and all improvements. Apply at City National Bank. 2 6 4

THREE-ROOM apartment to let, centrally located; rent $10. E. M. French, 171 North Ave. 2 5 tf

TO LET—Large, new store, No. 407 Watchung avenue. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin building. 9 24 tf

DENTIST office, heat, telephone, light, water, door attendance. 178 East Front street. 1 11 tf

Wanted—Miscellaneous.

WANTED—House 8 rooms, all improvements; convenient to North Avenue or Grant Avenue stations; cash price $4,000 to $4,500. Address F. P. K., care Daily Press. 2 4 6

WANTED—House, 5 to 7 rooms, with improvements; in location convenient to trolley, by April 1. Address Small Family, care Press office. 2 4 2 m w

WILL care for good horse for the winter for use of same. Address Good Care, care Press. 10 6 tf

UPRIGHT piano wanted cheap for cash; any condition. Address Box 605, Plainfield. 11 8 tf

Chickens and Eggs.

WANTED—At once, several brooding hens. Address Rufus Delafield, South Plainfield. 2 4 3

FOR SALE—One white and one brown Wyandotte rooster. 223 Somerset street. 2 4 3

FOR SALE—One Cyphers incubator and three out-door brooders practically new. Address G. G., care Press. 2 2 tf

BLACK ORPINGTON COCKERELS AND PULLETS—A few choice ones for sale; fine shape and color; good enough to show; brothers to first prize winners at the late large shows; write for prices; eggs $5 per setting. Oak Tree Poultry and Game Farm, Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J. 1 21 tf

Situations Wanted.

COLORED woman wants two unfurnished rooms. Martha A. Jones, 418 West Fourth St. 1 31 6

WANTED—Position as housekeeper by refined young woman, thoroughly competent to manage. Address Housekeeper, care Press. 2 4 3

WOMAN wants any kind of work; will take washing home; good references. 924 West Third St. 2 4 3

Rooms and Board.

FURNISHED rooms to let. Apply 110 West Second street, near Park avenue. 2 6 3

TO LET—Furnished house, ten rooms and bath; all improvements; central location. E. L. Adams, 104 East Ninth street. 2 4 3

FURNISHED rooms for gentlemen in refined neighborhood. 402 Grant avenue. 12 6 tf

GOOD accommodations; low rates. Boyce's Hotel. 97 Somerset St. tf

Miscellaneous.

ADMINISTRATOR'S sale at D. W. Applegate's sale and exchange stables, Somerset street, Plainfield, Thursday, February 7, 10 a. m., 15 horses, new harness, second-hand harness, farm wagons, business wagons, surrey, and two steel carts; sale positive rain or shine as we sell under cover; these goods must and will be sold for the high dollar. Elizabeth Applegate, Administratrix. 2 5 2

WANTED—Everybody to hear "Joe the Turk" tonight at the Salvation Army Hall. 2 6 3

BARGAINS in sleighs; to close out my stock of cutters and sleighs, I will sell them at greatly reduced prices. L. M. French, 36 Somerset St. 2 5 2

I WRITE insurance of all kind. Lemuel A. Tunison, Mt. Horeb, P. O., Martinville, N. J. 2 2 12

MRS. BONY — High-class dressmaking; French models; fine work remodeling; moderate prices. 12 Stone St., North Plainfield. 1 24 1m

ALL MY stock of sleighs will be reduced at half price; several second hand coupe rockaways. W. J. Conroy, 175-177 Somerset St. 1 17 tf

NEXT—We are next to station and next to bargain; bring in your bargain and be next to buyers. Ira L. LaRue, 152 North Ave. 1 8 tf

GENERAL typewriting and stenographer. Call at 33 Somerset street, N. Plainfield. A. G. Daudt. 2 2 1m

FREE! FREE! Six fine square pianos, for cost of tuning and carting only; great chance for beginners and others. Call at once, Hadley's piano salesrooms, 315 West Front St. 23 tf

DEAD animals removed. Ruckman Brothers, 204 Plainfield avenue, 'phone 415-L. 8 28 6m

P. F. LATOURETTE, auctioneer; sales promptly attended to; satisfaction guaranteed. 326 West Front St. 2 10 tf

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Money to Loan.

MONEY to loan on mortgage; five per cent. Louis A. Clement, lawyer, Babcock building. 2 4 6

TO LOAN on bond and mortgage, $3,000, also $3,500, on satisfactory risks. J. F. MacDonald, 149 North avenue. 1 31 tf

MONEY to loan, five per cent. gilt edge real estate. J. T. Vail. 1 14 tf

MONEY to loan at 5 per cent. on first mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot. tf

TO LOAN—Money on first mortgages at 5 per cent. V. W. Nash, Jr., 221 Park avenue. 6 22 tf

$4,000.00 TO LOAN on first bond and mortgage, on Plainfield property at five per cent. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin Building, East Front street. tf

TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street. tf

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For Sale.

FOR SALE—Roller top desk; newly new; a bargain. Desk, care Daily Press. 2 6 3

FOR SALE—High class cutter; never used. Can be seen at 1026 West Seventh St.

FOR SALE—Good sleigh; $10. William H. Abbott, 163 North Ave.

FOR SALE—Coal and lumber business, grocery, butcher, livery, trucking, automobile garage; all kinds of business bargains. Ira L. LaRue, next to station, next to bargain. 31 tf

For Sale.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Three-seated sleigh. Pocock's livery, 59 Somerset St. 2 5 3

FOR SALE CHEAP—Two-seated sleigh. Can be seen at 625 West Front street. 2 5 3

FOR SALE—Two second-hand sleighs. 94 Grandview Ave. 2 5 2

FOR SALE—A fine lot between Park and Watchung avenues, on Second street. M. F. Gano, 221 Park avenue. 2 5 tf

TWO-SEATED light sleigh for sale. Apply at 740 Belvidere Ave. 2 5 5

FOR SALE—Party about to move, will sell 30 pair mated homer pigeons to highest bidder. Address R., care Press. 2 4 6

FOR SALE—Fine new 10-room house situate on a high terraced lot, 100x250, in the best section of Netherwood; hard wood floors and trim; 2 tiled bath rooms, 3 fireplaces, steam heat; occupancy April 1; will finish to suit purchaser. Plans can be seen at the office of William H. Abbott, 163 North Ave. 1 29 1m

FARM, 24 acres, for sale, near Somerville, on macadam road; good buildings. McNabb, lawyer, 209 North avenue. 1 28 1m

REAL ESTATE for sale, rent and exchange at bargain figures; insurance in strong companies at lowest rates; money to loan at five per cent. Thickstun & Emmons, 197 North avenue. 9 28 tf

FOR SALE—House and lot on Webster place, near Watchung avenue; fine location; 8 rooms; all improvements. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

LOT FOR SALE on John street, near West Seventh, 50x150; fine location; will sell very reasonable. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

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FOR SALE—Very desirable new house, Union street, corner Arlington avenue, nine rooms and bath; all improvements. J. T. Vail, 177 North avenue. 12 15 tf

FOR SALE OR FOR RENT—Several houses, stores and offices. J. P. W. Taylor, 102 North Ave. 12 20 tf

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FOR SALE—Three eleven-room houses; all improvements; possession April 1st, if sold by February 15th. D. C. Ivins, No. 937 Hillside Ave. 8 tf

FOR SALE—Seasoned cord wood; cut in lengths to suit purchaser; also mill slabing at $6 per cord; orders will be given prompt attention. John V. TenEyck & Son, P. O. Box 57, Metuchen, N. J. 1 8 3m

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FOR SALE—At one-half cost, 5-horse Westinghouse compound engine (Junior) in good condition; cost $250; our price $125. Call at Daily Press office. tf

Lost and Found.

LOST—Tuesday evening, one knee warmer, knitted of Camel's Hair. Reward if returned to this office. 2 6 3

LOST—A large gray striped cat, with red collar. $2 reward at 614 West Third St. 2 6 2

LOST—Black wrist bag containing 2 checks (payment stopped), $5 bill, glasses and key ring. Liberal reward if returned to Press office.

LOST—Pair trousers, between Fourth and Fifth streets, on Watchung avenue; $10 reward; no questions asked. Return to Leslie M. Cobbs, 146 East Fifth St. 2 4 3

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PLAINFIELD LIBRARY NOTES

List of Children's Picture Books at The Public Library.

One of the most attractive of the tables at the exhibit of children's books recently held at the Public Library, was the picture book table. The books there displayed appeal not only to the children for whom they were primarily intended, but to the large number of older persons who care for really good book illustration.

For the benefit of those interested, a list of those displayed is given. As will be seen the books show the names of some of our best contemporary illustrators.

Later we shall give a list of the fairy books.

Adelborg, Ottilie.—Clean Peter and the children of Grubbylea.

Bannerman, Helen.—Story of little Black Mingo.

Bannerman, Helen.—Story of little Black Quibba.

Bannerman, Helen.—Story of little Black Sambo.

Burgess, Gelett.—Goops and how to be them, illustrated by the author.

Burgess, Gelett.—More goops and how not to be them, illustrated by the author.

Caldecott, Randolph, illustrator.—Hey diddle diddle picture book.

Caldecott, Randolph, illustrator.—Panjandrum—picture book.

Caldecott, Randolph, illustrator.—Picture book. 2v.

Cox, Palmer.—Brownie books. 4v.

Crane, Walter, illustrator.—Baby's own Aesop.

Crane, Walter, illustrator.—Goody Two-shoes picture-book.

Crane, Walter, illustrator.—Flora's feast.

Crane, Walter, illustrator.—Masque of days.

Crane, Walter, illustrator.—This little pig his picture book.

Deming, Edwin W.—Indian child life, illustrated by the author.

Francis, J. G.—Book of cheerful cats.

Greenaway, Kate.—A apple pie, illustrated by the author.

Greenaway, Kate.—Barigold garden, illustrated by the author.

Greenaway, Kate.—Under the window, illustrated by the author.

Herford, Oliver.—Child's premier of natural history.

Herford, Oliver.—More animals.

Hoffmann, Heinrich.—Slovenly Peter.

La Bedolliere, E. de.—Story of a cat, illustrated by Hopkins.

La Fontaine, Jean de.—Selected fables adapted for the young, illustrated by B. de Monvel.

Newell, Peter, and Bailey, C. S.—Peter Newell Mother Goose.

Newell, Peter.—Topsys and turvys.

Ostertag, B., illustrator.—Old songs for young America.

Sage, Betty, (Mrs. Walter L. Goodwin).—Rhymes of real children, illustrated by Jessie Wilcox Smith.

Saxby, Lewis, illustrator.—Life of a wooden doll.

Smith, Gertrude.—Arabella and Araminta stories.

Upton, Florence K. and B.—Adventures of two Dutch dolls and a golliwogg, illustrated by Florence K. Upton.

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A number of interesting stories have appeared in print telling of the scarcity of wooden cross ties for railroad uase and of the means employed by the more enterprising railroads to keep up the supply. The Pennsylvania, Santa Fe and Southern Pacific are principally interested in replenishing the rapidly disappearing forests from which the ties are obtained, and it is given out that the Lackawanna and Lehigh Valley Railroads are experimenting in this direction.

Thousands of acres of land chosen by experts as suitable for tree growing have been planted with young trees of the kind best suited for cross tie purposes, and it has been demonstrated by the Pennsylvania Railroad that in one year's time the young trees have shown satisfactory development and only a small percentage of loss, and that through breakage with plows which disturbed them during cultivation periods.

The cultivation of trees for tie purposes originated with the late President Cassatt, who was greatly interested in it, and President McCrea, it is stated, will carry out Mr. Cassatt's ideas. The P. R. R. has brought the cultivation of trees into New Jersey by setting out groves in that section of the State between Metuchen and Plainfield.

To further demonstrate the practicability of metal ties, that are already being tested on the Philadelphia division, the company has also laid a mile of track on metal ties between Metuchen and New Brunswick to dtermine whether metal can be used as effectively as wood. It is stated that the experiment has not proven entirely satisfactory because of the greater likelihood of the spikes loosening from the fish plates by the more pronounced vibration of steel as compared with wood. The experiment will be continued until it is seen definitely whether the steel ties will answer the purpose.

TO QUIT CHICAGO.

Mrs. Marshall Field, Jr., Will Make Her Home in the East.

Chicago, Feb. 6.—Mrs. Marshall Field, Jr., will cease to be a resident of Chicago on Thursday next. In the future she will make her home in the East and will travel extensively abroad. With her will go the three direct heirs to the Field fortune.

On Thursday the big mansion of the late Marshall Field, Jr., at 1919 Prairie avenue, will be sold at public action. For many years occupied by the Fields, the $125,000 homestead is destined to pass into the hands of another family. Mrs. Field will arrive in Chicoga on Wednesday to stay three days.

Although it is said by friends that Mrs. Fields' decision to quit Chicago was reached because of her children, whom she wishes to be educated in the East, it is said that the tragic death of her husband a year ago is one of the contributing causes for the change. Mrs. Field has never cared to live within the walls of the big house since that time.

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CHAPTER II.

A Face at Sherry's.

"Don't mention my name an thou lovest me!" said Laurance Donovan, and he drew me aside, ignored my hand and otherwise threw into our meeting a casual quality that was somewhat amazing in view of the fact that we had met last at Cairo.

"Allah il Allah!"

It was undoubtedly Larry. I felt heat of the desert and heard the camel-drivers cursing and our Sudanese guides plotting mischief under a window far away.

"Well!" we both exclaimed interrogatively.

He rocked gently back and forth, with his hands in his pockets, on the tile floor of the banking house. I had seen him stand thus once on a time when he had eaten nothing in four days—it was in Abyssinia, and our guides had lost us in the worst possible place—with the same untroubled look in his eyes.

"Please don't appear surprised, or scared or anything, Jack," he said, with his delicious intonation. "I saw a fellow looking for me an hour or so ago. He's been at it for several months; hence my presence on these shores of the brave and the free. He's probably still looking, as he's a persistent devil. I'm here, as we may say, quite incog. Staying at an East Side lodging house, where I shan't invite you to call on me. But I must see you."

"Dine with me to-night, at Sherry's—"

"Too big, too many people—"

"Therein lies security, if you're in trouble. I'm about to go into exile, and I want to eat one more civilized dinner before I go."

"Perhaps it's just as well. Where are you off for,—not Africa again?"

"No. Just Indiana,—one of the sovereign American states, as you ought to know."

"Indians?"

"No; warranted all dead."

"Pack train—balloon—automobile—camels,—how do you get there?"

"Varnished cars. It's easy. It's not the getting there; it's the not dying of ennui after you're on the spot."

"Humph! What hour did you say for the dinner?"

"Seven o'clock. Meet me at the entrance."

"I'll be there if I'm not in jail. Kindly allow me to precede you, and don't follow, please!"

He walked away, his gloved hands clasped lazily behind him, lounged out upon Broadway and turned toward the Battery. I waited until he disappeared, then took an up-town car.

My first meeting with Laurance Donovan was in Constantinople, at a cafe where I was dining. He got into a row with an Englishman and knocked him down. It was not my affair, but I liked the ease and definiteness with which Larry put his foe out of commission. I learned later that it was a way he had.

My friend, the American consul general at Constantinople, was not without a sense of humor, and I easily enlisted him in Larry's behalf. The Englishman thirsted for vengeance and invoked all the powers. He insisted, with reason, that Larry was a British subject and that the American consul had no right to give him asylum,—a point that was, I understand, thoroughly well-grounded in law and fact. Larry maintained, on the other hand, that he was not English but Irish, and that, as his country maintained no representative in Turkey, it was his privilege to find refuge wherever it was offered. Larry was always the most plausible of human beings, and between us,—he, the American consul and I,—we made an impression, and got him off.

I did not realize until later that the real joke lay in the fact that Larry was English-born, and that his devotion to Ireland was purely sentimental and quixotic. His family had, to be sure, come out of Ireland some time in the dim past, and settled in England; but when Larry reached years of knowledge, if not of discretion, he cut Oxford and insisted on taking his degree at Dublin. He even believed,—or thought he believed,—in banshees. He allied himself during his university days with the most radical and turbulent advocates of a separate national existence for Ireland, and occasionally spent a month in jail for rioting. But Larry's instincts were scholarly; he made a brilliant record at the university; then, at 22, he came forth to look at the world, and liked it exceeding well. His father was a busy man and he had other sons; so he granted Larry an allowance and told him to keep away from home until he got ready to be respectable. So, from Constantinople, after a tour of Europe, we together crossed the Mediterranean in search of the fleshpots of lost kingdoms, spending three years in the pursuit. We parted at Cairo on excellent terms. He returned to England and later to his beloved Ireland, for he had blithely sung the wildest Gaelic songs in the darkest days of our adventures, and never lost his love for The Sod, as he apostrophized—and capitalized—his adopted country.

Larry had the habit of immaculateness. He emerged from his East Side lodging house that night clothed properly, and wearing the gentlemanly air of peace and reserve that is so wholly incompatible with his disposition to breed discord and indulge in riot. When we sat down for a leisurely dinner at Sherry's we were not, I modestly maintain, a forbidding pair. We—if I may drag myself into the matter—are both a trifle under the average height, sinewy, nervous, and, just then, trained fine. Our lean, clean-shaven faces were well-browned—mine wearing a fresh coat from my days on the steamer's deck.

Larry had never been in America before, and the scene had for both of us the charm of a gay and novel spectacle. I have always maintained, in talking to Larry of people and races, that the Americans are the handsomest and best put-up people in the world, and I believe he was persuaded of it that night as we gazed with eyes long unaccustomed to splendor upon the great company assembled in the restaurant. The lights, the music, the variety and richness of the costumes of the women, the many unmistakably foreign faces that gave a cosmopolitan accent to the whole, wrought a welcome spell upon senses inured to hardship in earth's waste and dreary places.

"Now tell me the story," I said. "Have you done murder? Is the offense treasonable?"

"It was a tenants' row in Galway, and I smashed a constable. I smashed him pretty hard, I dare say, from the row they kicked up in the newspapers. I lay low for a couple of weeks, caught a boat at Queenstown, and here I am, waiting for a chance to get back to The Sod without going in irons."

"You were certainly born to be hanged, Larry. You'd better stay in America. There's more room here than anywhere else, and it's not easy to kidnap a man in America and carry him off."

"Possibly not; and yet the situation isn't wholly tranquil," he said, transfixing a bit of pompano with his fork. "Kindly note the florid gentleman at your right—at the table with four—he's next the lady in pink. It may interest you to know that he's the British consul."

"Interesting, but not important. You don't for a moment suppose—"

"That he's looking for me? Not at all. But he undoubtedly has my name on his tablets. The detective that's here following me around is pretty dull. He lost me this morning while I was talking to you in the bank. Later on I had the pleasure of trailing him for an hour or so until he finally brought up at the British consul's office. Thanks; no more of the fish. Let us banish care. I wasn't born to be hanged; and as I am a political offender, I doubt whether I can be deported if they lay hands on me."

He watched the bubbles in his glass dreamily, holding it up in his slim, well-kept fingers.

"Tell me something of your own immediate present and future," he said.

I made the story of my grandfather Glenarm's legacy as brief as possible, for brevity was a definite law of our intercourse.

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"But I intend to do some work. I owe it to my grandfather's memory to make good, if there's any good in me."

"The sentiment is worthy of you, Glenarm," he said, mockingly. "What do you see—a ghost?"

I must have started slightly at suddenly espying Arthur Pickering not 20 feet away. A party of half a dozen or more had risen, and Pickering and a girl were detached from the others for a moment.

She was young,—quite the youngest in the group about Pickering's table. A certain girlishness of height and outline may have been emphasized by her juxtaposition to Pickering's heavy figure. She was in black, with white showing at throat and wrists,—a somber contrast to the other women of the party, who were arrayed with a degree of splendor. She had dropped her fan and Pickering stooped to pick it up. In the second that she waited she turned carelessly toward me, and our eyes met for an instant. Very likely she was Pickering's sister, and I tried to reconstruct his family, which I had known in my youth; but I could not place her. As she walked out before him my eyes followed her,—the erect figure, free and graceful, but with a charming dignity and poise,—and the gold of her fair hair glinting under her back toque.

Her eyes, as she turned them full upon me, were the saddest, sweetest eyes I had ever seen, and even in that brilliant, crowded room I felt their spell. They were fixed in my memory indelibly,—mournful, dreamy and wistful. In my absorption I forgot Larry.

"You're taking unfair advantage," he observed quietly. "Friends of yours?"

"The big chap in the lead is my friend Pickering," I answered, and Larry turned his head slightly.

"Yes, I supposed you weren't looking at the women," he observed dryly. "I'm sorry I couldn't see the object of your interest. Bah! these men!"

I laughed carelessly enough, but I was already summoning from my memory the grave face of the girl in black,—her mournful eyes, the glint of gold in her hair. Pickering was certainly finding the pleasant places in this vale of tears, and I felt my heart hot against him. It hurts, this seeing a man you have never liked succeeding where you have failed!

"Why didn't you present me? I'd like to make the acquaintance of a few representative Americans.—I may need them to go bail for me."

"Pickering didn't see me, for one thing; and for another he wouldn't go bail for you or me if he did. He isn't built that way."

Larry smiled quizzically.

"You needn't explain further. The sight of the lady has shaken you. She reminds me of Tennyson:

"'The star-like sorrows of immortal eyes—'

and the rest of it ought to be a solemn warning to you,—many 'drew swords and died,' and calamity followed in her train. Bah! these women! I thought you were past all that!"

"I don't know why a man should be past it at 27! Besides, Pickering's friends are strangers to me. But what became of that Irish colleen you used to moon over? Her distinguishing feature, as I remember her photograph, was a short upper lip. You used to force her upon me frequently when we were in Africa."

"Humph! When I got back to Dublin I found that she had married a brewer's son,—think of it!"

"Put not your faith in a short upper lip. Her face never inspired any confidence in me."

"That will do, think you. I'll have a bit more of that mayonnaise if the waiter isn't dead. I think you said your grandfather died in June. A letter advising you of the fact reached you at Naples in October. Has it occurred to you that there was quite an interim there? What, may I ask, was the executor doing all that time? You may be sure he was taking advantage of the opportunity to look for the red, red gold. I suppose you didn't give him a sound drubbing for not keeping the cables hot with inquiries for you?"

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Leal's Last Chance.

Leal's School will have a chance to get in the running for the interscholastic basketball championship this afternoon, when the five meets the Plainfield High School team. If Leal's wins, the private school will have a call on the title, but a defeat will push it irretrievably in the ruck. If the city school five does win, it will have the championship cinched. All of which is a long way of saying that the contest will be sizzling hot. There will be much rooting.

ELIZABETH MAN SPEAKS AT ANNIVERSARY SERVICES.

Missionary Societies in Charge at the Monroe Avenue Church Last Night.

Anniversary services were continued at the Monroe Avenue M. E. church, last night, when the missionary societies of the church were in charge. There was the usual large attendance and the programme arranged was greatly enjoyed. Mrs. Robert L. Lee read the Scripture lesson and Mrs. J. C. Pierson made the address of welcome.

The address of the evening was given by Clarence Titus, of Elizabeth, who is secretary of "World Evangelism" of the Elizabeth District Conference. His subject was "Mission Study," and his remarks were very interesting and helpful to all.

During the evening there were several selections by a male quartette, and a feature were vocal solos by Mr. Delmhorst, of this city, who is a soloist in one of the New York city churches. An informal social followed the service. Tonight there will be the Sunday-school rally, with an address by James R. Joy, of the First M. E. church.

Church Boxing Bout Fatal.

New York, Feb. 6.—From injuries received in a friendly boxing bout at the monthly entertainment of the St. Bartholomew's Parish Club, in East Forty-second street, John Mason, twenty years old, of No. 664 East 135th street, died last night at the St. Francis Hospital. Adam Brown, nineteen years old, of No. 401 East Twentieth street, with whom Mason was boxing when he was injured, has given himself up to the police and is held in bail of $1,500.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Martha J. Adams.

Mrs. Martha J. Adams, widow of John Q. Adams, for many years a well known resident of this city, died on Monday at the Baptist Home for the Aged in Newark, aged seventy-eight years. Mrs. Adams had been a resident at the Home for the past two years and during the past year she was in feeble health. Mrs. Adams was the daughter of the late Jacob Lacey and was a native of this city. She resided on East Second street for a number of years. She was one of the oldest members of the First Baptist church and a regular attendant as long as her health would permit. She is survived by a number of nieces and nephews in this city. The funeral services will be held at the home of her niece, Mrs. Charles VanWinkle, 301 West Fourth street, tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock and the interment will be in this city.

Henry Williams.

Henry Williams, colored, died Monday at the home of Joseph Kates, Leland and North avenues, where he boarded. He was night watchman at the Rogers silver plating plant and had been a resident of this city for thirty years. The funeral will be held at the Mt. Zion A. M. E. church tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the First Baptist church appointed for yesterday, was postponed on account of the weather to Tuesday, Feb. 12, at 3 o'clock, in the lecture room of the church.

The Men's Club of the First Baptist church will meet on Monday night and listen to an allustrated lecture by Dr. Harold D. Corbusier, of Watchung avenue, on "China During the Boxer Uprising." Besides there will be a number of selections on a Victor talking machine.

In the course of study on the "Life of Christ," to be taken up by the Young People's Association of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church Friday night, an excellent opportunity is offered interested persons to cover in a systematic way the story of the Gospel. All are invited to attend the study.

Robert Hill Cox, son of Mrs. Rowland Cox, of West Seventh street, was one of the ushers at the Morgan Prynn wedding which took place at noon, yesterday, in St. George's church, New York. It was a very brilliant affair.

SEEKS SUPPORT FOR MISSION.

U. B. Crane Addresses C. E. Society of Trinity Reformed Church.

Following the regular business meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society, at Trinity Reformed church, last night, U. B. Crane, who is actively engaged and interested in the Endeavor mission work at the Hunter Avenue Tabernacle, spoke to the members concerning this work. He told briefly of the work that has been done by Endeavors in the West End of the city and asked that the society assist in supporting the mission.

After the talk by Mr. Crane, the society elected W. C. Leek as chairman of a committee, to devise ways and means for assisting other Endeavorers in supporting the mission work. W. R. Kriney, as president of the society, was in the chair, and Miss Eliza Dufford, secretary, occupied her position.

"Skip" Dundy Dead.

New York, Feb. 6.—After an illness lasting less than two weeks, and after his physicians had pronounced him on the road to recovery, Elmer S. Dundy, of the firm of Thompson & Dundy, proprietors of Luna Park and builders of the Hippodrome, died yesterday afternoon in the home of his mother in the Amidon apartment house at Broadway and Eighty-third street. At his bedside were his mother, his sister, Mrs. Edward Willard Lee, and his brother-in-law, Dr. Lee. The latter, who had cared for him, pronounced the cause of death as slight pneumonia followed by an attack of acute dilation of the heart.

5,000 'Phone Calls an Hour.

Under ordinary conditions the telephone girls at the central office of the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company, handle about 1,200 calls an hour between 8 and 10 o'clock in the morning. Yesterday during each of these hours 5,000 calls were handled by the force. This large increase was due to storm conditions, subscribers depending largely on their 'phone, where ordinarily they would be able to get out and transact business.

Congratulations for Mr. Martine.

Since his splendid showing in the Senatorial fight at Trenton, James E. Martine has received nearly fifty congratulatory telegrams from men of prominence both in the State and out of it. The struggle was watched with great interest by William Jennings Bryan and the fact that his warm personal friend, the "farmer orator," received the unanimous Democratic choice was a source of great satisfaction to him.

Snow Shoveller Uncovers Body.

New York, Feb. 6.—When Michael Donegan, a park laborer, was shovelling snow from the sidewalk adjoining Central Park in Fifth avenue between Seventy-fifth and Seventy-sixth streets yesterday morning, he uncovered the body of a young man. There was a bullet wound in the right temple and one hand still clasped a pistol. From papers found in his pockets it was learned that the dead man was Walter Phillips, an inspector, employed by the New York Telephone Company.

German Socialists' Loses.

Berlin, Feb. 6.—Returns of the elections from ten wards in Berlin are still missing. The socialists gained Duisburg, Wiesbaden, Strassburg and Hanau, but lost more than thirty-eight seats. They lost Frankfort on the Main, long considered a stronghold, to the radicals. Other losses were Stettin, Dresden and two more Saxon districts, Weimar and Darmstadt.

Boy's Snowball Hits the Kaiser.

Berlin, Feb. 6.—Emperor William was accidentally hit in the face by a snowball while driving through the Brandenburg Gate on Sunday. The missile was aimed at a person who was passing in an automobile. The Emperor, the Deutsche Tages Zeitung says, shook his finger at a group of boys from which the snowball came, and they thereupon scampered away.

Want School Exhibit at Jamestown.

The city schools have been especially requested to prepare work for exhibition at the Jamestown Exposition. The special request comes as a result of the work they produced for the St. Louis Exposition, which was particularly satisfactory to the State authorities.

City Court Cases.

Bartholomew Taylor and Charles Bayne, arrested last night for drunkenness, were arraigned before Judge Runyon, in the city court, this morning. They were released under suspended sentence.

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RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$1,021,518 77
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		46 92
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		150,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		5,180 00
Bonds, securities, etc.		490,537 79
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures		71,202 50
Interest Paid		6,352 20
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		14,799 56
Due from State Banks and Bankers		2,199 49
Due from approved reserve agents		156,236 49
Checks and other cash items.		6,683 67
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents		465 76
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz.:		
Specie	$55,017 00	
Legal-tender notes	33,764 00	
		88,781 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)		7,500 00
Total		$2,021,503 15

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 150,000 00
Surplus fund	50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	176,998 76
National Bank notes outstanding	147,800 00
Accrued Interest	779 84
Due to other National Banks.	14,393 84
Due to State Banks and Bankers	1,098 75
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	20,863 29
Dividends unpaid	64 00
Individual deposits subject to check	1,372,965 18
Demand certificates of deposit	12,693 62
Time certificates of deposit	72,385 67
Certified checks	1,132 85
Cashier's checks outstanding	327 25
Total	$2,021,503 15

State of New Jersey, County of Union, ss:

I, William F. Arnold, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

William F. Arnold, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this first day of February, 1907.

fifteenth day of November, 1906.

J. C. Pope, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

Louis K. Hyde,
Jas. T. Closson,
F. de L. Hyde,
Directors.

DIVIDEND NO. 60.

CITY NATIONAL BANK, PLAINFIELD, N. J.

The Board of Directors have this day declared the usual semi-annual dividend of four per cent. on the capital stock of this bank out of the earnings of the past six months, and an extra dividend of one per cent. upon the capital stock of said bank, payable on and after Tuesday, February 5, 1907.

Wm. F. Arnold, Cashier.

Dated, Plainfield, Jan. 30, 1907.

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CITY JOTTINGS.

—Fifteen members of the amateur circus troupe practised a few tortuous moves at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium last night.

—The Misses Manning, of Plainfield avenue, will erect a dwelling house on West Front street, opposite Elmwood place, in the spring.

—Maybe your headaches are caused from your eyes. Consult Stiles & Co., eye specialists, tomorrow, Thursday, at 105 East Front street. Free examination.

—The Laing Machine-Auto Repair Company has sold the first delivery wagon in Plainfield to a business man, who has decided that it will be a saving of time and money.

BARS FREE PASSES FOR ALL OFFICIALS.

Another House Bill Puts Two Conductors on Cars in the Rush Hours.

Trenton, Feb. 6.—Trolley bills offered in the House Monday night were:

Mr. Lane, makes it a misdemeanor for any public official of State, county or municipality to accept or use any pass or service free of charge, or at a lower rate than usually charged, from any street railroad, gas, electric light or water company. The company issuing such is also made guilty of a misdemeanor.

Mr. Baader, provides that every corporation operating street railways upon any street in a first-class city shall, between the hours of 7 and 9 in the morning and 5 and 8 in the eevning of each week-day cause to be stationed upon the rear platform of every car a man, whose duty it shall be to protect passengers getting on or off of said cars, and signal to the conductor or motorman when the steps of the rear platform are clear. A fine of $500 is fixed for each offense.

Mrs. J. E. Corlies to Entertain.

Mrs. J. Edgar Corlies, of Road Ending, has issued invitations for three "at homes," to be given at her home on Tuesdays, February 12, 19 and 26.

Lawyer John P. Owens, who is in the hospital with a fractured ankle, is improving slowly. It will be several weeks yet before he will be able to return home.

SCHEUER'S SPECIALS

FOR THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

Havemeyer & Elder's Crystal Domino Sugar, 5-lb box 37c	Fairbank's Gold Dust, 4-lb package 18c	Scheuer's Unfermented Grape Juice, quart bottle 37c	Harris' Ammonia, Double Strength, 25c kind, a bottle 19c
Egg-O-See, 10c kind, a package 8c	H. O. Presto, Quick as a Wink, 10c kind, a package 8c	Fresh Ground Horseradish, 10c size, a bottle 8c	Marshall's Potato Chips, 10c size, a package 8c
Snow Ball Pop Corn, one package makes ten quarts, a box 10c	Pieries' Macaroon Powder for making Almond Macaroons, 10c kind, box 5c	Boston Baked Beans, 10c kind, a can 7c	Pineapple Chunks, 15c size, a can 12c
Salt Mackerel, White and Fat, per fish 6c	Salt Herring, a lb 5c	Shredded Codfish, 5c kind, a package 3c	Smoked Bloaters, per fish, 3c, a dozen 30c

PURITAN FLAVORING EXTRACTS—Cinnamon, Nutmeg, Cloves, Violet Heliotrope and Rose, regular 20c size, while they last, per bottle 7c

N. O. Molasses, finest quality, best Plantation, open kettle, gallon, 58c; a quart 15c	Prunes, large size, in 10-lb wood box, original pkg ... 98c	Corn, Royal Blue, sweet, can 10c; per dozen $1.10
Syrup, Golden Drips, pure sugar syrup, a gal. 45c; a qt. ... 13c	Dates, in 1-lb package 7c	String Beans, Varick Brand, can 10c; per dozen $1.10
Flour, Hecker's Hygenic, whole wheat flour, 12 lb bag ... 39c	Fard Dates, a lb ..... 10c per 12-lb boxes $1.00	Succotash, Leroy Brand, can 10c; per dozen $1.10
Buckwheat, new Sussex County, 25 lb bag, 76c; 12 lb bag, 39c	Dates, stuffed with assorted nuts, 25c kind, a box 19c	Pumpkin, Queen Quality, can 10c; per dozen $1.10
Graham Flour, fresh ground, 6-lb bag 17c	Pulled Figs, in 2-lb boxes, 35c kind 29c	Peas, Fort Hill Brand, can 12c; per dozen $1.30
Rye Flour, fresh ground, 5-lb bag 14c	Fancy Cape Cod Cranberries, a quart 12c	Spinach, Nabob Brand, can 14c; per dozen $1.60
Oatmeal, best White Rolled Oats, 6 lb bag 21c	Grape Fruit, 4 for ..... 25c and 5 for 25c	Asparagus, Shrewsbury Points, can 20c; per dozen $2.20
Corn Meal, best granulated, yellow or white, 6 lb bag 14c	Fancy Messina Lemons, doz. 18c	Pears, in heavy syrup, large can 15c; per dozen $1.70
Hominy, fresh ground, in bulk, 4 lbs for 10c	Florida Oranges, fancy, dozen ..... 30c, 35c and 40c	Peaches, Wheeler Brand, a can 14c; per dozen $1.65
Barley, new course, 3-lb bag, 11c	California Naval Oranges, per dozen ..... 35c and 40c	Apples, gallon can ..... 25c per dozen $2.75
Farina, Best Wheat Farina, 4-lb bag 15c	English Walnuts, lb 15c	Blueberries, hand selected, can 15c; per dozen $1.70
	Mixed Nuts, a lb 16c	
	None Such Mincemeat, 3 packages 25c	

SCHEUER'S BEST MINNESOTA XXXX FLOUR, makes more loaves bread to the barrel than any other flour, per barrel $5.18. 100 Stamps Free with a barrel. 24½lb bag 65c

German Spice Drops, 10c kind, a lb 7c	Animal Crackers, Fresh Baked, a lb 9c	Egg Crackers, 18c kind, a lb 12c	5 O'clock Teas, a lb 10c
Uneeda Biscuits 4c	Fig Bars, lb 10c	Ginger Snaps, lb 5c	Hand-made Pretzels, 12c
Greening and Baldwin Apples, pony basket 35c	20 Stamps with Pony Basket Red Onions 25c	20 Stamps with pony basket Yellow Turnips 20c	10 Stamps with 2 Bottle Stafford's Writing Ink, a bottle 5c

$1.00 in Stamps With Any of the Following:

3-lb box large California Prunes	25c
1 box Gold Medal Cocoa	20c
1 box Hasty Lunch Chocolate	18c
1 bottle Vanilla Extract	15c
1 bottle Lemon Extract	15c
1 package Farina	10c
1 package Hasty Tapioca	10c
3-lb package Rice	20c
2-lb package Scheuer's Oats	10c
1 package Parlor Matches	12c
1 bottle Royal Shoe Dressing	10c
2 cakes Scouring Soap, each	5c

In Our Meat Department.

Fancy Hen Turkeys, lb	22c
Roasting Chickens	18c and 20c
Young Fowl, lb	16c
Legs of Lamb, lb	16c
Shoulder of Lamb, lb	12c
Trenton Prepared Ham, lb	15c
Fresh Rump Roast, lb	12c
Rump Corned Beef, lb	12c
Fresh Pork Sausage, lb	14c
Pickled Tripe, a lb	5c
Hamburg Steak, lb	10c
Philadelphia Scrapple, lb	10c

$1.00 in Stamps With Any of the Following:

4 lbs. California Prunes	25c
3-lb package Buckwheat	15c
¼-lb package Black Pepper	10c
¼-lb package Cinnamon	12c
¼-lb package Cloves	12c
1 package Macaronni	10c
1 bottle Cider Vinegar	10c
1 can Baked Beans	10c
1 can Black Jack Stove Polish	10c
1 box Tooth Powder	10c
8-lb bag Salt	10c
1 can Dutch Cleanser	10c
1 box Starch Luster	10c
1 box Magic Hand Cleanser	10c

BURNHAM'S CLAM BOUILLON ..... half pint bottle, 20c; pint bottle, 35c; quart bottle 65c

Extra Stamps—TEAS.

100	STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Tea	60c
70	STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Tea	50c
30	STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Tea	35c
100	STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Premium Baking Powder	45c

Extra Stamps—COFFEES.

30	STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Coffee	32c
30	STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Coffee	29c
20	STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Coffee	27c
20	STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Coffee	23c

Jerseymen Involved In Deals.

Washington, Feb. 6.—Certain railroads seeking to secure valuable coal lands in the Big Horn Basin, in Wyoming, hired cab drivers, barkeepers and barbers living in New York, Amityville, L. I., and in certain towns in New Jersey, to enter these lands and then to turn them over to the railroad interests, according to officials of the Interior Department. Secretary Hitchcock is reported to have secured confessions from a number of New Yorkers and Jerseyites. The entire matter has been laid before the Attorney General for prosecution.

Jackson Sued for Divorce.

Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 6.—The announcement made by Edward F. Coatesworth that he had begun proceedings for divorce against William S. Jackson, Attorney General, caused a profound sensation in the legal profession and in political circles, both Democratic and Republican, here yesterday. Mr. Coatesworth was retained by Mrs. Jackson and he has already begun the preparation of papers preliminary to asking the court to separate under process of law the Attorney General and his wife.

Mrs. Amos Blazier, of West Fourth street, has been ill for the past two weeks with a complication of troubles.

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LAWMAKERS SETTLE DOWN

With Senatorship Fight Out of the Way, They Return to Business.

PLENTY TO TRANSACT

District Plan of Elections Among the First Matters to Receive Attention.

With the fight for the United States Senatorship out of the way, New Jersey legislators are ready to settle down to the serious business of making laws. Up to the present time little progress has been made on the important measures that have been introduced, as the sessions have been given up to the contest over Senator Dryden's seat.

It is expected the law mill will begin to grind in earnest next week, and among the bills and resolutions that are slated to receive early attention is the Hillery concurrent resolution providing for an amendment to article four of the State Constitution by which it is proposed to establish Assembly disericts and to elect the members of the lower branch of the Legislature by that method, instead of by the present cumbersome and unsatisfactory system of electing them by counties.

It is believed that the measure will go through both branches of the Legislature unimpeded, since both Republicans and Democrats are committed to the policy of establishing districts through the declarations of their party platforms.

All the members of the Essex county delegation, including Senator Colby, and eleven Democratic Assemblymen are understood to be favorable to the project. Mr. Colby voted last year for the bill creating districts on a plan exactly the same as that contemplated in the proposed amendment. The Essex Senator and his followers of the "New Idea" wing of the Republican party not only helped to work the law through, but they had the satisfaction of having the Assembly districts for Essex apportioned according to the division they submitted, in preference to the districting plan offered by the "regular" wing of the party.

The Colbyite lines would now be in effect had it not been for the decision of the Court of Errors and Appeals, which overthrew the act as being in conflict with the decree of the Constitution that "the General Assembly shall be composed of members annually elected by the legal voters of the counties, respectively, who shall be apportioned among the said counties as nearly as may be according to the number of their inhabitants.

The Essex Senator has announced himself as favorable to the district plan of changing this section of the organic law of the State. All the Essex Assemblymen have similarly expressed themselves, although some of them have stated that they would prefer to see a constitutional convention called for the purpose of securing a general revision of the Constitution.

"JOE, THE TURK," SPEAKS.

Addressed Large Audience at Salvation Army Hall Last Night.

A full house greeted "Joe, the Turk," at the Salvation Army Hall, last night, when this unique character gave an interesting recital of his twenty-four years of work for Christ under the banner of the army. Joe, whose name is J. Garabed, is from Constantinople. Last night he wore the gorgeously bright costume of the turk and added realism to his description of the Turkish massacres of Armenians.

In Constantinople Joe was a shoe merchant, following the trade until he was old enough to sew until he became of age. He then began to travel and it was while in San Francisco that he met the Salvation Army and became converted and he has had a wonderful experience ever since. He says that there is no use trying to extend the army into Russia as the natives are almost as bad as the Turks. Joe will speak at the local barracks again tonight, when he will tell of the wonderful conversion of his sister through his letters to her. Tomorrow night he will give a zonophone concert and display his original electrical umbrella.

Will Visit His Old Home.

James Kermode, an employee in the composing room of The Daily Press, will sail on the Cunard Liner Carmania on Saturday, February 16, for his former home in the Isle of Man. This will be his first visit to his native home and that of his parents since he came to this country twelve years ago. He will probably remain abroad until next fall.

—The automobile school will hold its first session at the Y. M. C. A. auditorium tonight.

GOOD SPEAKERS FOR THE BOARD OF TRADE DINNER

DR. CROWTHER, T. H. M'CARTER AND W. G. BESLER ON THE LIST.

Assemblyman Frank Crowther, of Perth Amboy, will be one of the speakers at the Board of Trade banquet to be held at the Casino on Tuesday night, and a reply has been received from Thomas N. McCarter, president of the Public Service Corporation, that he will attend and speak on the toast, "Public Utilities."

Other speakers will include W. G. Besler, vice-president and general manager of the New Jersey Central. If he is able to be out, Mayor Charles J. Fisk will be the toastmaster.

The committee in charge has engaged the Eureka Quartette, colored, singers and dancers, to provide music for the evening. This quartette appeared at the college smoker and made a great hit.

Among the other speakers will be Rev. George A. Warner, of the Church of the Holy Cross, and Rev. B. M. Bogan, of St. Mary's church. They spoke at last year's banquet and so pleased the guests that the committee lost no time in securing them for this year's affair.

The general committee in charge of the arrangements is composed of Mayor Charles J. Fisk, chairman; Alexander Gilbert, William L. Saunders, B. Frank Coriell and H. W. Marshall. L. B. Woolston, president of the Board of Trade, is a member of the committee ex-officio.

Tickets are now to be had from any member of the committee and it is hoped that applications for them will be made as soon as possible so that it will be known how many to provide for. The Casino will be decorated appropriately for the festivities by Laggren, of Elizabeth.

POOR OVERSEER'S REPORT FELL BY THE WAYSIDE.

And Mayor Fisk Forget to Mention This Department in His Annual Message.

Through an oversight the annual report of Overseer of the Poor Alexander D. Ayers was not included in the other reports mentioned to the Common Council in January, and Mayor Fisk forgot to mention this department of the city in his message. On the first of the year the city, through the poor department, was caring for ten widowed families and there were eighteen inmates of the Industrial Home, ten men and eight women.

By way of comparison this work is equal, considering population, to the work accomplished by the poor department of Elizabeth, which has a population of nearly 60,000. In the annual message of Mayor Ryan, of Elizabeth, there are 110 families being cared for and there are sixty inmates of the poor house at the county seat.

During the coming year several improvements are being planned for the Industrial House, which will further increase the efficiency of the place in caring for the city's poor. Conditions here are different from those in many other cities, because of the co-operation on the part of the Charity Organized Aid and Plainfield Relief Association, which were recently merged. Through this agency much of the suffering on the part of the poor is relieved, thereby making it unnecessary for them to go to the Industrial Home.

Has Leased the Entire Building.

The present accomodations not being large enough to carry on the business, F. L. C. Martin has leased from the Boice Estate the second and third floors of the building now occupied by him. He will install a large electric elevator in the building to carry automobiles between the ground floor and the upper floors. Mr. Martin will use the second and third floor as a repair shop, giving him the space now used for that purpose as a show room and the storage of machines, when not in use.

Sure He'll Make a Hit.

It is agreed by all who have attended the rehearsals that Judge William N. Runyon, who takes the leading part in "The Chimes of Normandy," to be given at the Casino, tonight, will make a decided hit. As "Gaspard," the miser, he has the heaviest part he has ever essayed in amateur productions, and he and Miss Hortense M. Sheldon, as "Serperlotte," will undoubtedly share the honors of the evening.

Loses Valuable Collie Dog.

The thoroughbred registered Scotch collie dog, "Vixen," owned by W. E. Smith, of West Second street; died Tuesday night from distemper. Drs. Knott and Herbert were called to treat the dog, but their efforts were of no avail. The dog came from the Beckstein kennels and was three years old. He was well trained and displayed unusual intelligence.

—Come and hear the Chimes at the Casino tonight. ***

ELKS VAUDEVILLE SHOW WILL NET PROFIT OF $500

LARGE AUDIENCES PRESENT AT BOTH MATINEE AND NIGHT PERFORMANCES.

Two large audiences witnessed the Elks vaudeville benefit at the New Plainfield theatre, yesterday afternoon and evening, and as a result the lodge will net close to $500. The show was held in place of the amateur minstrel performance as given last year and proved satisfactory in every way. The money will be added to the fund now being raised for the furnishing of the lodge rooms, the present fixtures belonging to the F. O. E. aerie, which has planned to move.

The various artists on the vaudeville bill scored individual hits and the entire programme was without any exception as good as those found at the best New York houses devoted to this class of entertainment. James Harrigan, the tramp juggler, who has a wide acquaintance in Plainfield, received something lige an ovation when he came on for his turn and he reciprocated with a lot of "good stuff."

The show was arranged and conducted by a committee from the lodge composed of Manager W. J. Counihan, chairman; Maze Edwards and Clarence Teel.

TEA FOR MISS ENGLISH.

The Misses McCutcheon Give Charming Affair In Her Honor.

The Misses McCutcheon, of Plainfield avenue, gave a charming tea at their home, yesterday afternoon in honor of Miss Edith English, of West Seventh street. There were about seventy-five guests present and all enjoyed the social function exceedingly. Simple, yet effective decorations were arranged. In the dining room the color was red and in the reception room pink.

The Misses McCutcheon and Miss English were assisted in receiving by Miss Rae Hooley, Miss Anna Garrigues, the Misses Clark, Miss Sarah Moe Howell and Mrs. Allen B. Laing. Mrs. Laing and Miss Howell also assisted by pouring tea in the dining room.

Treat For Music Lovers At Casino.

All lovers of light comic opera should not fail to attend the production of "The Chimes of Normandy," to be given at the Casino, tonight, by the Plainfield Operatic Association. Weeks have been spent in rehearsals and the chorus of sixty voices has been well trained for the performance, which promises to excell anything of the kind ever given here by amateurs. There will be an orchestra of thirteen and the opera will be given in its entirety in a manner than cannot fail to please all who attend. Those who have attended the rehearsals declare that the chorus equals those to be found in many of the best professional companies.

Improvements at the P. C. C.

Included in the work of improvement planned at the Plainfield Country Club during the coming season is the filling in of the ditch on the third hole, and of the unplayable ground to the left of the fouth green. The latter will require much filling in, and will take time to complete. In addition, the green on the fourteenth hole is to be moved to the corner. It is hoped that more attention can be given another year to the tees. They have been in very bod condition and really require the constant attention of one man. An addition will be made to the force of men for this purpose, if possible.

Somerville S. P. C. A.

The annual meeting of the Somerset County S. P. C. A. in Somerville on Tuesday evening, was largely attended by members and the annual reports indicated that much had been done for animals. The following officers were elected: President, Joseph Fitzga; vice president, Mrs. Evelyn W. Murray; secretary, Miss Emily Messler; treasurer, Henry Reimers; counsel, Miss Mary M. Steele; executive committee, Mrs. A. L. C. Hardwicke, Miss Mae Loomis, Mrs. Tompkins, John B. Osbourn, Miss Kittie Veghte. Mrs. Murray, of New York, sent her annual check for $100.

Back to the Reformatory.

The only prisoner arraigned in the Union County Court of Special Sessions yesterday, was George Herman, of this city, a young man who was arrested on a charge of larceny. He plead guilty. Herman was a paroled prisoner from the State Reformatory at Rahway. By his own request Judge Atwater sent him back to that institution.

Colored Drunk.

Alfred Jordan, colored, arrested for drunkeness last night by Patrolman Saunders, also colored, was released under suspended sentence by City Judge Runyon this morning.

Annual Reception and Ball

Plainfield Aerie, 866, F. O. E., at Saengenbund Hall, tomorrow night.

PLAN HOLY NAME RALLY

The Members of St. Joseph's Church Society Now Working Up the Idea.

DIOCESE INTERESTED

Suggested That It Be Held on the Grounds of the New Mt. St. Mary's Convent.

If plans that are now being considered are formulated and carried out, North Plainfield will be the scene of a big rally of Holy Name societies. The members of the society in St. Joseph's church are working up the idea.

Once or twice each year there is a great rally of Holy Name societies in the State. They are designed to solidify the members and to hold their enthusiasm for the aims of the organization at crusading heat. They help swell the membership, and keep the spirit of advancement alive. They are heartily approved by the church authorities, and the diocesan heads lend their assistance to making them impressive.

The rally would be held some time during the mild weather. It has been suggested—and there is a decided probability that the suggestion will be carried out—that the rally be held on the grounds of St. Mary's Convent, on the mountain, which is now building. Bishop McFaul, of the Trenton Diocese, would be secured as the chief speaker. Societies from all this section of the State would take part with big delegations.

It was reported yesterday that the plans were for a Holy Name demonstration in connection with the consecration of the convent. Rev. Father Miller, of St. Joseph's church, said this morning that there was nothing in that report.

"It is true that there has been some talk of a Holy Name rally," he said, "but even that is not in any definite shape. It may not take place this year. It might be held on the convent grounds, when it is held.

"As to the consecration of the convent," continued Father Miller, "nobody can say when that will take place with any certainty as to the date. The building will not be completed for some time yet. I do not believe the date for the laying of the cornerstone has been fixed yet. It will probably be set in the spring."

ROBERT A. MEEKER SPEAKS ON STATE ROAD BUILDING.

Addressed Joint Session of the Delaware Legislature at Dover Yesterday.

State Supervisor of Roads Robert A. Meeker, of this city, appeared at a joint session of the Delaware Legislature, at Dover, yesterday, in the interest of a movement to adopt State aid in the matter of road building. There were several members who did not favor the plan proposed of having the State appropriate funds for building roads, as in New Jersey, and Mr. Meeker was invited to go to Dover and explain the methods in force in this State.

His statements were so convincing that he was able to bring the wavering members over with the majority, and while no vote was taken on the proposed measure a canvass showed that there are now enough votes to put it through. Prior to yesterday four votes were necessary to adopt the measure, while there were six members wavering. The legislators were much pleased with Mr. Meeker's talk and expressed surprise over what they learned concerning the great progress made in road building in New Jersey.

While at Dover Mr. Meeker met Joseph J. Wilkins, whose niece is the wife of Jabez Gilbert, of West Eighth street, and who is a member of the Delaware Legislature.

Funeral of George D. Howell.

The funeral services of George D. Howell, who died in New York early in the week, were held from the Seventh-Day Baptist church, yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. Dr. Hutton, of New Brunswick, an intimate friend of the family, conducted the services. Interment was in Hillside cemetery.

Leaves Navy For Fire Department.

John A. Townley, who has been appointed a regular fireman in the local department, taking the place of Harry C. Bush, resigned, is now on duty. He was formerly in Uncle Sam's Navy, serving three years. He has decided to give up the sea for the present and fight fires.

Injured by Fall.

Mrs. J. D. Ferguson, of Sherman avenue, who recently met with an accident in Canada, is now undergoing treatment at the home of her sister in Montreal. She fell on a slippery walk three weeks ago and will probably be detained two weeks longer.

"BOB" DAVIS ENGINEERED MARTINE'S NOMINATION

THE ESSEX REPRESENTATIVES FELL IN LINE AT HIS SUGGESTION.

The determination to make James E. Martine the caucus nominee of the Democrats for Senator was largely brought about by the efforts of Robert Davis, the Democratic boss of Hudson county, who went to Trenton on Monday and after consultation with the Essex county representatives of ex-Senator James Smith, Jr., the programme was arranged which was carried out Tuesday. The movement for Martine started on Friday of last week, when a prominent Democrat of Elizabeth wrote a letter to "Bob" Davis, calling attention to the fact that Martine was the man in the fight for the empty honor who was closest to the people. Martine was in Trenton on Monday evening and after shaking hands with everybody, took dinner with his Union county friends and went home on the 9:50 train.

Assemblyman Frank A. Pawelski, of Passaic, who has been voting for Martine all along, has never met him and told the newspapermen that he didn't think there was anything in the talk of Martine for Governor, but the general talk among the regular attendants in the lobby was that Martine because of his friendship with Smith and his apparent indifference to corporate interests would be the popular candidate of his party. Assemblyman Joseph H. Firth was outspoken in his opinion of Col. Edwin Stevens as a candidate for anything and will work for Martine's nomination.

BUSINESS COLLEGE WILL MOVE IN THE SPRING.

Plans to Occupy the Entire Third Floor of the Woodhull & Martin Building.

The Plainfield Business College, of which Prof. A. S. Herr is the principal and owner, is gradually making arrangements to move to the Woodhull & Martin building on East Front street, at the end of the spring term. The entire top floor of the building, 105x80, will be occupied for school purposes. It is proposed to divide the space into three departments, a commercial room seating 175 pupils, a short-hand room seating 125 and a typewriting room that will accommodate seventy-five machines.

The rooms will be divided by portable partitions of glass, and which can be removed at any time for large gatherings. There will be a seating capacity of 500.

The college will keep the present quarters, another lease for a year having been made with the City National Bany, yesterday. Prof. Herr took the college in 1905 and since then there has been a phenomenal growth. The college was established in 1895.

The following young people have entered the college from December 1 to January 31: Girard B. Harris, Harry Porter, Alva LaTourette, Bertie Lubeck, Lynn B. Case, Robert Baillie, John Jonuzzi, A. R. Loizeaux, William Seaders, Orrie P. Baker, Harry Giles, Clifford Giddes, Alfred Pool, Edward Hoffman, Harry Geist, Leroy Miller, Samuel Cox, Raymond Dufford, Cecil McConnell, J. L. Moore, the latter of Montgomery, W. Va.; the Misses Carro B. Bird, Clara K. Allen, Cecelia McHale, Nellie G. Lake, Florence B. Conroy, Florence E. Koehler, Sadie C. Fallon, Irma Hoffman, Lida B. Apgar and Irene Ledlie.

Mr. Hand Arranges Hunting Party.

Captain William H. Hand, of East Second street, has received from his nephew, Charles Hand, Mayor of Sanford, Florida, an account of an enjoyable hunting expedition led by him in Florida recently. He has been entertaining Frank A. Burrella, of New York, and he decided to organize an old-fashioned hunting party. The participants took a trip of seventy miles below Sanford into the wilds of the State. Those in the party were Charles Hand, Richard Calhoun, Tom Williams, Harry Wilson and Mr. Rossiter, of Sanford; George Davies and William Sellig, of Jacksonville, and Messrs. Bulkley and Burella, of New York. Deer, turkey, ducks, quail, squirrels, rabbits and even wild hog were on the bill of fare. Mayor Hand is the son of the late Henry Hand, who for many years resided in Plainfield.

Miss Christofferson Marries.

Miss May Christofferson, daughter of Waldermer Christofferson, of 1040 Sherman avenue, and Charles A. Harsell, of Whitehouse, were married Sunday night, at the home of the bride by Rev. J. O. McKelvey, pastor of Warren chapel. There were no attendants, it being a quiet affair and only the members of the family being present. The bride is an attendant at Warren chapel and has many friends in this city. The groom is also well known here. The couple will probably reside at Whitehouse.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

GRIP-CRAZED LIVERYMAN HANGS HIMSELF IN ROOM

Strangled to Death in a Noose Fastened to Rings on Door.

STRUGGLE HEARD

Sound of His Heels on the Door Ascribed to Steam in Radiator, and Louis Franken Died as He Planned.

His mind unhinged by the grip, Louis Franken, 38 years old, one of the proprietors of the Plainfield Cab Company, committed suicide by hanging in his room at the boarding house of Mrs. Elizabeth McAndrews, 130 North avenue, just before daybreak this morning.

The body was discovered at 7:30 o'clock, hanging by a short piece of manila rope from the hinge of his door, by Dr. F. C. Herbert, a veterinary, and Mrs. McAndrews.

The man's death struggles were heard by Mrs. McAndrews at 5:30 o'clock. She first took them to be the sound of some one shaking out a skirt, and then decided, after tracing the noise to Franken's room, that the sound came from a pounding radiator. Mrs. McAndrews conducts the whole house at No. 130, and rises at 4:30 to prepare breakfast and lunch packets for a houseful of boarders. About an hour after rising this morning she heard a peculiar noise from the floor above, and afraid that the sound would disturb the boarders who were still sleeping, she went upstairs to have it stopped. The noise came from Franken's room, and she went to the door in alarm. Franken had been confined to the house since Tuesday, and she began to fear that something was wrong with him.

The noise seemed to her, then, to come from the door. She called William VanLiew, man-of-all-work about the house. The noise was still going on when VanLiew came up. He listened a moment, and told Mrs. McAndrews there was nothing to worry about. "That's the steam in the radiator," he said. Mrs. McAndrews accepted the explanation and returned to her work. After a bit the noise stopped.

But Mrs. McAndrews was only partially reassured. Her fear that something was wrong returned almost as soon as she went on with her work, and it increased with each minute. She went to the telephone shortly before 6 o'clock, and called up the Cab Company's office. She told the man in charge to send Dr. Herbert, who has an office at the Cab Company, and was friendly with Franken, to her house as soon as he reached the office. Dr. Herbert came to the house at 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. McAndrews told the veterinary of her fears, and begged him to get into Franken's room. She told him she had looked through the keyhole and had seen that Franken was not in his bed. Dr. Herbert, with Mrs. McAndrews, went to a store room adjoining Franken's room, and unlocked the double doors between the two. Franken's body, hanging from the hinge of his door, confronted them. Dr. Herbert cut him down swiftly, but the man was beyond hope of resuscitation.

The manner in which he had gone about the work of self-destruction was evident. The rope about his neck had been doubled carefully to a length that would leave his feet clear of the floor. His toes hung just about two inches from the floorboards. He must have stepped on a chair, after adjusting the noose about his neck, held the loop at the end of the rope over the hinge, and kicked the chair away. It was the drumming of his heels on the door, as he strangled slowly to death, that Mrs. McAndrews heard.

The body was partly dressed; slippers were on the feet. The appearance of the bed indicated that Franken had lain in it little, if at all, through the night.

The police were notified at once, and Coroner C. B. Lufburrow was on the scene with Chief Kiely within an hour. County Physician Westcott arrived at 9:30 o'clock, and satisfied himself that investigation was unnecessary. He gave Undertaker T. A. Moore a permit to remove the body.

Franken's illness is the only apparent cause for his act. He complained of pains in his head last night to Dr. Herbert, who was with him up to 10 o'clock, and had told Mrs. McAndrews earlier in the evening that his head seemed to be full of wheels. Mrs. McAndrews asked him if he couldn't forget his illness by reading, and he said he couldn't remember what he read. So far as the police could discover, Franken

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SUNDAY-SCHOOL RALLY IN MONROE ANNIVERSARY.

Superintendent Walter McGee in Charge and Attendance Largest of the Week.

The tenth anniversary services were continued at the Monroe Avenue M. E. church, last night, with a rousing Sunday-school rally. Walter M. McGee, superintendent of the school, presided and had full charge of the programme. The attendance was the best of the week, the church being filled with worshippers.

In place of James R. Joy, of the First M. E. church Sunday-school, who was to have made an address, Rev. Dr. O. S. Bakepel, one of the field secretaries of the Sunday-school Union, was present and took his place. He gave a fine address, speaking especially of the educational and evangelistic work of the Sunday-school. He featured these points and made them very impressive.

Dr. Bakepel related many instances in connection with his work, showing the great progress being made throughout the country in Sunday-schools, both in the increase of membership and spiritual benefit to young and old.

During the evening banjo solos by William Briggs were enjoyed. Tonight the Men's Association will entertain, it being "Ladies' night" in the programme for anniversary week.

"PHIL" VAN ARSDALE DEAD.

Oldest Central Conductor Passes Away at His Home.

Philip J. VanArsdale, 79 years old, the oldest conductor on the New Jersey Central Railroad, is dead at his home in Somerville. Yesterday he was stricken by pneumonia and that with a complication caused his death. Mr. VanArsdale had retired some years since, but for over forty years he was a railroader. He was with the Pennsylvania Central, the New Jersey Transportation Company and finally with the New Jersey Central. He saw the latter road built to Somerville, then to Whitehouse and then to Easton. He was an interesting talker and was always full of reminiscenses and railroad stories. A widow and two children survive him, Charles L. VanArsdale, of Somerville and Mrs. Samuel Drummond, of Bound Brook. The funeral will be held tomorrow at 2 p. m. in the First Reformed church in Somerville. Rev. William S. Cranmer, D. D., the pastor, will officiate, and burial will be in the new cemetery in Somerville.

Men's Association to Entertain.

The Men's Association of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church will have charge of the tenth anniversary services tonight, and there will be an address by Prof. Isaac, of the Plainfield Business College, on an appropriate topic. It will be "ladies' night," and all of the women of the church and congregation will be the guests of the association. In addition there will be a fine programme of music and refreshments will be served. Tomorrow night, the last service of the week, will be "Epworth League Night." There will be linked readings from James Whitcomb Riley by Charles Sumner Kemble, and special music.

Won Gold Medal Prize in Paris.

John Wynkoop, of the firm of Squires & Wynkoop, architects, of 44 Cortlandt street, New York, recently won a gold medal in Paris in competition for the plans of a hotel. He has been abroad for over a year and as a result of winning the open competition for the Paris prize, he is admitted to the highest class in the school of fine arts in Paris which pays his expenses for travelling and study in Italy. Afterward he will return to take up his work with the firm of which he is a member. Mr. Squires, his partner, resides on Watchung avenue, and is a son of the late Henry C. Squires.

Don't Forget the Turkey Supper.

Everything is in readness for the annual turkey supper to be given at Trinity Reformed cuhrch tonight and tomorrow night by the Ladies' Christian Work Society. Persons intending to patronize the supper can go right from their business to the church, where a fine supper will await them. Kenneth Stuart's orchestra will present a popular programme both nights.

R. F. D. Carriers Stalled.

It was not until yesterday that the rural free delivery carriers attached to the local postoffice were able to cover their routes. Prior to that time the snow was piled so high and was drifted to such an extent that it was impossible to drive through in the country districts. Especially was this true on the Mt. Bethel and Warrenville route. Yesterday the roads were broken.

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

WHITEHOUSE.

The snow storm that started on Monday developed into a blizzard in this section, and traffic on the New Jersey Central and Rockaway Valley railroads was greatly delayed. A heavy wind blew the light snow in great clouds and many of the highways, particularly those running north and south, were drifted shut. The railroads were caught unprepared, few of the engines being provided with snowplows.

The Christian Endeavor Society connected with the Reformed church at Peapack will observe Christian Endeavor day in the edifice at that place next Sunday evening with special services. The State president is expected to make an address.

Anson Agar, sixty-three years old, who died a few days ago at his home near Harrisburg, Pa., was formerly a resident of the Ridge, near Whitehouse. Over forty years since he left this section. He is survived by two children.

Rev. Lucas Boeve, pastor of the Reformed church at Lebanon, has been conducting special services in the school-house at Potterstown. The weekly prayer-meeting will be resumed there tonight.

The Christian Endeavor Society of Lamington entertained about seventy guests the other night at a sociable at the Presbyterian manse. It was a most enjoyable affair.

The Ladies' Aid Society connected with the Reformed church at Whitehouse Station were entertained yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. R. Alpaugh.

Mrs. Martens, wife of ex-Senator George F. Martens, of New Germantown, is recovering from a severe attack of grip.

Misses Blanche and Ada Rinehart, of New Germantown, have been visiting Mrs. VanDerveer in Whitehouse.

Miss Ella Bunn, of Lamington, is spending some time at the home of Dr. Frank McDowell in Philadelphia.

Mrs. James Haer, of South Branch, has been visiting at the home of Andrew Thompson at Lamington.

Mrs. George Hildebrant, of Pottersville, is spending a few days with relatives in Newark.

Miss Edith Craig, of New Germantown, is a guest of friends in Flemington.

HUNTERDON COUNTY.

It is said that there is a possibility of the Gardner Valve Manufacturing Company of New York city locating in Hampton Junction. Contractor John L. Halyburton is figuring on the contract for the erection of two large factory buildings in the borough.

Rev. Mr. Peabody, the new pastor of the Musconetcong Valley Presbyterian church, will occupy the pulpit next Sunday. He will move his family from New York State in a short time.

While assisting in filling his father ice-house, Brevoort Burns, of Clinton, received a painful wound in his leg from an ice pole in the hands of one of the workmen.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Clinton is preparing a box of clothing and literature to send to the life-saving stations on the New Jersey coast.

After spending several weeks with relatives in Brooklyn, Mrs. Oakley W. Race and granddaughter, Ethel Joslin, have returned to their home in Milford.

Mrs. Daniel Bowlby, of Glen Gardner, is at Clinton taking care of her granddaughter, Miss Estella Brown, who is ill at her home.

After spending a week with her brother in Frenchtown, Mrs. Uriah Keephart has returned to her home in Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. Virginia V. Thomas, of Milford, is sojourning with her daughter in Philadelphia and Lancaster, Pa.

Mrs. J. G. Sutton and son Dunham, of Annandale, are spending a season visiting relatives in Newark.

The James Fitts farm, near Clinton, has been sold to Charles Harsell, of Whitehouse, for $2,000.

Miss Mynn Holden, of Annandale, is the guest of Miss Ida M. Neighbor, at Middle Valley.

Miss Sadie Potts, of Annandale, is entertaining her sister, Miss Leda Potts, of Sidney.

Mrs. Horace Smith, of Somerville, is passing some time with relatives in Annandale.

A singing class is being organized by the young people of Hampton Junction.

Miss Emma R. Bloom, of Milford, is on a visit to her brother in Trenton.

SOMERVILLE.

In spite of the storm a large number of people assembled in the High School Monday evening to listen to a lecture on the medical inspection in the public schools by Dr. S. Josephine Baker, of New York. This lecture was under the auspices of the Public Education Society and was presided over by Dr. A. L. Stillwell, the president. Dr. Baker gave a graphic account of the inspection in the schools of New York and spoke of the value of such inspection in all schools.

The women of the Mite Society of the Second Reformed church held their monthly meeting yesterday afternoon in the chapel. The treasurer reported $2.10 in the treasury as a result of the recent Masonic dinner, which the women gave. After the business meeting the women were addressed by Harry Noble and Harold Green, two students from New Brunswick Theological Seminary, on their personal observations in the home missionary field.

A. A. Reger has purchased the house in Cliff street occupied by Mrs. H. H. Hoagland. The property belonged to the estate of Robert F. Ballantine, of Newark.

The training class of the Second Reformed Sunday-school met at the parsonage on West End avenue last evening.

The Epworth League of the Methodist church is preparing for its annual supper on February 22.

Miss Kate Amerman, of Roycefield, has been a guest of Mrs. J. L. Dolliver, at Pluckemin.

Rev. E. N. Crasto, pastor of the Methodist church, is visiting his daughter in Buffalo.

Hugh Gastner and Dr. E. C. Voorhees are in North Carolina, spending two weeks.

Mrs. John Thatcher, of Neshanic, is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Veghte, in Newark.

WESTFIELD.

The officers of the Westfield Board of Health, as organized for the year, are as follows: Dr. Joseph B. Harrison, president; C. W. Harden, secretary; Dr. Sherman Cooper, health officer; Dr. H. H. Butler and Dr. Sherman Cooper, committee on milk supply.

Samuel Godschalk has withdrawn his application for a license for the Westfield Hotel. Unable to make such arrangements with his landlord as he deems acceptable, he has decided to locate elsewhere.

W. H. Welden, of Rahway, has obtained the contract of surfacing 14,000 square yards of Westfield roads. The work is to be commenced as soon as the weather will permit.

The Parks of Plainfield will roll the Westfield Club team on the Westfield alleys in a league game tonight.

STIRLING.

Peter Zanzeralia, of Railroad avenue, who is the janitor of the public school, was almost buried in a snow drift at 4 o'clock Tuesday morning. Shortly before that hour he started for the school to attend the furnace. Near the schoolhouse he walked into a drift which was nearly up to his shoulders. It was only by clutching a fence and pulling himself out of the drift that he escaped serious consequences.

The communion service of the Presbyterian church which was postponed last Sunday on account of the illness of Rev. Nicholas Bowers, the pastor of the church, will be held next Sunday morning.

The Ladies' Aid and Missionary Society of this town will hold an oyster supper Friday night at the parsonage on Chestnut street for the benefit of the Presbyterian church.

The public school of this place was closed Tuesday on account of the storm. There were only eight pupils present out of the 120. None of the teachers was on hand.

Miss Flora Herrmann, of Valley road, who was operated on a few weeks ago in St. Barnabas Hospital, Newark, is expected home today.

George Bahooshian and his daughter Alice, of Bloomfield, who had been spending a week here with their relatives, are home again.

The regular prayer meeting of the Presbyterian church will be held tonight at the parsonage instead of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. John Basmajian, of Brick Church, new arrivals here, have taken a house in Chestnut street.

Miss Anna Zellar, of Essex street, returned home yesterday after a short visit to friends in Summit.

A dance will be held Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Johnson, of South Stirling.

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DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

Another class of ten new members will be initiated by the Grange at its next meeting. The following are the officers installed at the last session: Master, B. De Witt Giles; overseer, John Nelson; lecturer, Miss Mattie Giles; steward, E. D. Boice; assistant stewart, E. E. Marshall; chaplain, L. D. Walker, Jr.; treasurer, L. D. Walker, Sr.; secretary, Frank O. Nelson; gate keeper, Charles VanNuis; Ceres, Miss Ida McCullough; Flora, Miss Virginia Randolph; Pomona, Mrs. Tillie P. Giles; lady assistant steward, Miss Fannie Giles.

Plans have been made by Albert Rajotte, proprietor of the brickyard, to do away with all the machinery he now has for making brick and install a new and up-to-date plant. His plans include a steam plant and a steam engine to furnish power to the brick making machines, and the steam plant will also be used for drying the brick after they have been moulded.

Tomorrow will be visiting day at the public schools. The teachers are making preparations to entertain a large number of callers.

Albert Boice is recovering from the injuries he received two weeks ago when his carriage was hit by a car.

The Farmers' Institute will enjoy the same programme as was to have been presented Tuesday.

The Whittier School Library will be open to the public from 7 o'clock to 9 this evening.

The Township Committe meeting, blizzard-stopped, will be held next Tuesday.

Joseph Gray, of Newark, is spending the winter with Joseph Penrose.

Charles Thornton, Jr., has returned to school after his recent illness.

Court Dunellen will hold a social next Monday night.

B. A. Cole, Jr., is confined to the house by grip.

John Otto has recovered from his illness.

'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Rev. William Mulford, rector of All Saints' Episcopal church, delivered his lecture upon Washington Irving, last night, in the parlors of the Baptist church. Considering the weather the attendance was good. Mr. Mulford, who is an able speaker, spoke of the life, habits and characteristics of the man, presenting his subject in such an interesting way that he commanded the attention of his audience throughout. Proceeds of the lecture will be donated towards the Public Library fund.

The effects of the winter's heaviest snow storm on Monday is beginning to wear off. The township snow plow has been kept busy opening up the sidewalks and the residents are able to get around again; the trolley schedule is fair and the company deserves credit for the fight it made to keep the line open.

The Suburban Club holds its regular monthly dance tonight in the club's hall on South avenue. The committee in charge has planned to make the club's February dance one of the most enjoyable the club has yet held.

Fanwood Bucket and Engine Company held its regular monthly meeting last night in the company rooms. Only the regular monthly routine business was transacted.

Sleighing certainly should be fine for a week or two. The owners of fast steppers and neat cutters should be able to get their share of the sport for a time.

Edward Gahagan expects to leave next week for an extended visit with friends in the South.

Thomas Sellers has taken a position with Voehl & Waldron, of Plainfield.

Twilight Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., meets tonight in the library rooms.

A Fine Picture Free.

A collection of Charles Dana Gibson's best drawings has been secured by the New York World for its readers. These drawings have been reproduced upon fine art paper, each suitable for framing, and are now being given away with the New York Sunday World. These drawings would sell in stores for no less than 50 cents each, and often for $1.00. You may get them free with The Sunday World.

—There will be no further meetings of the Republican City Executive Committee before the latter part of March, when the committee will take action on the new constitution now in course of preparation. At present there is nothing demanding the attention of the committee.

—The new offices of Mayor Fisk and Overseer of the Poor Alex Ayers are now completely furnished and make an attractive place of meeting for the Mayor and those who wish to see him. The offices are also being used by the water and consolidation commissions as a place of meeting.

Franklin Council, No. 42, Jr. O. U. A. M., will meet tonight and have initiation. There will also be a report from the committee on the Junior banquet held last week.

WANTS A WOMAN "COPPER."

Mrs. Williamson's Appointment Seriously Considered in New Brunswick.

New Brunswick, Feb. 7.—H. Raymond Groves, at Monday night's meeting of the Common Council, introduced a resolution providing for the appointment of Mrs. Emily E. Williamson, of Elizabeth, the new probation officer of Middlesex, a special officer.

This is the first time the appointment of a woman as a special policeman has been considered, and there is much doubt as to the legality of such apointment. The resolution was referred to City Attorney Edward Hicks.

Council fixed Tuesday, March 19, as the day for a special election to decide whether the Public Service Corporation shall receive a forty-year franchise for trolley extension in the city.

EDITORS WILL BANQUET.

State Association to Commemorate Anniversary.

Trenton, Feb. 7.—It is proposed by the New Jersey Editorial Association, which was organized in Trenton on January 25, 1857, to celebrate its fiftieth anniversary with a dinner, to be held in Trenton on February 25. Governor Stokes is among the invited guests.

One of the subjects that will probably be discussed at the affair is the moement for the publication in some form of the new laws of the State as they are made by the egislature. Jacob L. Bunnell, of Orange, secretary of the organization, is a member of the committee, as are H. B. Hollingson, of Rahway; W. B. R. Mason, of Bound Brook, and J. W. Clifht, of Summit.

Baby Alive After Avalanche.

Salida, Col., Feb. 7.—Bodies of seven victims of the snowslide on Monarch Mountain have been recovered, the victims being Fred Mason and wife, Joseph Boyle, John Emerson and John Gillert and George Griffith, miners, and Stephen Skinner, a saloon keeper. A little baby of the Masons was buried under many feet of snow and broken house timber fourteen hours, but was found lying in his bed unharmed. Nearby were the dead bodies of his parents.

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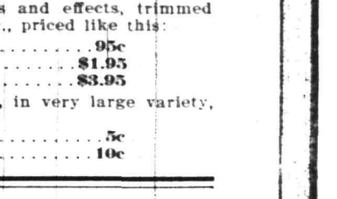

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PERSONAL.

Mrs. J. Edgar Corlies, of Road Ending, is visiting in Bridgeport Conn.

Miss Minnie G. Morse, of Franklin place, is improved from an attack of the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Miner, of Oriskany Falls, N. Y., are visiting relatives in town.

Letter-carrier William Demarest, of the borough, is slowly improving from a severe illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson VanWinkle will soon move from West End avenue to Essex street.

E. E. Iremonger, of Netherwood, left yesterday for Stratford, Conn., to attend the funeral of a relative.

Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis, editor of The Sabbath Recorder, is detained at home with an attack of the grip.

Mrs. William Newcorn, of West Front street, is improved from an illness that has detained her at home for several days.

Henry Wood, of Cincinnati, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Frost, of Watchung avenue. A year ago he accompanied F. W. Frost on a trip around the world.

Fred Armstrong, of Duer street, who has been detained at home by illness, which threatened typhoid fever, is much improved and is able to be about his room.

N. Douglas Drake, of Duer street, who has been living at Saranac Lake since last fall, writes home that he has fully recovered his health and has gained over twenty pounds in weight. He says that the thermometer remains about thirty degrees below zero all the time. Mr. Drake will not return home until spring.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

Miss Mary Giles will lead the Christian Endeavor Society meeting at the Park Avenue Baptist church tomorrow night.

Rev. George B. Shaw, of the Seventh-Day Baptist church, is spending a month among the denominational churches in Rhode Island.

Special interest is attached to the fifteenth anniversary services to be held at Grace M. E. church on Sunday, because of the presence of Rev. Herbert F. Randolph, a former pastor, who will preach in the morning. Rev. Dr. H. K. Carroll will occupy the pulpit at night.

The McAll Auxiliary met at the Public Library, yesterday, and received encouraging letters from its missionaries who are in charge of the McAll work in Limoges, France. There is increasing interest in this work and the Plainfield Auxiliary is constantly growing in membership.

GOTHAM'S AMUSEMENTS

During the week of February 11th, with a Lincoln's Birthday extra matinee, the Grand Opera House will have for its attraction Lew Dockstader in his annual Carnival of Minstrelsy. The advent of the genial Lew and his merry singing and dancing men is always an event of importance at the Grand, and as this year's Big Fun Show is said to be Dockstader's very best, an immense welcome is awaiting the arrival of the King of Black-face Artists. Neil O'Brien still continues as Dockstader's chief lieutenant, and his new ditty, "Brotherly Love," and his afterpiece "Rapid Transit Up-to-Date" bring out his abilities to their laughing limit. The contingent of sweet voiced tenors, robust baritones and sturdy basses in the Dockstader organization will render the latest popular and classical ballads as only the minstrels can, while Dockstader's dancing cohorts challenge the world for nimbleness, agility and grace. Among the new vocal numbers to be offered will be, "I Know I'm Not Your First Sweetheart, But Let Me Be Your Last," "Won't You Come Over to My House," "Shovelin' Coal," "Good Morning, Ezra," "Anybody But You," and the big spectacular effect, "Moon Love."

TRIMMER FACES CHARGES.

Roselle Council Accuses Former Collector of Negligence in Office.

Roselle, Feb. 7.—The Borough Council, at a special meeting this week, preferred seven charges against Charles B. Trimmer, who has been deposed as borough collector and treasurer. The Council set Saturday night as the time for Trimmer to answer the charges.

He is accused by the body of failing to produce a tax duplicate for 1906, and of being negligent in several other respects, including his failure to furnish a bond within the time specified by law.

The finances of the borough are tied up, the only person to receive their pay last week being the teachers.

Killed By His Injuries.

Phillipsburg, Feb. 7.—Dan Keating, thirty-seven years old, died at the Easton (Pa.) Hospital today from injuries sustained in the Phillipsburg yard of the Lehigh Valley Railroad a few days ago. Keating was an employee of the Bethlehem Steel Works, and was a life-long resident of Washington, this county. The accident happened while Keating was walking on the railroad between Phillipsburg and Easton. He was struck by a train, and both of his legs were crushed under the cars. He was unmarried, and the body will be taken to his home at Washington.

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ACKERMAN AND COLBY.

With reference to the stand taken by Senators Ackerman and Colby at the last of the Senatorial fight, the Newark News summed the matter up in the following editorial last night:

"Senators Colby and Ackerman were consistent in refusing to go into caucus and vote for Mr. Briggs, as candidate for United States Senator, and they are deserving of praise for standing by the principles that have actuated them throughout the contest just closed. It is easy to say that they should have joined with the rest of the Republican legislators and made their action unanimous, but by so doing they would have abandoned everything they have been working for; they would have subverted their own convictions; they would have eaten their own words.

"Both these Senators have fought manfully against caucus rule. They could not honorably submit to it in the end. They sought to defeat Mr. Dryden because of his overpowering corporation affiliations, and how then could they support the man whom Mr. Dryden named as his own successor? They have represented, as they honestly believe, the independent, intelligent views of their constituents throughout the whole Senatorial struggle; and how, therefore, could they abandon the position they had thus far successfully maintained at great odds?

"There is a stigma attached, but not deserved, to a 'bolter' or to any one who conscientiously obeys the demands of his constituents as he understands them, but there should be praise instead when such refusal to abide by caucus dictation is the consistent culmination of a course approved by the people. Senators Colby and Ackerman had no other honorable way open to them than to do as they did. They deserve credit for consistency and for having the courage of their convictions to the very last."

Dead Man at Throttle.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 7.—For about one mile, the Pennsylvania Railroad's Congressional limited, due at North Philadelphia at 7 o'clock this evening, was piloted through the night over the switches and past sidings by a dead man. The engine driver, Joseph Toms, had been killed at Diamond street bridge, and his battered head was hanging out of the cab window, although the left hand still held the throttle firmly. This train is one of the finest on the road. There were seven sleeping cars attached to the big locomotive last night, and, in spite of the snow, the express was being whirled through on time. Between the Schuylkill river and the North Philadelphia station is a stretch of almost level track where engineers are in the habit of running at high speed. George Mitchener, the fireman, says that he spoke to Toms just before reaching the Diamond street bridge, and it is certain that the accident must have taken place there, for there are no other bridges farther on which have abutments close enough to the tracks to do any damage. Mitchener, getting no answer, sprang over to the engine driver's side of the cab and saw what had happened. He closed the throttle and brought the train to a stop somewhat more suddenly than usual, perhaps, but the passengers did not know what had occurred.

Detective Found In Pieces.

York, Pa., Feb. 7.—Fragments of the body of John Newborough, detective of the Northern Central Railway, were found along the track near the Rockville Bridge yesterday, and it is believed he was murdered by a Harrisburg gang of thieves whom he was pursuing. Newborough had received threatening letters and it is thought he was waylaid. His supposed assailants are being sought.

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Chihuahua, Mexico. — Enrique C. Creel, acting governor of the State of Chihuahua, and who has been appointed ambassador to the United States, will be one of the richest men in the world when he comes into possession of his share of the fortune of Gen. Luis Terrazas, his father-in-law, and adds it to his own wealth.

Governor Creel is an American in his parentage but a native of Mexico. He was born in this city August 31, 1854. He is one of the ablest financiers in Mexico.

He took a leading part in establishing the new monetary system for the Mexican government. He is interested with Gen. Terrazas in many big enterprises and has practically had the control of his father-in-law's vast holdings for many years. This has brought him into close contact with men of finance of all lands, particularly Mexico and the United States.

Governor Creel's wealth is now estimated to be not less than $25,000,000. The fortune of Gen. Terrazas is upward of $200,000,000. It has been said that he practically owns the state and city of Chihuahua.

His mines, ranches, farms, banks, manufacturing plants, houses and business blocks bring him in a great annual revenue. He was governor of Chihuahua for many years, but on account of his advanced age he relinquished active duties of the office about three years ago, and his son-in-law, Mr. Creel, was appointed acting governor by President Diaz.

Although Mr. Creel was born in Mexico, his Americanism is plainly shown in his personality. His father

ENRIQUE CREEL.
(New Ambassador from Mexico to the United States.)

was Reuben W. Creel, who came to Chihuahua from the United States in the late 40's and opened a little store here.

Reuben Creel was a graduate of one of the Eastern colleges of the United States. He and his wife lived here until they died. They reared a family of seven children, of which Enrique was the oldest.

The little business which the elder Creel started did not prosper and the family had a hard struggle to live. Enrique forged ahead and got a place as teacher in a private school in Chihuahua. His earnings all went to support his parents and his brothers and sisters.

His brightness attracted the attention of some Mexican citizens of the place and they put him in the way of starting a small mercantile business. His business ability soon brought him success.

He branched out into other lines of business and added to his fortune until he became one of the wealthy men of the state. He married the daughter of Gen. Terrazas, the richest man in Mexico.

In 1884 he became manager of the Banco Mineral, one of the largest financial institutions in northern Mexico. He is also president of the Banco Central, a leading bank of this state, and is a director in three other banks. He is interested in scores of industrial enterprises and in many rich mines, and owns large estates.

Governor Creel attributes his success in life to hard and persistent work. Although born in Mexico, he does not follow the usual custom of this country of putting off until tomorrow what could be done to-day. He rises every morning at five o'clock, winter and summer, and is at work an hour later. He puts in twelve to fourteen hours a day at hard work in his office of governor and in attending to his private business affairs.

If Governor Creel has any particular hobby it is that of uplifting the poor and ignorant people of this state. He believes that the progress and development of a nation lies in the education of its people. He is applying this principle to the children throughout the state of Chihuahua. It is his ambition to give the state of Chihuahua the best public school system of any state in Mexico, and to put it on a par with any state in the United States.

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Plain French Nainsook, 45 inches wide, **50c** to **75c** a yd.
Skirtings, in Indian head, linens, galitea and pique, poplin cord, plain and mercerized and fine mercerized Rep.
Linen Suitings and Shirt Waistings, in 4-4, 5-4 & 10-4 widths, from **30c** to **1.00** yd.
Fine Linen Lawns, 4-4 widths, from **50c** to **1.50** a yard.
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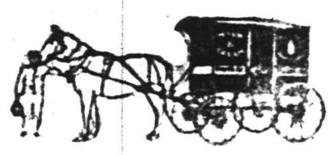

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

Workmen have just begun excavating for a new three-story freight station for the Lehigh Valley at South Bethlehem, Pa. This structure is part of the improvement for which the company contemplates expending $500,000. When all the improvements have been completed—among them a new freight yard—South Bethlehem will have the best facilities for handling freight of any town along the road.

Some of the residents of the village have been annoyed at night by some boys who find pleasure in throwing wet snow balls at the windows and in meddling with personal property. This has been going on for quite some time and if it is continued they will have to suffer the consequences imposed upon them by the residents.

The regular meeting of the P. O. S. of A. will be held in Washington Hall tonight. Routine business will be transacted.

School Superintendent Metz has engaged Miss Smalley, of New Market, as regular teacher in place of Miss Steele.

The recent snow has caused some of the students of the Plainfield High School to remain at home for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Schenck are rejoicing over the birth of a boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Springer are visiting friends in Perth Amboy.

(Additional suburban news on page 2).

Four Queens Cause Divorce.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 7.—Alleging that her husband, Oscar Miller, did not know the commercial value of a pair of deuces in a poker game, Flora E. Miller, of Kokomo, Ind., has filed suit for divorce. She says that her husband abandoned her so long ago that she can't remember when he left. She asserts that during their married life he made a business of swelling the bank accounts of barkeepers. Regarding Miller's gambling proclivities the complainant says: "The defendant was an inveterate bunt unsuccessful gambler. He was not possessed of sufficient judgment to estimate the commercial value of a pair of deuces, and he has been known to hazard heavily and persistently on an 'ace full' when he has been notified that his advisary was in open, notorious and undisputed possession of two pairs of queens."

Court Plainfield, No. 1144, Independent Order Foresters, will initiate candidates and make arrangements to visit Court Dunellen, No. 1123, I. O. O. F., at their meeting tomorrow night. In the good and welfare the court glee club will entertain the members.

LIVERYMAN HANGS HIMSELF

(Continued from Page 1.)

had no business worriment. Dr. Herbert said this morning that Franken had been a man of very nervous temperament.

"He often complained of loneliness when I returned to the office after an absence of more than a few minutes," said the veterinary.

Franken was unmarried. He bought the Cab Company's business, with Rudolph G. Toense, of North Plainfield, last summer. He came to this city from New York, where he had been associated in business with Mr. Toense.

The suicide's father and mother and two brothers live in Cologne, Germany, where he was born. His only relatives in this country are cousins in New York. They are members of the big leaf tobacco firm of Lichtenstein Brothers, 117 Maiden Lane.

Mr. Toense took charge of his partner's body this forenoon, after his arrival in response to a telegram sent to his place of business in New York. He notified the Lichtensteins of the suicide immediately. They are expected to assume charge of the remains.

RESENTED WOMAN'S LAUGH.

Donnegan Gets Ninety Days for Attacking Witness.

Hoboken, Feb. 7.—In the storm Monday night Mrs. Minnie Hoburg, of 550 First street, and her two children, were on their way home from the residence of a friend. At Park avenue and First street Mrs. Hoburg saw Ambrose Donnegan fall in the snow.

She passed him as he was regaining his feet. She had not taken many steps, however, when Donnegan seized her and hurled her to the ground. She fell on a pile of snow, and escaped serious injury. Mrs. Hoburg attempted to rise, but Donnegan again threw her to the ground. The woman screamed for help, and the children joined in her cries. Policeman William Leahy heard her screams and came to her and arrested Donnegan.

When arraigned before Recorder Stanton Tuesday, Donnegan's only excuse for assaulting Mrs. Hoburw was that she laughed at him when he fell down. He was sent to the penitentiary for ninety days.

Thirst to See Thaw.

New York, Feb. 7.—Two boys who admitted they had run away from their homes and come to New York to see if they could get a glimpse of Harry Thaw were arraigned in the Tombs Police Court yesterday. Sherman Walrath, of Johnstown, N. Y., was arrested at No. 302 East Sixty-sixth street, in obedience to a telegram from the chief of police of Johnstown, who sought him at the request of his parents. Jacob Levenson, of Chicago, was arrested in the Bowery, where he was trying to get through the fire lines at a small fire. Both boys said in court that they had been reading about Harry Thaw in the newspapers, and had come to New York to see him. They will be sent to their homes.

Jackson Divorce Stopped.

Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 7.—Attorney General William S. Jackson has apparently effected a reconciliation with his wife as a result of successful negotiations concluded today. The Attorney General stayed at his house on Front street last night. At midnight, at his home, he refused to be interviewed as to his arrangements for the future, but it is admitted by E. E. Coatsworth, attorney for Mrs. Jackson, that his remaining at the house last night condones any alleged offences discovered at Rochester, and debars Mrs. Jackson from instituting proceedings for divorce hereafter on the action that was pending.

—Plainfield Typographical Union, No. 399, met last night and transacted routine business. The election and installation of officers were postponed until next week.

—Special Officer Jerry Cash, who has been house-bound for four months with rheumatism, was able to go outdoors for a walk this morning. He is slowly regaining his health.

THE CELEBRATED

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FERRYBOAT AFIRE.

Quickly Doused Blaze in the Pilot-house Scares Women Aboard.

The New Jersey Central's ferryboat Wilkesbarre had just left her slip at the foot of West Twenty-third street for Jersey City at 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon when flames burst from the rear pilot house. The boat was about fifty yards from the ferry slip, and had just turned her bow south for the two-mile trip when Captain Smith, looking back from the forward pilot house, saw smoke and flames pouring out of the windows of the house behind.

There were 200 women shoppers aboard and some men. Captain Smith signaled to the engineer to reverse the engines and to back the boat into the slip, and then gave the signal "All hands to quarters."

He also ordered one of the ferry hands to take charge of a bucket brigade to fight the flames. Patrolman Kirke of the West Twentieth street station saw the fire from West street, and while the boat was putting back to the slip he turned in an alarm.

Many of the women passengers heard the commotion, and some of them screamed when the saw the flames. That created a stir among the others. They crowded out of the cabin one to the deck, where several of the ferryhands and the men passengers assured them that there was no danger. But the women huddled together in a frightened bunch. There was no actual panic.

The ferryboat dashed for her slip under extra speed. The crew had by this time got out the boat's fire hose and were pouring water on the blaze. As soon as the boat bumped into her slip and had been tied up the gates were opened and the passengers allowed to get off.

The fire engines arrived in a few minutes, but by that time the crew had extinguished the flames. The fireboat George McClellan also responded. An examination showed that the fire was caused by defective insulation in the pilot house. The damage was about $200. The boat was able to finish the trip, and then she was laid up for repairs.

WOMAN KILLED IN CARRIAGE.

Two Men Injured, One Mortally, in Vehicle Hit by Freight Train.

Long Branch, Feb. 7.—While crossing the Long Branch Railroad tracks at Chelsea avenue a carriage was struck early yesterday morning by a northbound freight train and the occupants were tossed into the air. The train stopped, and the crew went to the aid of the party in the carriage. They found Bertha Gootheil dead, Stewart Sherman with a broken back, and George Morris, the driver, with a broken leg. The train took the injured men to the Monmouth Memorial Hospital, which is near the tracks. Sherman will die.

Miss Gootheil and Mr. Sherman were returning from the charity ball of the Monmouth Memorial Hospital in the Lyceum. The crossing was dark, and Morris did not see the approaching train until it was upon him. In the daytime there is a watchman at the crossing, but at night it is left unguarded.

Miss Gootheil was 27 years old and the daughter of Emil Gootheil, who lives on Broadway in this place. Mr. Sherman is a contractor and is about 28 years old. He is the son of Hiram Sherman, a well-known resident of Long Branch.

OPERATOR HURLED 200 FEET.

Robert Batson, of Jersey City, Killed at Roselle.

While crossing the tracks of the Central Railroad opposite the station at Roselle, last night, Robert A. Batson, the local night ticket agent and telegraph operator, was struck by a Philadelphia flyer and killed instantly. The body was not mutilated.

Batson was about to deliver a message to the conductor of a westbound train. He became confused on the approach of the two trains, and before he could escape the flyer was upon him. The body was removed to Stiner's morgue at Elizabeth. County Physician Westcott was notified, as were the parents of Batson.

He was 32 years old and resided in Jersey City. When Batson was struck his body was hurled a distance of 200 feet. It landed in a snow bank and thereby escaped mutilation. He had frequently worked as relief man at the North avenue station office of the Western Union.

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MRS. STEELE IN NEW YORK

Said To Be Waiting Miss Robson's Benefit Performance.

That Mrs. Jessamy Harte Steele, Bret Harte's daughter, formerly a local resident, is in New York awaiting the benefit Miss Eleanor Robson is to give for her on February 14 at the Liberty theatre, was asserted yesterday by a representative of Liebler & Company, the theatrical firm. But all information as to where she is stopping was refused. All he would say was that she is safe with friends. Miss Robson declined to be seen, referring all inquiries to her manager.

"I cannot understand why people continue to be interested in the unfortunate woman," said J. Aspinwall Hodge, counsel to Mrs. Steele and her husband. "In the first place she is mentally unsound, and for that reason cannot be seen."

BIG SCHOOL MONEY.

Amount on Hand 110 Per Cent. More Than Last Year.

The State Board of Education's apportionment of school moneys for 1907 shows the amount of money available for school purposes for 1907, in addition to what may be raised through local taxes, to be $1,048,943.

This means an increase of about 110 per cent. over what was available last year and will materially reduce the amount of money to be raised by local taxation. In fact, many of the rural districts will be provided with more money than they have ever spent for school purposes in one year.

Senator Briggs' Opportunity.

Mr. Briggs now has the greatest opportunity of his life to prove that Senators Colby and Ackerman made a mistake in failing to vote for him. And the Essex and Union men will be most happy to be convinced of their error by the logic of events that will transpire in Washington in the next six years.—Newark News.

P. H. S. Straw Ride.

A straw ride party composed of twenty-two High School students went to Westfield and back last night. It was chaperoned by Miss Ferry and Mr. Mathewson, members of the High School faculty.

DIED.

GUNTHER—In this city, February 6, 1907, George L. Gunther, Jr., at Muhlenberg Hospital.

Notice of funeral hereafter. 2 7 2

Classified Advertisements

Rates for advertisements under this heading one cent a word for first insertion, one half a cent a word for consecutive insertions of the same advertisement running for less than one month; one month, fifty cents a line (6 words to a line), double rate for advertisement set in capitals.

No advertisements received for less than ten cents.

Copy for deaths and marriage notices and classified advertising accepted up to 2:30 p. m.

THE DAILY PRESS is not at liberty to give any information regarding advertisements that require an address in care of this office. Persons answering these ads. should mail or leave answers as stated in advertisements.

Help Wanted.

WANTED—White girl for general housework in family of three; no washing. 329 Franklin place. 2 7 tf

WANTED—FIFTY EXTRA MEN TOMORROW. NATURAL ICE CO.

WANTED—Girl for general housework; in family of two. Apply 62 Westervelt Ave. 2 7 3

WANTED—Young white girl to assist with housework and care of baby; references required. Mrs. Case, 917 Madison Ave. 2 7 3

GIRL wanted for general housework; no washing. 129 Grove, corner Park place. 2 6 tf

WANTED—Girl for general house work. 403 Central avenue. 2 6 4

WANTED—Young colored girl as chambermaid; references required. Apply 721 Watchung avenue.

WANTED—Girl for general housework, two in family; wages $5 per week. 954 West Seventh St.

FIRST-CLASS patternmaker wanted on machine work. Apply Watson Stillman Co., Aldene, N. J. 2 6 4

WANTED—A nurse. 915 Hillside avenue. 1 26 tf

WANTED — Experienced cook; white; reference required. Apply 1060 Central Ave. 2 4 tf

WANTED—White girl for general housework; no washing. Call afternoons, 955 West Sixth St. 1 24 tf

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. 678 West Seventh street. 2 4 tf

YOUNG Polish girl wants situation to do general housework. Call 657 South Second St. 2 5 3

WANTED—Waitress (white); reference required. 151 East Seventh St. 2 5 3

MACHINISTS—First class vise, lathe and boring mill hands wanted at the Watson Stillman Co., Aldene, N. J. 2 4 12

WANTED—Two foundry helpers. Aluminum Press Co. 1 31 tf

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at once at Mrs. Keller's Intelligence Office, 22 Somerset place. 12 29 tf

GIRL wanted to cook, wash and iron; references required. Apply 526 West Seventh St. 1 29 tf

WANTED—Good cook, white; references. Call 441 West 8th street. 1 4 tf

WANTED — General housework girls. Mrs. Day's Intelligence Office, South Plainfield, N. J. 12 12 tf

For Rent.

THREE-ROOM apartment to let, centrally located; rent $10. E. M. French, 171 North Ave. 2 5 tf

HOUSE, 930 West Third street, to let. Enquire 200 West Second St. 2 7 2

TO LET—Large, new store, No. 407 Watchung avenue. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin building. 9 24 tf

DENTIST office, heat, telephone, light, water, door attendance. 178 East Front street. 1 11 tf

Wanted—Miscellaneous.

WANTED—House 8 rooms, all improvements; convenient to North Avenue or Grant Avenue stations; cash price $4,000 to $4,500. Address F. P. K., care Daily Press. 2 4 6

WILL care for good horse for the winter for use of same. Address Good Care, care Press. 10 6 tf

UPRIGHT piano wanted cheap for cash; any condition. Address Box 605, Plainfield. 11 8 tf

Rooms and Board.

FURNISHED rooms to let. Apply 110 West Second street, near Park avenue. 2 6 3

TO LET—Furnished house, ten rooms and bath; all improvements; central location. E. L. Adams, 104 East Ninth street. 2 4 3

FURNISHED rooms for gentlemen in refined neighborhood. 402 Grant avenue. 12 6 tf

GOOD accommodations; low rates. Boyce's Hotel. 97 Somerset St. tf

Situations Wanted.

WANTED—Position as bookkeeper or cashier by experienced young lady. Address M., care Press. 2 7 3

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Everybody to hear "Joe the Turk" tonight at the Salvation Army Hall. 2 6 3

I WRITE insurance of all kind. Lemuel A. Tunison, Mt. Horeb, P. O., Martinville, N. J. 2 2 12

MRS. BONY — High-class dressmaking; French models; fine work remodeling; moderate prices. 12 Stone St., North Plainfield. 1 24 1m

ALL MY stock of sleighs will be reduced at half price; several second hand coupe rockaways. W. J. Conroy, 175-177 Somerset St. 1 17 tf

NEXT—We are next to station and next to bargain; bring in your bargain and be next to buyers. Ira L. LaRue, 152 North Ave. 1 8 tf

GENERAL typewriting and stenographer. Call at 33 Somerset street, N. Plainfield. A. G. Daudt. 2 2 1m

FREE! FREE! Six fine square pianos, for cost of tuning and carting only; great chance for beginners and others. Call at once, Hadley's piano salesrooms, 315 West Front St. 23 tf

DEAD animals removed. Ruckman Brothers, 204 Plainfield avenue, 'phone 415-L. 8 28 6m

P. F. LATOURETTE, auctioneer; sales promptly attended to; satisfaction guaranteed. 326 West Front St. 2 10 tf

BEFORE selling your furniture see Latourette, 326 West Front St. tf

A REFINED messeuse would like few ladies to treat at their homes. Address Mrs. Ashley, 1326 Park avenue, 'phone 538-J. 1 8 1m

PAINTING and paperhanging, 1907 patterns; estimates furnished. Francis Bartels, Watchung, N. J. 1 14 1m

AUTOMOBILES sold by us guaranteed right; we thoroughly overhaul every machine before selling, and still sell way below market prices; we only buy and sell late model slightly used cars of the kind we know give satisfaction; investigate before buying. Thompson Auto Co., 315 West Front. 1 12 1m

BABIES crochet sacques for sale; all prices; also ladies' knitted sweaters made to order. Mrs. Mayer, 54 Pearl street, North Plainfield. tf

THE highest cash price paid for household goods, furniture, etc. Fred W. Hand, Auctioneer, 136 East Second street. 'Phone 1722. tf

Money to Loan.

MONEY to loan on mortgage; five per cent. Louis A. Clement, lawyer, Babcock building. 2 4 6

TO LOAN on bond and mortgage, $3,000, also $3,500, on satisfactory risks. J. F. MacDonald, 149 North avenue. 1 31 tf

MONEY to loan, five per cent. gilt edge real estate. J. T. Vail. 1 14 tf

MONEY to loan at 5 per cent. on first mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot. tf

TO LOAN—Money on first mortgages at 5 per cent. V. W. Nash, Jr., 221 Park avenue. 6 22 tf

$4,000.00 TO LOAN on first bond and mortgage, on Plainfield property at five per cent. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin Building, East Front street. tf

TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street. tf

Real Estate Agents.

ASK Manning or McIntyre, 133 North avenue, to show you the plans of the two new houses they are building on West Eighth street; each house contains 11 rooms, three baths, with every modern improvement; open sanitary plumbing, tiled bath rooms, steam heat, large open fire-places, hardwood floors and cabinet trim; large porch, lot 100x240; numerous shade trees and nearly opposite the beautiful residence of Mr. Robert Rushmore and adjoining the house of Elliot T. Barrows. 1 31 1m

THOSE desiring to own a farm should consult one who has been selling farms for years, and he is yours truly, William Henry Rogers, 136 Park avenue, Plainfield; telephone 44 tf

Chickens and Eggs.

FOR SALE—One Cyphers incubator and three out-door brooders practically new. Address G. G., care Press. 2 2 tf

BLACK ORPINGTON COCKERELS AND PULLETS—A few choice ones for sale; fine shape and color; good enough to show; brothers to first prize winners at the late large shows; write for prices; eggs $5 per setting. Oak Tree Poultry and Game Farm, Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J. 1 21 tf

For Sale.

FOR SALE—Boynton double oven range; cheap; first-class condition. 316 West Sixth St. 2 7 2

FOR SALE—Roller top desk; newly new; a bargain. Desk, care Daily Press. 2 6 3

HOUSES for sale. Call or address Lemuel A. Tunison, Mt. Horeb, P. O., Martinville, N. J. 2 2 12

For Sale.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Three-seated sleigh. Pocock's livery, 59 Somerset St. 2 5 3

FOR SALE CHEAP—Two-seated sleigh. Can be seen at 625 West Front street. 2 5 3

FOR SALE—A fine lot between Park and Watchung avenues, on Second street. M. F. Gano, 221 Park avenue. 2 5 tf

TWO-SEATED light sleigh for sale. Apply at 740 Belvidere Ave. 2 5 5

FOR SALE—Party about to move, will sell 30 pair mated homer pigeons to highest bidder. Address R., care Press. 2 4 6

FOR SALE—Fine new 10-room house situate on a high terraced lot, 100x250, in the best section of Netherwood; hard wood floors and trim; 2 tiled bath rooms, 3 fireplaces, steam heat; occupancy April 1; will finish to suit purchaser. Plans can be seen at the office of William H. Abbott, 163 North Ave. 1 29 1m

FARM, 24 acres, for sale, near Somerville, on macadam road; good buildings. McNabb, lawyer, 209 North avenue. 1 28 1m

REAL ESTATE for sale, rent and exchange at bargain figures; insurance in strong companies at lowest rates; money to loan at five per cent. Thickstun & Emmons, 197 North avenue. 9 28 tf

FOR SALE—House and lot on Webster place, near Watchung avenue; fine location; 8 rooms; all improvements. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

FOR SALE—Horsemen look at this! A matched pair of dapple gray mares, six years old, weight 2,800 pounds, absolutely sound and kind; Illinois bred, but now acclimated. Can be seen at 1026 West Seventh street. Who wants them? A. E. Park, Plainfield, Tel. 843. 2 7 4

LOT FOR SALE on John street, near West Seventh, 50x150; fine location; will sell very reasonable. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE—Houses and lots in all parts of the city; properties that I have picked up in trade that I can sell you for less than market prices; if you want to buy or have anything to sell come and see me. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

FOR SALE—Very desirable new house, Union street, corner Arlington avenue, nine rooms and bath; all improvements. J. T. Vail, 177 North avenue. 12 15 tf

FOR SALE OR FOR RENT—Several houses, stores and offices. J. P. W. Taylor, 102 North Ave. 12 20 tf

FOR SALE—Coal and lumber business, grocery, butcher, livery, trucking, automobile garage; all kinds of business bargains. Ira L. LaRue, next to station, next to bargain. 31 tf

HOUSES and lots for sale cheap. Call or address Lemuel A. Tunison, real estate agent, office Mt. Horeb, P. O., Martinville, N. J. 2 2 12

A CHANCE for a working man to buy a home on West Second street; very little cash required. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

OLD PAPERS for sale; put up in packages of 100 copies for 10c. Apply at this office. tf

FOR SALE—Three eleven-room houses; all improvements; possession April 1st, if sold by February 15th. D. C. Ivins, No. 937 Hillside Ave. 8 tf

FOR SALE—Seasoned cord wood; cut in lengths to suit purchaser; also mill slabing at $6 per cord; orders will be given prompt attention. John V. TenEyck & Son, P. O. Box 57, Metuchen, N. J. 1 8 3m

FOR SALE—Four lots on Westervelt avenue, near Front street; terms to suit. Apply 103 East Fourth St., near Park Ave., Bacon. 6 11 tf

FOR SALE—An elegant lot on East Second street, size 50x200 feet; close to town; just the spot for a good double house. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

FOR SALE—House and lot, on West Fourth street, near Grant avenue; 10 rooms, city water and toilet; rents for two families; a bargain for some one. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

FOR SALE—At one-half cost, 5-horse Westinghouse compound engine (Junior) in good condition; cost $250; our price $125. Call at Daily Press office. tf

Lost and Found.

LOST—Today, an automobile tire chain, from Spooner avenue and Seventh street to Plainfield station. Reward at Daily Press office.

LOST—Wednesday afternoon, a silver watch and black leather fob with gold G. G. monogram attached. Reward if returned to 313 Franklin place. 2 7 3

LOST—Tuesday evening, one knee warmer, knitted of Camel's Hair. Reward if returned to this office. 2 6 3

LOST—A large gray striped cat, with red collar. $2 reward at 614 West Third St. 2 6 2

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EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Feb. 10: "The Blessings of Helpfulness." (Southern Educational Work.)

By REV. WALTER J. YATES, D. D.

Isa. lviii, 6-12; Ps. cii, 18-22; Luke x, 25-37.

This fifty-eighth chapter of Isaiah shows in clearest colors the essential and abiding difference between aesthetical and ethical religion. There is a vast difference in sentiments. Our present application of this lesson of righteousness in religion is to the work of southern education.

One of the prime causes of the civil war was the sentiment of the north against the institution of slavery. This had both its moral and economic sides. The emancipation proclamation gave political liberty to the negro. The fifteenth amendment to the constitution gave him the ballot. All this was in the realm of law and could not change in the slightest degree the nature of either negro or white man.

Four million negroes were at once thrust out into life with the necessity upon them to make a livelihood and also to make for themselves a new place in social and political life. They owned not a foot of land, though most of them had no skill for any work but that of cultivating the soil and must ever look forward to that kind of labor for means of subsistence. They owned no shelter over their heads, for the cabins were the property of their masters. They owned no clothes, for these belonged to their masters also. They had no experience in caring for themselves, for they had worked as they had been directed. They had no knowledge of many of the commonest principles of thrift, prudence, economy, health and the thousand and one little and great things which go to make life successful and which are so common among a free people that they never stop to consider that they know them nor whence they derived their knowledge and skill. The negro had everything to get and nothing but his bodily powers and uncultured wit with which to get it.

The white man of the south was almost as poor as he could be. He could give little help except in suggestion and employment to the negro. Yet this same white man, so lately master, was almost the only helper and adviser the negro could have.

Here came in the work of the north in the matter of helping both black and white of the south to help themselves. The Methodist Episcopal church was at once in the front rank of friendly helpers. Schools were a necessity. Schools were at once established. Churches and preachers were as much needed as schools and teachers. This work has from the first aimed to give the assistance most needed. Many need the lower branches. Some can fit for teachers, others as preachers, physicians, lawyers and dentists. But the larger part need to be taught the various trades. So the industrial feature has had prominence in our schools. The boys have been taught the various trades, and the girls have been taught housekeeping, dressmaking, basketry and the work that is most useful to the women.

The results of this work in the forty years since it started have been all that could have been expected, but the negroes have more than doubled in numbers. While many have tried to fit themselves for the duties of free life, many have gone into bad ways, and the result is a mass of vicious men and women, menacing the welfare of the whole nation.

This is not a time for the north to curtail its help. More than ever before it must lend its aid to the solution of the great problem. Something has been done; much more remains to be done. The south alone cannot settle the matter. Mutual confidence and assistance are needed at this time. Our schools must be re-enforced and made more efficient. The north must more adequately understand the situation, and the south, white and black, must find the eternal principles of righteousness and follow them or suffer disaster to which all past evils will be small in comparison.

Resignation to Providence.

Peace of heart lies in perfect resignation to the will of God. What you need is true simplicity, certain calmness of spirit which comes from entire surrender to all that God wills, patience and toleration for your neighbor's faults and a certain candor and childlike docility in acknowledging your own faults. The trouble you feel about so many things comes from your not accepting everything which may happen to you with sufficient resignation to God. Put all things, then, in His hand and offer them beforehand to Him in your heart as a sacrifice. From the moment when you cease to want things to be according to your own judgment and accept unconditionally whatever He sends you will be free from all your uneasy retrospects and anxieties about your own concern.—Francois de la Mothe Fenelon.

To Keep Pledges.

It is easy to make good resolutions, but a great many people break them almost as soon as they make them. One of the problems of our life is how to keep our pledges. The first thing is actually to want to keep them. The secret of the failure of most good resolves is very often the want of real purpose. We want to get more backbone to our good intentions. We need to want to stand like a rock in resisting evil.—Forward.

Friendship.

The most I can do for my friend is simply to be his friend. I have no wealth to bestow upon him. If he knows that I am happy in loving him he will want no other reward. Is not friendship divine in this?—Henry D. Thoreau.

Corporation Notice.

Plainfield, N. J., February 4, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Michael F. Watson has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at No. 211 Grant avenue, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by Michael F. Watson.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the twenty-fifth instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

JAMES T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., February 4, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Jerome W. Leary has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at Corner of Park avenue and East Second street, in the First ward, which application is signed by J. W. Leary.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the twenty-fifth instant.

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JAMES T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., February 4, 1907.

Notice is hereby, given that Henry Haurand has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at No. 115 East Front street, in the First ward, which application is signed by Henry Haurand.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the twenty-fifth instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

JAMES T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., February 4, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Jacob Blimm has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at No. 37 Somerset street, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by Jacob Blimm.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the twenty-fifth instant.

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JAMES T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., February 4, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that John Clark and Frank Clark have applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at No. 456 West Third street, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by John Clark and Frank Clark.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the twenty-fifth instant.

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Plainfield, N. J., February 4, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that H. F. Windham, has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at Nos. 142-144 East Front street, in the First ward, which application is signed by H. F. Windham.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the twenty-fifth instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

JAMES T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., February 4, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that John A. Staats has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at Nos. 107-109-111 North avenue, in the First ward, which application is signed by John A. Staats.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the twenty-fifth instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

JAMES T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., February 4, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that John Rafferty has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Saloon license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at No. 213 Park avenue, in the First ward, which application is signed by John Rafferty.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the twenty-fifth instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

JAMES T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., February 4, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Christian Gloekler has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Saloon license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at Nos. 102-104 West Front street, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by Christian Gloekler.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the twenty-fifth instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

JAMES T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., February 4, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Alexander D. Findlay has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Saloon license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at No. 123 East Second street, in the First ward, which application is signed by Alexander D. Findlay.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the twenty-fifth instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

JAMES T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., February 4, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Frank Linke has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Wholesale license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at No. 227 West Front street, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by Frank Linke.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the twenty-fifth instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

JAMES T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., February 4, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that The Eastern Bottling Company has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Wholesale license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at Southerly corner of West Second street and Central avenue, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by John A. MacArthur, Its Secretary and Treasurer.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the twenty-fifth instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

JAMES T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

Corporation Notice.

Notice is hereby given that an ordinance, entitled "An Ordinance to Establish the Grade on Elmwood Place, Arlington Place, Pruden's Alley, Cottage Place, Exchange Alley, West End Avenue and Denmark Road, and Portions of Randolph Road, South Second Street and West Third Street," a copy of which is subjointed to this notice, has been introduced before the Common Council, read the second time, and ordered engrossed preparatory to its third reading, and that it is the intention of the Common Council to adopt such ordinance at the regular meeting of the Common Council to be held in the Council Chamber, No. 149 North Avenue, in the City of Plainfield, N. J., at eight o'clock p. m., on Monday, the fourth day of March, A. D. Nineteen Hundred and Seven, at which time and place prior to the adoption of said ordinance, said ordinance will be considered by the Common Council, and all persons interested may be heard before the Common Council with reference to the proposed ordinance.

By order of the Common Council.

JAMES T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., February 4, 1907.

AN ORDINANCE

To Establish the Grade on Elmwood Place, Arlington Place, Pruden's Alley, Cottage Place, Exchange Alley, West End Avenue and Denmark Road, and Portions of Randolph Road, South Second Street and West Third Street.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield by their Common Council do enact as follows:

Section 1. That the grades marked and shown on the maps and profiles entitled "Profiles of Elmwood Place, Arlington Place and Pruden's Alley, City of Plainfield, N. J." "Profiles of Cottage Place and Exchange Alley, City of Plainfield, N. J." "Profile of West End Avenue, City of Plainfield, N. J." "Profile of Denmark Road, City of Plainfield, N. J." "Profile of Randolph Road from Plainfield Avenue to Arlington Avenue, City of Plainfield, N. J." "Profile of South Second Street from Manson Place to Clinton Avenue, City of Plainfield, N. J." "Profile of West Third Street from Monroe Avenue to Clinton Avenue, City of Plainfield, N. J." all made by Andrew J. Gavett, City Surveyor, and filed in the office of the City Clerk on the fourth day of February, Nineteen Hundred and Seven, be and the same are hereby adopted and established as the official grades to which all curbs shall be maintained and in conformity with which all macadamizing shall be constructed as provided by law and the ordinances of the City of Plainfield, and that all ordinances and parts of ordinances establishing other or different grades than those shown by said maps and profiles and hereby established be and the same are hereby repealed.

Corporation Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the following Ordinance has been introduced before the Common Council, read the second time and ordered engrossed preparatory to its third reading, and that it is the intention of the Council to adopt the same.

J. T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., February 4, 1907.

AN ORDINANCE

To Amend An Ordinance, Entitled, "An Ordinance to Provide For the Licensing and Regulation of Peddlers, Hawkers, Cartmen, Hack, Omnibus, Stage and Truck Owners, and Drivers," Approved March 14, 1882, as Amended.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That section 1 of the Ordinance to which this is an amendment be, and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 1. That the Mayor of the said city is hereby authorized to grant licenses under his hand and the seal of the city to so many and to such persons as he shall think proper, of good moral character, and otherwise qualified according to the provisions of this ordinance, and to incorporated companies, to carry on, wholly or in part, within the limits of the city, the business of peddler, hawker or cartman, to drive or keep for use for hire a hack, omnibus, stage, truck or other vehicle for the transportation of passengers, baggage or merchandise, according to the provisions of this ordinance; and the City Clerk shall keep a detailed record of all licenses so granted."

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Prayer Meeting Topic For the Week Beginning Feb. 10.

By REV. S. H. DOYLE.

Topic.—Lessons from the patriarchs—I. Noah.—Heb. xi, 7; II Pet. ii, 4-9; I Pet. iii, 17-22.

The history of the Old Testament patriarchs contained in the eleventh chapter of Hebrews is a most remarkable record and one that has ever been an inspiration to the Christian people of the world. It is the most comprehensive summary in a most brief space of the prominent virtues of many of the world's great men that is to be found in sacred or secular literature. The most remarkable genius is displayed in the vivid and rapid portrayal of the motives and the achievements of some of the world's great souls. In the fewest possible words the lives of men are made to stand in view before us in such a way that at a glance their character and their whole lives are fully revealed. The study of these lives and the lessons to be drawn from them should be most interesting and inspiring, for—

Lives of great men all remind us
We can make our lives sublime
And departing leave behind us
Footprints on the sands of time.

The first one of these heroes to whom our attention is called is Noah, and we may well make this an occasion for studying his entire life, and so with the others, the lessons of whose lives we are to study.

1. The life of Noah teaches us a lesson on faith. Noah lived in an age of unbelief and godlessness. The entire world was steeped in sin. The sins of man were so base and so universal that God determined to destroy the people of the world by a flood. But amid it all Noah preserved his faith and righteousness and with them the favor of God. No man need lack faith because he lives in an age of unbelief. We should control our environments and not allow them to control us. This is what Noah did, and God amply rewarded him. He told him of His intentions and provided for him a way of escape. Noah did not doubt God's word, and, though the flood did not come for 120 years, his faith was so strong that he labored away on the ark, and when it did come he escaped. Faith in God is the first essential in a true life and absolutely necessary if we are to escape punishment for sin.

2. The life of Noah teaches us a lesson on fear. Noah, "moved with fear," prepared the ark. Believing God, he feared to disobey Him. The element of fear is very much minimized in the religion of today. It is given a small place. At one time it was no doubt overemphasized, but today too little emphasis is placed upon it. The mercy of God is given the supreme place, which is eminently proper, and yet mercy even should not be emphasized at the expense of God's justice. God is most merciful to all who come to Christ, but to those who neglect Him "it is a fearful thing to fall into the hands of the living God." Nor need we expect to escape. The angels who sinned did not. The world in the days of Noah did not. We may well fear God and give fear an important place as an incentive to faith and right living.

3. The life of Noah teaches us a lesson on the forbearance of God. God waited 120 years even after His decision to destroy the world, and what for except that man might be given every opportunity to repent and to escape the doom pronounced upon him? And meanwhile Noah preached righteousness to the people, or, as Peter puts it, Christ through Noah preached to them. God is gracious, "slow to anger and plenteous in mercy," but even "His Spirit will not always strive" with us. Let us therefore accept His mercy as offered to us in Christ and find refuge and safety in Him, who is the ark of our salvation.

BIBLE READINGS.

Gen. vi, 1-4, 11-22; Josh. i, 1-7; Prov. i, 7; Isa. lv, 1-7; Mark ix, 17-27; Luke xxiii, 39-43; Rom. iv, 1-10; II Cor. ii, 14; Heb. x, 23-31; xi, 25-29; I John v, 1-5; Rev. ii, 10.

Totals For All Europe.

The following interesting summary of Christian Endeavor in Europe appears in a recent number of European Christian Endeavor, published in London:

	Societies.	Members
Austria	9	150
Belgium	1	20
Bulgaria	9	300
Denmark	2	57
Finland	28	720
France	140	2,500
Germany	358	7,200
Greece	4	90
Hungary	22	150
Holland	..	..
Iceland	..	..
Italy	12	175
Norway	21	400
Portugal	3	50
Russia	49	1,225
Spain	53	1,375
Sweden	374	16,000
Switzerland	24	600
Turkey	18	224
Totals	1,127	31,950
Britain	8,000	240,000
Grand totals	9,127	271,950

Two Boy Lay Preachers.

At Camborne, England, the United Methodist Free church has two lads who sometimes occupy the pulpit and will probably enter the ministry. These boys joined the Junior Christian Endeavor society when only seven years old and have but recently been transferred from the Intermediate to the Young People's society. Already two Endeavorers from this church have become ministers, and two beside these lads are on their way through the schools in preparation for the best of callings. What a record for a single society! Christian Endeavor World.

me eyes me in that distaste for my stupidity which I have never suffered from any other man.

"Well, no; to tell the truth, I was thinking of other things during the interview."

"Your grandfather should have provided a guardian for you, lad. You oughtn't to be trusted with money. Is your bottle empty? Well, if that person with the fat neck was your friend Pickering, I'd have a care of what's coming to me. I'd be quite sure that Mr. Pickering hadn't made away with the old gentleman's boodle, or that it didn't get lost on the way from him to you."

"The time's running now, and I'm in for the year. My grandfather was a fine old gentleman, and I treated him like a dog. I'm going to do what he directs in that will, no matter what the size of the reward may be."

"Certainly; that's the eminently proper thing for you to do. But,—but keep your wits about you. If a fellow with that neck can't find money where money has been known to exist, it must be buried pretty deep. Your grandfather was a trifle eccentric, I judge, but not a fool by any manner of means. The situation appeals to my imagination, Jack. I like the idea of it,—the lost treasure and the whole business. Lord, what a salad that is! Cheer up, comrade! You're as grim as an owl!"

Whereupon we fell to talking of people and places we had known in other lands.

We spent the next day together, and in the evening, at my hotel, he criticized my effects while I packed, in his usual ironical vein.

"You're not going to take those things with you, I hope?" He indicated the rifles and several revolvers which I brought from the closet and threw upon the bed. "They make me homesick for the jungle."

He drew from its cover the heavy rifle I had used last on a leopard hunt and tested its weight.

"Precious little use you'll have for this! Better let me take it back to The Sod to use on the landlords. I say, Jack, are we never to seek our fortunes together again? We hit it off pretty well, old man, come to think of it,—I don't like to lose you."

He bent over the straps of the rifle-case with unnecessary care, but there was a quaver in his voice that was not like Larry Donovan.

"Come with me now!" I exclaimed, wheeling upon him.

"I'd rather be with you than with any other living man, Jack Glenarm, but I can't think of it. I have my own troubles, and, moreover, you've got to stick it out there alone. It's part of the game the old gentleman set up for you, as I understand it. Go ahead, collect your fortune, and then, if I haven't been hanged in the meantime, we'll join forces later. There's no chap anywhere with a pleasanter knack at spending money than your old friend L. D."

He grinned, and I smiled ruefully, knowing that we must soon part again, for Larry was one of the few men I had ever called friend, and this meeting had only quickened my old affection for him.

"Yes, I Supposed You Weren't Looking at the Woman," He Said, Dryly.

"I suppose," he continued, "you accept as gospel truth what that fellow tells you about the estate. I should be a little wary if I were you. Now, I've been kicking around here for a couple of weeks, dodging the detectives, and incidentally reading the newspapers. Perhaps you don't understand that this estate of John Marshall Glenarm has been talked about a good bit."

"I didn't know it," I said lamely.

"You couldn't know, when you were coming from the Mediterranean on a steamer. But the house out there and the mysterious disappearance of the property have been duly discussed. You're evidently an object of some public interest,"—and he drew from his pocket a newspaper cutting. "Here's a sample item." He read:

"John Glenarm, the grandson of John Marshall Glenarm, the eccentric millionaire who died suddenly in Vermont last summer, arrived on the Maxinkuckee from Naples yesterday. Under the terms of his grandfather's will, Glenarm is required to reside for a year at a curious house established by John Marshall Glenarm near Lake Annandale, Indiana.

"This provision was made, according to friends of the family, to test young Glenarm's staying qualities, as he has, since his graduation from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology five years ago, distributed a considerable fortune left by his father in contemplating the wonders of the old world. It is reported—"

"That will do! Signs and wonders I have certainly beheld, and if I spent my patrimony I submit that I got my money back."

I paid my bill and took a hansom for the ferry,—Larry with me, chaffing away drolly with his old zest. As the boat drew out into the river a silence fell upon us,—the silence that is possible only between old friends. As I looked back at the lights of the city, something beyond the sorrow at parting from a comrade touched me. A sense of foreboding, of coming danger, crept into my heart. But I was going upon the tamest possible excursion; for the first time in my life I was submitting to the direction of another,—albeit one who lay in the grave. How like my grandfather it was to die leaving this compulsion upon me! My mood changed suddenly and as the boat bumped at the pier I laughed.

"Bah! these men!" ejaculated Larry.

"What men?" I demanded, giving my bags to a porter.

"These men who are in love," he said. "I know the signs,—mooning, silence, sudden inexplicable laughter! I hope I'll not be in jail when you're married."

"You'll be in a long time if they hold you for that. Here's my train."

We talked of old times, and of future meetings, during the few minutes that remained.

"You can write me at my place of rustication," I said, scribbling "Annandale, Wabana county, Indiana," on a card. "Now if you need me at any time I'll come to you wherever you are. You understand that, old man. Good-by."

"Write me, care of my father—he'll have my address, though this last row of mine made him pretty hot."

I passed through the gate and down the long train to my sleeper. Turning with my foot on the step, I waved a farewell to Larry, who stood outside watching me.

In a moment the heavy train was moving slowly out into the night upon its westward journey.

CHAPTER III.

The House of a Thousand Candles.

Annandale derives its chief importance from the fact that two railway lines intersect there. The Chicago express paused only for a moment while the porter deposited my things beside me on the platform. Light streamed from the open door of the station; a few idlers paced the platform, staring into the windows of the cars; the village hackman languidly solicited my business. Suddenly out of the shadows came a tall, curious figure of a man clad in a long ulster. As I write, it is with a quickening of the sensation I received on the occasion of my first meeting with Bates. His lank, gloomy figure rises before me now, and I hear his deep melancholy voice, as, touching his hat respectfully, he said:

"Beg pardon, sir; is this Mr. Glenarm? I am Bates from Glenarm House. Mr. Pickering wired me to meet you, sir."

"Yes; to be sure," I said.

The hackman was already gathering up my traps, and I gave him my trunk checks.

"How far is it?" I asked, my eyes resting, a little regretfully, I must confess, on the rear lights of the vanishing train.

"Two miles, sir," Bates replied. "There's no way over but the hack in winter. In summer the steamer comes right into our dock."

"My legs need stretching; I'll walk," I suggested, drawing the cool air into my lungs. It was a still, starry October night, and its freshness was grateful after the hot sleeper. Bates accepted the suggestion without comment. We walked to the end of the platform, where the hackman was already tumbling my trunks about, and after we had seen them piled upon his nondescript wagon I followed Bates down through the broad, quiet street of the village. There was more of Annandale than I had imagined, and several tall smokestacks loomed here and there in the thin starlight.

"Brickyards, sir," said Bates, waving his hand at the stacks. "It's a considerable center for that kind of business."

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LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

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"A Wife's Secret," a melodrama of the better class, will be the attraction at the New Plainfield theatre tomorrow afternoon and night. It is acted by a splendidly balanced company and is invested with handsome stage settings.

Maclyn Arbuckle supported by a cast of well known players will be the attraction at the New Plainfield theatre next Monday night. There have been comedy dramas on the American stage, but none have come so near to nature or achieved such instantaneous success as George Ade's comedy-drama, "The County Chairman," which Mr. Arbuckle will present. Mr. Arbuckle in "The County Chairman," it will be remembered, broke all records at Wallack's theatre in New York and the best part of the season before at the Studebaker theatre in Chicago and with equal triumphs in Philadelphia and Boston. While, as may be judged from the title, politics figure in it to some extent, the great interest in "The County Chairman" is in its pretty love story and its faithful reflection of the life in a small village in the Middle West during the early eighties. It is essentially a play of types—and such entertaining types; you will see the county politician, the village postmaster, the flightly milliner, the young lawyer, the gasping old miser, the shiftless, vote-selling darkey, the pretty schoolma'am, the fresh boy, the windmills, the cracker box orator, the village quartette, the two orphans, the rival editors and the oldest inhabitant.

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As had been remarked several times of late, the game was Leal's last chance to get in line for the championship. Both sides realized the burning importance of the contest, and an hour-long fuss over the choice of a referee and umpire preceded the play. Leal's didn't want Loizeaux to officiate because he was a P. H. S. graduate, and P. H. S. just couldn't think of having Leary in a position of power, because he was a Leal's instructor. Both sides were finally smoothed down to a lovelier state of mind, and Loizeaux and Leary officiated. There were no kicks in decisions.

High School held Leal's all the way. The score was 26 to 11 in High School's favor in the first half, and the second half contained no hope for the private school lads. They were simply outplayed, and had to give way to a better team. There was a lot of rooting.

Line-up and score:

LEAL'S.		P. H. S.
Howard	forwards	Caldwell
Averill	forwards	Doane, Line
Bergen, Brown, Lawrence	center	Gavett
Duke	guards	Freeman Morris
Brokaw, Rushmore	guards	Snyder

Goals from field—Caldwell, 10; Doane, 2; Gavett, 4; Freeman, Snyder, 2; Howard, 4; Averill, 2; Duke, Lawrence. Goals from fouls—Doane, 3; Gavett, Howard, 6. Referees—Loizeaux, Leary.

DEATH OF JAMES M'CLINTON.

Former Plainfielder Passes Away at His Home in Brooklyn.

James McClinton, formerly of this city, died at his home in Brooklyn, early Tuesday morning, following a severe illness of a few weeks. He was a machinist by trade and prior to moving to Brooklyn several years ago, where he was employed by R. H. Hoe & Co., of New York, worked for a number of years at the Potter Press Works and the Campbell Company, in this city.

Mr. McClinton was well-known here and the news of his death has been received with deep regret. He leaves besides a wife, seven children, the youngest being one year old. The funeral and interment were held at Calvary Cemetery, Brooklyn, today.

Minister and Lawyer Will Speak.

The Men's Club, of the First Presbyterian church, in arranging for the dinner to be given in the chapel on Tuesday night, has secured as speakers for the occasion, Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss, of the First Baptist church, and S. S. Swackhamer, of the borough.

OBITUARY.

Death of Mrs. E. A. Straut.

Mrs Elizabeth Anne Straut, aged 85 years, widow of George Straut, died on Tuesday at her home in New York. She was the sister of the late Mrs. Daniel J. Marshall, of Park avenue, who was the grandmother of H. W. Marshall, and was very well known here. Her husband was president of the Chicago and Alton Railroad for many years during its early history. The funeral services were held from the Church of the Transfiguration, New York, at 11 o'clock this morning and interment will be at Spring Valley, N. Y.

Boy Dies from Meningitis.

George L. Gunther, Jr., the seven-year-old son of the late George Gunther, of Netherwood, died at Muhlenberg Hospital, yesterday afternoon, from meningitis, caused by inflammation of the ear. The lad was taken ill two weeks ago and was removed to the hospital, where he was under the care of Dr. F. C. Ard. The trouble did not yield to the treatment and the boy grew rapidly worse.

Marines Quell Mutiny.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 7.—Disaffection among members of the crew of the armored cruiser Tennessee culminated yesterday in an alleged mutinous outbreak in which two petty officers and a seamon were wounded, one of the officers dying from his wound. The vessel is now being guarded by marines. Chief Master-at-Arms James Doughlas, who was shot three times, died late last night. Master-at-Arms William McCool received a flesh wound in the arm and a wound in the face, and Harry Burke, a seamon, was shot through the left wrist. Locked up in the brig on the Tennessee are Burke and Seamen Dean and Lunnus in double irons. Burke is charged with firing all the shots and the other sailors are charged with being accomplices. Burke and his companions had been placed in the brig for a minor offence yesterday. While Master-at-Arms Doughlas was shackling the men, it is said, he struck one of them. The prisoners attacked him and McCool went to Doughlas' assistance. During the disturbance not a sailor on the cruiser offered any assistance to the petty officers. The bugle call for assembly was sounded, but was not obeyed. The crew gathered in little groups and the mutiny call was sounded. This brought out a battalion of marines, who took possession of the ship.

Mystery In Woman's Death.

New York, Feb. 7.—While the District Attorney's office was investigating a charge that poison, in the form of mercury in small quantities, had been administered to her, Mrs. Ida Binge, a widow of sixty-three, died in her home, No. 68 East Eightieth street, just before noon yesterday. Upon receipt of the news of the woman's death, Professor Rudolph A. Witthaus and Dr. Otto H. Schultze, a Coroner's physician, went to the house where the widow had lived with her daughter, Mrs. Leopold Wallau, her husband their son, Alexander, twenty-one years old. There an autopsy was made, but as no superficial indications of poisoning were disclosed the physicians took away with them portions of the stomach, which they will submit to chemical analysis. The result of this may not be known for a week or ten days, but Mrs. Binge will be buried tomorrow.

—Officers will be elected by the Y. M. C. A. directors tonight.

PERSONAL.

Miss Ruth Constance Fredricks, formerly of this city, but now of Brookline, Mass., is visiting Mrs. J. E. Martine, of "Cedar Brook Farm."

Physical Director Charles Listman, of the Y. M. C. A., saw Yale defeat Columbia in a closely contested basketball game at Columbia University gymnasium last night.

TOBIN PLEADED GUILTY.

Westfield's Young Desperado Acknowledges Two Charges.

Thomas Tobin, the young man who was arrested on suspicion of attempting to rob the Westfield station of the New Jersey Central, last week, was arraigned in the Union County Court to plead to two indictments found against him at the January term of court in 1904. One charge was that of highway robbery at Westfield and the other charge was for breaking and entering the home of Mrs. Clark at Cranford and stealing money and jewelry. Tobin entered a plea of guilty to the two charges and was remanded for sentence.

Mary Cushman, of Westfield, who was arrested in New York last November accused of larceny at Westfield, pleaded not guilty. The court did not fix any date for the trial.

Largesse of "Big Tim."

New York, Feb. 7.—Timothy D. Sullivan supplemented the Christmas dinner which he gave to the voters along the Bowery and the lower east side by a midwinter distribution yesterday of shoes and stockings. In helping along the deserving poor men who make their homes in the lodging houses and cheap tenements in the back streets there was no attempt to follow the methods of organized charity. The men whom "Big Tim" chose to give away the footwear, although not graduates of a school of philanthropy, knew a por man when he saw him. The latter was made welcome at the headquarters of the Sullivans, No. 207 Bowery, and after receiving a white paper box containing shoes of the right size and stockings to match, he was wished good luck as he passed out with the gift under his arm. During the process of distribution John J. White, who kept the line, managed to put unnoticed a tiny chalk mark on the left shoulder of each voter presented with a pair of shoes. This precaution was taken to prevent repeating, and it aided in the discovery of one man in the 3,600 who attempted to impose on the generosity of the "Big Fellow."

Fat Men to Wear Corsets.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 7.—Corsets for corpulent men, waistcoat buttons costing from $5 to $50 each for those who can afford them, the long, soft, roll effect in lapels, and straight box coats, whether or not they are friendly to one's physicial conformation, are a few of the rules laid down for the well dressed man of 1907 by the Merchant Tailors' National Protective Association of America in its meeting here yesterday. Spring styles, according to leading members, will show narrow shoulders, with a rather square effect, and shorter sack coats. Pads on the shoulders and the long, loose effect of all coats will will have to go. Vents in the coats will disappear and double breasted coats will also be tabooed. Anything that is bright and expensive will be permitted for waistcoats, and the ultra-fashionable will add to them jewelled buttons, without limit as to price. Trousers may be turned up at the bottom or worn "au naturel." They will be in blue, brown and various shades of green, although mixed godds will be permissible. In overcoats the surtout and paletot will be dropped and a form fitting, straight box coat prevail.

Admiral Kautz Dead.

Boston, Mass., Feb. 7.—News of the death of Rear Admiral Albert Kautz, retired, at Florence, Italy, was received yesterday in a private cablegram to Professor Eugene Wambaugh, of the Harvard Law School, his brother-in-law. The Admiral had seen forty years' service in the navy of the United States, and few officers have had a more brilliant record of achievements. He was born in Ohio January 29, 1839, in the same county as General Grant, with whom he was intimate all his life. He graduated from Annapolis in 1854.

The Christian and Missionary Alliance will meet at the W. C. T. U. rooms tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Miss Smith, of Westfield, will be in charge and speak.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

W. G. BESLER WILL HELP.

Offers to Contribute to TenBroeck Memorial Fund.

W. G. Besler, of the borough, who is the vice president and general manager of the New Jersey Central, has interested himself in the erection of a TenBroeck memorial at Asbury Park, it being proposed to erect a memorial pavilion at the beach at Fourth avenue. Mr. TenBroeck, prior to his death was Mayor of Asbury Park.

Mr. Besler has written to R. J. French, chairman of the soliciting committee, stating that in the effort to raise $5,000 for the memorial, he will be willing to be one of any fifty men to subscribe $100 each, or one of any one hundred men each, in order to make up the amount. And in case of his plan not being feasible he will be glad to make a suitable contribution in any event.

GIVE THE EYES DAILY CARE.

"Don't be careless of the eyes during cold weather. Bathe them frequently. Protect them both from wind and dust, particularly the latter, which I believe causes most of the inflamed eyeballs and swollen lids that are now so prevalent," says Dr. George Houston Bell, prominent oculist.

"If the simple preventions that may be employed to guard the eyes against soreness were understood, I feel certain that every one would adopt them, especially women who will stop at nothing to cure inflamation and redness of the eyeballs that is so disfiguring while it lasts.

"To women who are not compelled to go out of doors daily I would suggest that the easiest way for them to avoid any injury from dust would be to stay in the house until whirlwinds of fine dirt do not fill the air. A shopping trip, a call or even theatre engagement had better be postponed unless a carriage can be called to one's door or a car stoped in front of one's home.

"If it is necessary to go out when the air is full of dust—as with so many thousand working women in the city—I want to advise them to take all possible precautions and, for their own comfort, to remember these don'ts:

"Don't keep the eyes open when passing through a cloud of dust. If it is not possible to shut the lids, then turn the back or side of the head so that the particles will not fly directly into the eyes; or, if in a crowd, where there would be danger in closing the eyes, place the hand, a paper or some guard a few inches from the optics to shield them and keep out the dirt.

"Don't rub the eyes after going through a cloud of dust for this action has a tendency to irritate the eyeball by working fine pieces of metal, dirt, etc., into the cornea. If particles in the eyes cause discomfort or pain, close the lid and let the water that constantly bathes the eyeballs have a chance to wash out the foreign matter.

"If after several minutes the substance is not dissolved, have a druggist take ou the dirt with a fine camel's hair brush, or wash out the eye with a saturated solution of boric acid, which is a soothing antiseptic that will help to clear away any redness of the eyeball that usually follows the irritation caused when dirt sticks to the cornea. If boric acid is not to be had, use salt.

"Either the acid or water may be dropped into the eye from a spoon, but the best plan to give the eyeball a thorough washing is to use a regulation eye-glass that fits tightly over the lids and makes possible a complete bath."

DEEDS AND CONTRACTS.

Many of Local Interest Recorded at County Clerk's Office.

The following real estate transfers of interest to Plainfielders have been recorded at Elizabeth:

Robert A. Meeker et ux. to John P. Stevens, southerly side Highland avenue, 225 feet easterly of Hillside avenue, Plainfield, $1.

E. Frank Vail to John P. Stevens, Highland avenue, 205 feet of Hillside avenue, Plainfield, $1.

William Harsel, et ux, to Stanley Brampton, northerly side East Sixth street, 320 feet northeasterly of Berckman street, Plainfield, $1.

Stanley Brampton to Susan M. Harsel, same as above, $1.

Elston M. French to Charles W. McCutchen, northwesterly side road to Westfield, corner Osborn's land, Westfield, $19,500.

Margaret E. Becker to Annie E. Murphy, northerly side Fifth street, 92 feet southwesterly of Goodman's line, Plainfield, $1.

John C. Smith, et ux, to Edward C. Dacey, lot 4, block 11, "Map of E. M. French," Plainfield, $1.

Halsted C. Compton to Thomas A. Haskard, southeasterly side West Front street, corner Houston's land, Plainfield, $1.

Thomas A. Haskard to John S. Haskard, southeasterly side West Front street, 75 feet of Houston's land, Plainfield, $1.

Same to Frances Haskard, southeasterly side West Front street, corner Houston's land, Plainfield, $1.

Catherine Brady to Elias Nadel, Liberty street, 136 feet of Third street, Plainfield, $1.

Benjamin F. Hadley et ux, to Eleanor I. Weeks, Berkeley avenue, 187 feet southwesterly of Leland avenue, Plainfield, $1.

The following contracts have also been filed:

Alfred Spangenberg with George Wiegand, carpenter work new building, 449-451 Fifth street, Plainfield, $1,610.

William H. Abbott with Louis Beck, carpenter work new building, Hillside avenue, Plainfield, $2,710.

JACK DUNN ON TEMPERANCE

Advised Baseball Players to Stay on the Water Wagon.

Jack Dunn, manager of the Baltimore baseball team, who has many friends in this city, is a staunch advocate of total abstinence among ball players. Dunn himself neither drinks liquor nor smokes, and in every way he is considered a model man to guide the affairs of a ball team. In speaking on the habits of ball players recently the Oriole manager declared that he had no use for booze-fighters on any ball team he is running. "Before signing any player," he said, "the first thing I inquire about him is whether he is a boozer or a temperate fellow. If I find out he tampers with John Barleycorn I let him drop, no matter what his playing abilities are. A ball player that drinks too much for his own good is not worth a cent to any club. I have had experience with a lot of them, and know what I'm talking about. A man to hold a job in any of the big leagues now must take care of himself, not only in the playing season, but out of it." In his talk, Dunn emphasized the fact that conditions have changed for the good during the past few years in all of the leagues, and at the present time there is very little intemperance among ball players. Not so long ago, he said, it was not an uncommon sight to see a player come on the field in an intoxicated condition and totally unfit for play, but nowadays such deplorable sights are unknown to fans. Occasionally, he said, a player makes a break, but if given a chance to keep straight he invariably makes good. Over fifty per cent. of the players in the two major leagues today, Dunn declared, are strictly temperate and never use liquor, either in or out of season.

—For the best results try a Press Want ad.

—Don't forget that Robertson's famous moving pictures will be shown at the Y. M. C. A. Monday night. The subjects will be new with an entire change of programme.

No. 2243.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF The City National Bank.

at Plainfield, in the State of New Jersey, at the close of business,

Jan. 26, 1907.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$1,021,518 77
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		46 92
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		150,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		5,180 00
Bonds, securities, etc.		490,537 79
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures		71,202 50
Interest Paid		6,352 20
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		14,799 56
Due from State Banks and Bankers		2,198 49
Due from approved reserve agents		156,236 49
Checks and other cash items		6,683 67
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents		465 76
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz.:		
Specie	$55,017 00	
Legal-tender notes	33,764 00	88,781 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)		7,500 00
Total		$2,021,503 15

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 150,000 00
Surplus fund	50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	176,998 76
National Bank notes outstanding	147,800 00
Accrued Interest	779 84
Due to other National Banks	14,393 84
Due to State Banks and Bankers	1,098 75
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	20,863 29
Dividends unpaid	64 00
Individual deposits subject to check	1,372,965 18
Demand certificates of deposit	12,693 62
Time certificates of deposit	72,385 67
Certified checks	1,132 85
Cashier's checks outstanding	327 25
Total	$2,021,503 15

State of New Jersey, County of Union. ss:

I, William F. Arnold, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

William F. Arnold, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this first day of February, 1907.

fifteenth day of November, 1906.

J. C. Pope, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

Louis K. Hyde,
Jas. T. Closson,
F. de L. Hyde,
Directors.

DIVIDEND NO. 60.

CITY NATIONAL BANK, PLAINFIELD, N. J.

The Board of Directors have this day declared the usual semi-annual dividend of four per cent. on the capital stock of this bank out of the earnings of the past six months, and an extra dividend of one per cent. upon the capital stock of said bank, payable on and after Tuesday, February 5, 1907.

Wm. F. Arnold, Cashier.

Dated, Plainfield, Jan. 30, 1907.

The City National Bank of Plainfield, N. J., since its organization has paid to its stockholders in dividends on their capital stock ..... $ 324,750 00

and now has a surplus of 50,000 00

and undivided profits after paying dividends 158,400 00

with doposits of $1,500,000 00

The above shows that the bank is increasing its business, and is one of the strongest institutions in the State.

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ROTH & CO NEW JERSEY'S LEADING BUTCHERS

FISH SPECIALS for Friday, Feb. 8.

Fancy Weaks	10c per lb
Haddock	10c per lb
Herring	4 lbs for 25c
Smelts	2 lbs for 25c

Halibut, Cod, Blues, Salmon, Porgies, Shad, Fresh Mackerel, Spanish Mackerel, Butterfish, Eels.

Oysters and Clams, Finnan Haddies, Salt Mackerel.

EXTRA SPECIAL:

Strictly Fresh Eggs	30c per doz
Extra Fine Capons	22c per lb

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Partly cloudy and warmer tonight and Saturday.
Maximum 20, minimum, 6.
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"CHIMES" SCORE A HIT

Rendition by the Plainfield Operatic Association Its Best Achievement.

A SPLENDID CAST

Judge Runyon Adds to His Laurels By the Portrayal of "Gaspard, the Miser."

In the presentation of "The Chimes of Normandy," at the Casino, last night, it can be said that the Plainfield Operatic Association excelled all previous efforts in the amateur production of comic operas. The tuneful and catchy opera by Robert Planquette was given in a way that thoroughly pleased and delighted an audience that almost filled the auditorium at the Casino. It was the subscription performance and the liberal patronage accorded augers well for the next opera, "Pinafore," to be given later in the season.

Last night's production was by far the most ambitious work yet attempted by the association and the members measured up to it exceedingly well. Under the careful and painstaking efforts of William Holmes, the director, the chorus of sixty voices was heard to the best advantage, in fact it was much stronger than on previous occasions. Augmenting the uniform excellence of the singing on the part of the chorus, the orchestra of thirteen pieces assisted largely in making the performance a success.

As for the leading characters too much cannot be said in praise of their work. Each one showed great care in training, not only in the singing, but the speaking parts as well. There was a noticeable absence of the real amateur in the acting, the principals showing that they had learned their parts well. William N. Runyon, as "Gaspard," the miser; Miss Hortense Marie Sheldon, as "Serpolette," the good for nothing; Miss Ethel Moore, as "Germaine," the Lost Marchioness; William J. Tallamy, as "Henri," Marquis of Corneville; Elmer D. Cutting, as "Jean Grenicheux," a fisherman, and Joseph C. Martin, as "The Bailli," divided the honors of the evening, while those taking the less important parts left nothing to be desired in presenting a strong cast.

Mr. Runyon scored heavily in the second act where Henri determines to find out the real characters of the ghostly appearances and discovers that it is all the work of the old miser, who has concealed his treasures in the chateu. The discovery drives "Gaspard" crazy, especially when he hears the bells of the chateau ringing for the first time since the flight of the old Marquis. His impersonation of the character was ideal.

The singing of Miss Sheldon throughout was a decided feature, and she acted her part with a grace and ease that called forth spontaneous applause and much praise. In the final act she sang a solo that was delightful and she was obliged to repeat it. The work of Miss Moore, who made her first appearance here in comic opera, was not disappointing. She has a voice that is pleasing and although much of the solo work fell to her lot she sang well in every number. Much credit is also due Mr. Tallamy and Mr. Cutting and their singing was a delightful feature. Joseph C. Martin also won much favor by his clever acting.

In the chorus work the sixty voices were round and full. Perhaps, the most effective part was the "Ding Dong Bell" chorus, in the first and third acts. The climax is reached in the last act when it is discovered that "Serpolette" is not the real "Marchioness," but that to "Germaine" belongs the title.

The chorus and principals were handsomely costumed for the production, and this gave additional pleasure to the performance. The association can well feel proud of its latest achievement and encouraged to even greater things than were accomplished last night. Clifford A. Braider acted as stage manager and he performed his work faultlessly. The cast:

Henri, Marquis of Corneville, William J. Tallamy; Jean Grenicheux, a fisherman, Elmer D. Cutting; Gaspard, a miser, William N. Runyon; The Bailli, Joseph C. Martin; Notary, John V. Todd; Registrar, Warren French; Assessor, John B. Calder; Serpolette, the good for nothing; Miss Hortense M. Sheldon; Germaine, the lost Marchioness, Miss Ethel Moore; village maidens, Gertrude, Miss Nora B. Schenck; Jeanne, Miss Eliza W. Dufford; Nanette, Miss Elizabeth V. Day; Suzanne, Miss Henrietta J. Winn; villagers and attendants of the Marquis.

—White Label whole asparagus and fancy Maine corn are great factors when it comes to a good dinner. They may be had at Neuman Brothers, who are local selling agents for White Label goods.

MEN'S CLUB IN CHARGE OF MONROE SERVICE

ANNIVERSARY PROGRAMME WILL BE CONCLUDED SUNDAY.

The Men's Association was in charge of the tenth anniversary services held at Monroe Avenue M. E. church, last night. John J. Praed, as president of the association, was in charge of the programme. The principal feature of the evening was an address by Prof. Isaac, of the Plainfield Business College. His subject was "Resistance."

The speaker's chief thought was along the line of helps in the development of character by resisting those things which are a hinderance. He urged that all try to cultivate good habits, which he said was as easy as cultivating bad habits. His talk was very helpful and was appreciated by the large audience present. This was called "ladies' night" and there was a large attendance of women.

Following the programme there was a social hour and refreshments were served. Tonight the Epworth League will be in charge, and Charles Sumner Kemble will give linked readings from James Whitcomb Riley. Miss Martin, of the church choir, will render solos and there will be social features. No services will be held tomorrow night, but on Sunday morning Rev. Dr. John Hamilton Howard, of Staten Island, will preach the anniversary sermon, and in the evening N. Mansfield Smith will present the historical sketch, followed with an address by Rev. Frank Fletcher, formerly of Dunellen, but now of this city.

ENLARGING CAMERA CLUB MEMBERSHIP

CLASS IN FENCING A NEW FEATURE OF CLUB LIFE.

Plans to enlarge the membership of the Camera Club have been made by the organization. Popular features of a special nature are bing considered, and it has already been decided to add fencing to the amusements available to the club members.

Under the impulse of the new spirit, the membership has already started to grow. A dozen or more applications are expected within a day or so.

The interest in fencing will be fostered by the organization of a class. Louis A. Clement, who has law offices in the Babcock building handy to the club rooms, has agreed to take charge of the class and start its members on the road to expertness. He is an experienced fencer, and enthusiastic at the sport.

When the class grows more skilful, an instructor from New York will be brought out one or two evenings a week to teach the members some of the finer points of the game.

WATCHUNG HUNT CLUB ASKS FOR STEEPLECHASE DATES.

The Annual Event to Be Held at the Driving Park on Two Days.

The Watchung Hunt Club has made application to the National Steeplechase and Hunt Association for dates for the annual steeplechase events at the Plainfield Driving Park, and the same dates as last year, Decoration Day, and the Saturday following, have been granted the local club. Arrangements are now underway for the local event and it is proposed to make it the best in the history of the club.

Assurances have been received from those who have had entries in previous shows, that they will bring their horses to Plainfield this year, and besides a number of new entries have been promised, which will make it possible for the club to offer strong attractions for both days. Dr. M. O'Malley Knott, who is in charge of many of the details, is now in communication with owners of thoroughbred jumpers and hunters and judging by the responses the entry lists will even exceed that of last year.

Engrossed Resolutions Received.

The Republican City Executive Committee has received a set of handsomely bound engrossed resolutions which were passed at the death of Dr. O. L. Jenkins. The work was done by J. Willard Urmston, of Rahway, and is a splendid specimen of the penman's art. The set will be presented to Mrs. Jenkins at her return from Atlantic City.

Horse Hangs Itself.

Louis A. Hummer, the Somerset street butcher, lost a valuable horse last night. The animal, an extra large one, tried to lay down in the stall, and in doing so wrapped the halter about his neck and strangled to death. Mr. Hummer found the horse dead in the stall this morning.

FRENCHY IS SANS BARN

Police Take the Little Old Frenchman From His Shelter.

BUT PEOPLE WERE BON

Battered Old Waif Was Getting Along Somehow, But Now He Must Go to the City Home.

Frenchy has left Liberty street. Frenchy, whose real name is Jean Grethier, lived in a barn on Liberty street, for more than a year. All the children know him and most of the grown-ups.

Frenchy is sixty-eight years old. As a young man he was as blithe a carpenter as one could find in Saint-Germain, or in the whole department of Seine-et-Oise, which, as Frenchy will tell you, is as far from Paris as New York is from Plainfield. Frenchy left Saint-Germain to make the fortune he had heard was waiting for one who had the courage to go to America. Frenchy found plenty of work, but not the fortune.

He was an old man when he drifted to Plainfied, but managed to shift for himself until about a year ago. He couldn't work any more, but the barn sheltered him, and he managed to get along somehow. The people, he says, were very good—"tres bon peuple, yes."

Patrolman Meyers saw Frenchy hobble into his barn last night, and he began to wonder how the old man would get through the winter. The policeman decided that the Industrial Farm was Frenchy's only insurance against cold and hunger. So he told the old man, gently, to come with him. Frenchy, courteous and meek as ever, obeyed without protest. He knew what the official intervention meant, but he had learned to be resigned to everything, and what could one do?—the poor they have no choice, no. He had gotten along, and no one complained—of a certainty, the people were tres bon—but when a garde de ville steps into a matter argument is foolish.

So Frenchy went, and this morning monsieur le juge de ville made out the papers that will immure the little old man in the city home, where one must do as one is told, and wait patiently for the one end.

As he sat in the police station waiting for his transfer to the Home, Frenchy's thoughts were over the seas. He confessed to a newspaper man that he wished to see Paris and the Parisian crowds once more. It was a foolish wish, surely, and only to be pardoned because one was old and in second childhood. But, eh, the boulevardes were fine—and the Louvre, and the Arc de Triomphe; and the sight of the Hotel des Invalides and of Notre Dame would do one good.

Frenchy sighed softly as he thought of them all; the young man must go to Paris if he could by any possibility make the journey; he could never say he had lived rightly if he did not. Then Frenchy said "Bon jour," and dropped his head on his breast.

Sesame Club Entertained.

The members of the Sesame Club, which has been following a course of study of Northern Italy this winter, including Florence in particular, met at the Plainfield Camera Club rooms, last night, with their husbands, and enjoyed an exhibition of seventy-five beautiful lantern slides, views of Florence and including points of interest in the city. Many beautiful pictures of buildings and copies of fine sculpture and paintings of the old masters were shown. The slides were obtained and shown by J. Hervey Doane, assisted by Walter Freeman, and accompanied by an interesting description of the views by Rev. A. C. Nickerson, who has visited the scenes pictured many times. Mr. Doane, Mr. Freeman and Mr. Nickerson are husbands of club members and their efforts to entertain the club were greatly appreciated.

Business Will Not Be Affected.

It was announced by the Plainfield Cab Company this morning that the suicide of Louis Franken, yesterday, would not affect the business in any way. The company will continue as heretofore, with its regular operating staff, and hopes for a continuance of the patronage that has enabled it to take high rank in the livery work of the city. The service, as always, will be the best that can be furnished.

Will Meet in W. C. T. U. Rooms.

The members of the Rescue Mission who have been meeting in the Christian church on Grove street have completed arrangements for meeting in the W. C. T. U. rooms in the future. The first meeting will be held there Sunday night and Tuesdays and Thursdays regularly in addition. After the change is made it is proposed to call the organization the Plainfield Rescue Mission.

TRINITY TURKEY SUPPER IS A GREAT SUCCESS

HANDSOME DECORATIONS AND EXCELLENT COOKERY MARK ANNUAL AFFAIR.

Charming decorations, excellent cuisine, perfect service and delightful music combined to make the annual turkey supper of the Ladies' Christian Work Society of Trinity church, last night, one of the most successful affairs in the long list of memorable Trinity social events. Between 6 and 9 o'clock, 215 suppers were served, and that many people accounted themselves delighted.

The lecture room, where the supper is being held—it will be continued tonight—is hung profusely with green and white streamers of crepe paper. All the pillars and chandeliers are strung with them, and a fluttering curtain of the streamers hangs between the auditorium and the platform. The tables, last night, were most attractive, with brightly burning candelabra and cut flowers for decorations. Six tables were set on the floor, and two on the platform.

The wants of the guests were met at the various tables by Mrs. Garret VanWinkle, assisted by Mrs. Edgar Sheppard, Miss Margaret Leggett, Miss Helen Smith, Miss Leitheusser; Mrs. A. L. Force, assisted by Mrs. W. R. Kriney, Miss Nettie Robinson, Miss Edith Leek; Mrs. Harry W. Marshall, assisted by Mrs. Mary Disbrough, Miss Jessie Garthwaite, Miss Alice Pugh, Miss Minnie Nischwitz and Mrs. S. Frazee; Mrs. R. Clark, Jr., assisted by Mrs. Winfield Schomp, Miss Kate Gray, and the Misses Bodine; Mrs. Horace J. Martin, Mrs. Butts, Miss Butts, Mrs. Huff, Miss Hazel Martin; Mrs. Templin, assisted by Miss Alice Vroom, Miss Cora Gano, Miss Emily Templin; Mrs. Fred S. Cutter, assisted by Mrs. Charles Beckman, the Misses Kling, Miss Miller; Mrs. Frank Woodruff, assisted by Mrs. Henry Van Name, the Misses Van Zandt, Miss Lunger.

Candy and cake sales were conducted in connection with the supper. The cake table was under the charge of Mrs. Louis Dunavan and Mrs. George Cole. Miss Lillian Force, Miss Mabel Wilson, Miss Cora Laire, Mrs. H. C. VanEmburgh and Miss Edith Dilts were in charge of the candy table. Music was rendered during the evening by Kenneth Stuart's orchestra.

The general committee is made up of Mrs. C. P. Leggett, chairman; Mrs. Anna Gillem and Mrs. Winfield Schomp. Mrs. W. C. Leek, Mrs. George Cole and Mrs. Henry Van Name were in charge of the decorations. To the skilful and hard-working kitchen staff a large share of the credit for the success of the supper is due. Those who assisted in the kitchen are Mrs. Charles Ball, Mrs. Edward Van Winkle, Mrs. W. F. Leitheusser, Mrs. G. Q. Dolliver, Mrs. Anna Gillem, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Henry Pugh, Mrs. William Van Deventer, Mrs. W. A. Woodruff, Mrs. Storrs, Mrs. W. C. Leek, Mrs. Virginia Chickering, Mrs. Winfield Schomp, Mrs. Romaine Van Zandt.

The reception committee was made up of Mrs. Carman Parse, Mrs. John C. Van Dyke, Mrs. M. F. Gano and Mrs. Bradley. Mrs. B. D. Newell was cashier. W. C. Leek had charge of the check-room, and Bertram Leggett, Fred Smith and Cornelius Schenck, Jr., assisted at the door.

Those who failed to enjoy the supper last night will have an opportunity to taste its pleasures tonight, from 6 o'clock to 9. The music will be a feature.

Clark to Defend Schuyler.

Former Congressman Alvah A. Clark, of Somerville, who has had a wide experience in trying criminal cases, has been engaged to assist in the defense of John E. Schuyler, who is confined in the county jail at Flemington on a charge of murdering Manning Riley at Califon recently.

Filmore Church Building Sold.

The old Filmore Avenue Baptist church building, recently converted into flats by Aleck Kane, who had a hard job getting possession of the property after he secured title to it, has been sold by Mr. Kane to W. J. Conroy, of North Plainfield. The price is said to have been $3,000.

Committed to a Home.

Leo Coombs, 14 years old, whose parents are both dead, was committed to a home in New York yesterday, by City Judge Runyon. The boy has been running wild, and his commitment was obtained by Chief of Police Kiely to save him from developing criminal tendencies.

Sues on Note.

D. A. de Lima & Co., of New York, has sued H. Faitoute, of this city, in the District Court, on contract, for $100. The suit is based on a note. F. J. Blatz is the plaintiff's counsel.

Annual Ball Tonight

of Plainfield Aerie, No. 866, F. O. E., at Saengerbund Hall. ***

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

CAUGHT BETWEEN TRAINS

Local Mail Carrier Trapped at North Ave. Station Barely Saves His Life.

SLIGHTLY INJURED

Blue Line Flyer Struck His Right Hand and Damaged His Truck.

Benjamin Urquhart, colored, who carries the mail between the post office and the North Avenue Station, narrowly escaped being killed at the station at 7:30 o'clock, last night. He had a truck loaded with mail and attempted to cross from the eastbound to the westbound tracks. At the time he noticed two trains approaching, eastbound, one a freight and the other a passenger, and he believed that the latter train was the one on which he was to put the mail. Instead it was a Royal Blue Line Flyer.

Being caught between the two trains, he quickly reversed his truck, heading it eastbound and as close to the freight tracks as possible. As the flyer went by at full speed, Urquhart threw his right hand back of him and it struck one of the coaches of the train severely spraining it. The flyer hit the truck, slightly damaging it, but the mail bags and contents were undisturbed.

Urquhart suffered a severe nervous shock, which he did not recover from the rest of the night. However, he remained at his post and carried the mail as usual. This morning he went to the hospital where the Xrays were put on the injured wrist. It was discovered that no bones were broken. His escape from fatal injury or instant death was remarkable.

Urquhart is the sub-contractor for carrying the mail, his brother, Edward Urquhart, holding the contract. The latter carries one of the mail routes to Warrenville and vicinity. He receives $800 a year for carrying the mail between the post offices and the railroad station, and has arrangements with his brother for doing the work.

In explaining the accident to Postmaster Bird, this morning, Urquhart said that his eyesight being poor, he was unable to tell at first that it was a flyer that was approaching instead of the train which carries the mail and he believed that he had plenty of time to cross the tracks. Fortunately, he was standing back of the truck of mail, for if he had been at the other end, it is believed that nothing could have saved him for it was that end that was struck by the flyer.

Freight Blocked Traffic.

The breaking of a truck on an engine drawing an eastbound freight at 6 o'clock, this morning, stalled the train for two hours at Westfield. The freight occupied the main eastbound tracks, and during the time of delay all eastbound passenger trains had to be shifted over to the westbound tracks to pass around the disabled train. The temporary arrangement was one of great inconvenience as the accident happened during the early morning rush hour when the eastbound passenger traffic is very heavy. Finally, the engine was repaired sufficiently to run it to Roselle and another engine was secured to move the freight off the main tracks. There was no damage other than that to the freight engine.

Miss Burt's Narrow Escape.

Miss Ruth A. Burt, niece of Mrs. W. J. R. Hegeman, of Sycamore avenue, with whom she makes her home, was summoned to Palatka, Florida, on Thursday night, on account of the death of her father, James Burt, a prominent citizen of that place, who died on Wednesday of last week. The train on which Miss Burt was going south, was wrecked and the car in which she was riding was the only one of the train not damaged.

Sleigh Ride to Westfield.

Twenty-five pupils from the North Plainfield High School enjoyed a sleighride to Westfield and back last night. The party met at the home of Miss Hazel Walters on Fairview avenue. At Westfield the young people regaled themselves with hot chocolate and refreshments and had a jolly good time.

Spafford Robbins Dead.

Spafford F. Robbins a former well known resident of Somerset county, died a few days ago at the home of his son, William O. Robbins, at Matamaras, Pike county, Pa. He was 68 years old. A widow and four sons and four daughters survive him.

Announce Wedding Date.

Miss Louse Fink Wilbur, daughter of Freeholder and Mrs. S. P. T. Wilbur, of Westervelt avenue, and Blake Broadhead Tatham, of Philadelphia, will be married at the home of the bride's parents, Wednesday night, February 20.

WESTFIELD MAN WEDS MISS CORNELIA SAMPSON

QUIET CEREMONY PERFORMED AT THE BRIDE'S HOME LAST EVENING.

Miss Cornelia Clark Sampson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Sampson, of East Fifth street, and John C. Ketcham, of Westfield, were married at 6 o'clock, last night, at the home of the bride's parents, by Rev. Dr. John I. Steans, pastor of the Presbyterian church, Westfield. The affair was a quiet one, being attended only by the relatives and a few intimate friends from New York, Brooklyn, Jersey City, Westfield and this city.

The parlor, where the ceremony was performed, was simply decorated with palms and potted plants. The bride and groom were unattended. After the ceremony congratulations were offered. Later in the evening the couple left to enjoy an extended wedding trip. As they departed from the house they were showered with rice and confetti. Upon their return they will reside in Westfield.

The bride is well known here, especially in musical circles. She was formerly a member of the choir at the First Baptist church, and since that time has been the soprano soloist at the Presbyterian church, Westfield, of which Mr. Ketcham is an elder and a prominent worker. He holds a responsible position with the American Exchange Bank, New York, and at Westfield is one of the leading citizens.

The bride received a large collection of costly and useful gifts from relatives and friends, including china, silver and goldware, furniture, linen and many other things.

COMING GREAT COUNCIL OF THE IMP'D O. R. M.

JUDGE NEWCORN TO MAKE REPORT FOR LEGISLATION COMMITTEE.

The great council of the Improved Order of Red Men will meet at Trenton, February 28 and March 1. Plainfield councils will be well represented. District Judge William Newcorn, who is a past great sachem of the order, will attend.

All past sachems have a voice and vote in the meeting. There will be a short session on the evening of February 27, but the real business of the council will not be reached until the meeting on the twenty-eighth.

Judge Newcorn is chairman of the special committee on State legislation. His report on the fate of the two measures advocated by the Red Men at the last session of the Legislature has been sent in. The committee succeeded in having the law making it a misdemeanor to wear the insignia of any secret order without right enacted, but Governor Stokes vetoed the other measure supported by the committee, that making it a misdemeanor for an association to use the name or ritual of a secret order.

In speaking to Judge Newcorn on the bill, the Governor said he did not see the necessity for it, because the courts have the power to stop name- and ritual-stealing. Judge Newcorn pointed out that the committee realized that, but it was the belief of the order that the way to check the use of name and ritual should be made shorter than by suing out an injunction in the Court of Chancery, a proceeding that is necessary in every separate case. The Governor, however, held to his position that the bill was unnecessary, and vetoed it.

SOCIETY PEOPLE ATTEND DELIGHTFUL AFTERNOON TEA.

Affair Held at the Home of Mrs. Leander N. Lovell, on Crescent Avenue, Yesterday.

Society people were present in large numbers at a delightful afternoon tea given yesterday by Mrs. Leander N. Lovell, the Misses Lovell and Mrs. Harry Borden Lovell at the home of Mrs. Leander N. Lovell on Crescent avenue. The hours were from 4 to 7 o'clock and the social features were greatly enjoyed by everyone. The home was attractively decorated for the affair, pink being the prevailing color in the dining room and red was used throughout the other rooms.

Those who presided at the table in the dining room were Mrs. J. S. Zelie, the Misses Anthony, Mrs. Israel C. Pierson, Mrs. Harry Borden, Mrs. George S. Ring, Mrs. Edward Gilbert and Mrs. Lucius Gilbert. Others assisting were the Misses Pierson, Moore, Kirby, Gilbert, Yates, of this city; Miss Wilder, of New York, and Miss Eleanor VanTuyl, of Texas.

—Mr. and Mrs. Leslie M. Coobs, of West Third street, are parents of a boy born to them this morning.

BRIGGS TO SPEAK HERE

Newly Elected Senator Will be at the Board of Trade Banquet.

POLITICAL AFTERMATH

Choice of the Treasurer Has By No Means Clarified the Atmosphere In the State.

United States Senator-elect Frank O. Briggs will be one of the speakers at the Board of Trade banquet to be held at the Casino, Tuesday night. His acceptance of the invitation to be present and speak was received this afternoon by Mayor Charles J. Fisk. In view of the recent contest over the Senatorship, in which Mr. Briggs won out, his presence in this city will have special significance, and it will afford many people an opportunity to meet their new representative.

The election of Frank O. Briggs to the United States Senate has by no means clarified the political atmosphere in this State, according to those who profess to be acquainted with the inner workings of the Republican party, and but opens the way for one of the bitterest struggles ever known in this State when Senator Kean's term expires in 1911.

Then, it is said, there will be three contestants for this honor, in the persons of Kean, Dryden and Stokes, each with a following that will leave no stone unturned to land the plum for their respective leader.

According to rumors that were flying thick and fast around Trenton for the past few days, the action of Governor Stokes in putting a quietus on the boom which threatened to land him in the Senate, despite constitutional barriers, he was acting in accordance with an agreement which he entered into with Mr. Dryden. The understanding was, so rumor has it, that Governor Stokes was to have been groomed for the Senatorial race to succeed Kean. Dryden was to have thrown all his influence to accomplish this end, which, together with the Governor's strong following both in South and North Jersey, his election would be a foregone conclusion.

This plan, it is said, met with the hearty approval of the State Republican Committee, and the general plan was to force Kean into retirement willy nilly. Senator Ackerman, who has ever been opposed to the re-election of Mr. Dryden, however, is a staunch supporter of Senator Kean and just what bearing his influence might have had on this plan is problematical.

But in any event the enforced retirement of Mr. Dryden will upset all previous calculations, for it is not believed for a moment that Mr. Dryden intends to remain la quiescent a state and that he will again loom up as a candidate for Senatorial honors is believed by all.

South Jersey is by no means satisfied with Briggs' election, and not since the retirement of Senator Sewell has it had a representation in the Senate. When Senator Kean's term expires it is safe to predict that this section of the State will clamor for recognition and according to the direction political straws are now blowing, Governor Stokes' crowning ambition will yet be achieved and he will be the next Senator.

"Sugaring-Off" Party.

Twenty-five members of the Christion Endeavor Society of the Seventh-Day Baptist church enjoyed a sleighride, last night, in the country, and while on the trip they stopped at the home of Miss Ida Randolph at Mt. Pleasant, where a "sugaring-off" was the feature. This is a new form of aumsement in this section, but throughout New York State it is one of the delights of the winter season. It consists of gathering snow in a receptacle and pouring warm maple syrup over it. The combination makes a pleasant dish which all enjoyed thoroughly. The Endeavorers reached home before midnight.

McIntyre Concert Tonight.

Mrs. Viola Waterhouse, a talented soprano from New York, will be the assisting artist at the McIntyre Chamber Music Concert at the Casino, tonight. Vladimir Dubinsky, 'cellist, and Mr. McIntyre will also have parts in the programme. This will be the last of the present series of concerts.

Y. M. C. A. Officers Re-elected.

All the officers of the Y. M. C. A. board of directors were elected last night, at the annual meeting. J. W. Gavette is president; G. M. Rittenhouse, vice-president; Curtis M. Thorpe, treasurer, and A. B. Beers, secretary. The other business transacted was of routine nature.

Buress Wins Shot-put.

Burgess won the shot-put event in the Y. M. C. A. athletic competition last night. The running long dive will be the event next week.

NOTICE.

THE WHITE STORE WILL CLOSE DAILY AT 5:30 P. M. UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE, SATURDAYS EXCEPTED, WHEN WE CLOSE AT 10 P. M. THIS IS DONE TO BETTER OUR SERVICE AND LESSEN THE HOURS OF LABOR FOR OUR EMPLOYES.

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All Day Specials Friday & Saturday

Extra special values in Ladies' Coats and Suits priced low for Friday and Saturday.

$12.00 Coats for $7.98
$6.00 Coats for $3.98

TAILORED SUITS.

$15.00 Suits $10.00
$20.00 Suits $15.00
$24.00 Suits $17.00

Saturday Special in Basement.

One lot of Hand-painted China, consisting of Chocolate Sets, Berry Sets, Cracker Jars, Tea Sets, etc., etc., on sale Saturday at 3 p. m.; regular value $1.59; while they last, a set ..... .79

Saturday Morning Special.

Men's Outing Flannel Night Shirts in 5 different styles, all colors and sizes, 14 to 18; 50 dozen in the lot, bought from a manufacturer at half price. We place them on bargain tables Saturday morning at 10 a. m., $1.00 values for ..... .49

(See Window.)

Saturday Evening Special.

An immense assortment of fine Black Mercerized Sateen Waists with fine pin tucks and pleated backs. These goods will be on sale Saturday night only from 7 till 10 o'clock in the Cloak Department. They are $1.00 value, for ..... .49

(See Window.)

For Friday and Saturday.

Ladies' Wool Combination Suits, the celebrated Melba make, worth $1.98, suit for .79

Children's Combination Oneita Suits, regular value 98c, for suit ..... .50

Friday and Saturday Specials.

New York Mills Sheets, hemmed ready for use; no starch.

54x90 for 59c
63x90 for 69c
72x90 for 79c
81x90 for 89c
90x90 for 95c

For Friday and Saturday.

Ladies' Heavy Dog Skin Gloves with Paris point back, reg. $1.25 values, for .. $1.00

Ladies' and Children's Golf Gloves, in a variety of colors, special, pair ..... .25

Friday & Saturday

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The tables contain a large variety of good bargains thrown out after inventory; some at ridiculously low prices, consisting of Flannelette, Underwear, Hosiery, Men's Shirts, Braids, Ribbons, Belts, etc., at half the regular price.

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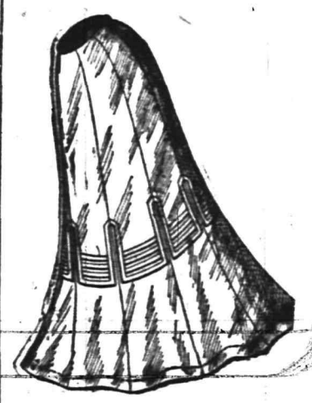

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Tripping to the strains of Suhr's orchestra, the Suburban A. C., of the borough, and its friends last night enjoyed one of the best dances the club has yet held. From 9 o'clock until the hour of 2 a. m. the members and their friends danced the two-step and waltz with only a short intermission at midnight for refreshments. The club's bowling alleys and parlors were open for the use of those who tired of the dance, but they were few, as dancing seemed to be the main attraction for all. Guests were present from Plainfield and other nearby towns.

The commuter element in town and the borough have been getting home at almost any old time a night since the snow storm of Monday. The C. R. R. has had considerable trouble handling cars in the Jersey City yards on account of the switches being blocked.

Joseph Clark, who has been seriously ill for several weeks, has so far recovered that he is able to leave his room now, although it will be several weeks before he is able to take up his duties as Justice of the Peace and Township Recorder again.

Local consumers of ice need have no fear of an ice famine the coming summer as both the large houses at the "Back Pond" have been filled with a fine quality of ice nearly ten inches thick.

Twilight Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., met last night in the Library rooms. Owing to the weather conditions but few of the members were present and only the regular council business was transacted.

The weekly prayer and praise meeting will be held in the parlors of the Baptist church tonight.

The snow storm put the stone crusher in the valley out of business for a few days.

A meeting of the Township Committee will be held tonight in the town rooms.

NORTH BRANCH.

C. G. Harver, supervising principal of the public schools of Branchburg Township, reports the following scholars present every day school was in session during the month of January: North Branch (grammar department)—Rachel Du Mont, Margaret Flynn, Ella Hagaman, Grace Hamilton, Florence McCullough, Mabelle Reger, James Flynn, Ellsworth Higgins, Edith Strangman; Grace Castner, principal. Primary department, Anna Davis, Violet Flynn, Mabel Hagaman, Marietta Higgins, George Merkel, Edith Armstrong, Edmond Barret, Bahler Strangman, Edward Wheller; Mary E. Clarkson, teacher. Cedar Grove—Joseph Banks, Ann Murphy, Lillian Hall, Florence Bacorn, John Hall, Russell Barkman, Clarence Shurts; Pearl Wear, teacher. Harlan—Margaret Wieduttes, Dewey Evans, Hannah Dvorcef, Frederick Burrell; Elizabeth, Meyer, teacher. South Branch—Inez Studdiford, Anna Stryker, Jonathan Higgins, Alvah Gulick, Milton Van Nest, George Lane, Ellsworth Brokaw; Mae Reiss, teacher. Fair View—David Amerman, George Amerman, Raymond Agans, Herbert Schenck, Pauline Oliver, Addie Riker, William Huff, Ethel Herder; Raymond G. Todd, teacher.

The following pupils of the public school at Martinsville were neither tardy nor absent during the month of January: Thomas Campbell, Roy Richardson, Annie Roberts, Minerva Roberts, Alice Nelson, Edith Nelson, Marion Smith and Dorothy Smith.

Mrs. C. W. Bowman, of South Branch, has been spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Wahl, in Philadelphia.

Vincent and Michael Pepe, of New York, have been spending a few days at their country home near this place.

Andrew Thompson, of Lamington, has purchased the Isaac B. Stryker farm at Centreville.

Jacob Higgins, who has been confined to his home by illness, is able to be out again.

There will be an entertainment in the schoolhouse at New Centre tonight.

Wendell Coman has returned from a visit to friends in Brooklyn.

WESTFIELD.

Two coal train tramps were found in the sheds of the old copper works at Garwood yesterday. They were so near death from cold and exposure that it was several hours before they recovered. They gave the names of Jones and Smith, which are believed to be fictitious. Their home they gave at Easton.

The Westfield Park Commission has not yet organized for the year, and the question is being raised as to whether they can organize now without being reappointed, as thirty days have elapsed since their appointment.

An entertainment will be held in the Garwood School tonight for the benefit of the school library. A literary and musical programme has been arranged.

Notices were served yesterday on those people in Westfield who have failed to clear their sidewalks of snow that they are liable to a fine of $5.

Charles T. Johnson, the porter at Elizabeth Station, who was killed Monday, was formerly employed by the trolley company and lived at Westfield.

Westfield Camp, Workmen of the World, will hold a meeting tonight at A. E. Snyder's store to make arrangements for an entertainment.

James B. Wilson, of Westfield, has announced that he will move with his family to Washington, D. C., where he is to engage in business.

RARITAN.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Reformed church held a meeting Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George A. West.

Mrs. Meta Henderson, of Glen Gardner, is a guest of her brother, Milton F. Hunt.

S. P. Crouse has returned from Philadelphia, where he has been visiting his son.

Frank L. Cox, of Princeton, has been visiting relatives on Anderson street.

Howard Stryker has taken a position as assistant bookkeeper at the mill.

DUNELLEN.

The annual meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the New Market First Baptist church was held last week at the home of its president, Mrs. James L. Manning. When the election of officers was reached Mrs. Manning, who had served as president for several years, declined to be considered as a candidate for re-election, on account of recently transferring her membership to a Plainfield church, and Mrs. W. J. Nelson was elected in her place. Other officers elected were: Vice-president, Mrs. Robert L. Pierce; secretary, Mrs. Eliza Dunham; treasurer, Mrs. John M. Dayton; collectors, Mrs. Robert L. Pierce and Mrs. Francis F. Randolph.

Rev. E. V. C. Dutcher conducted the burial service over Mrs. Charles Tilton, of Elizabeth, formerly of the borough, at Hillside cemetery yesterday. Mrs. Tilton's husband and several young children survive her.

The Watchung Water Company's new offices are to be handsomely decorated. R. L. Pierce has his real estate office with them.

The mortgagee's sale of the Gise property, which was scheduled for Wednesday afternoon, has been postponed for one week.

George Schenck is busily cutting ice. The crop is over ten inches thick, and he will be able to fill his ice house easily.

The Embroidery Club was entertained last night by Miss Annie Wilcox at her home in Plainfield.

Miss Lily Haelig, a Normal School student, is doing practice teaching in the borough schools.

The baseball fair will close tomorrow night. The prospects are for a great success.

The bank has issued a statement of the business done the first ten days.

Miss Lillian Fisher has returned from a visit to relatives in Lebanon.

William Giddes entertained the Oriole Glee Club last night.

Another pool match is on for tomorrow at Nelson's hotel.

Lakeside Council met last night.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

Oscar Thorne entertained a sleighing party at his home last evening. The party consisted of North Plainfield people, all relatives and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Thorne. A social time was enjoyed and the party returned to North Plainfield at a late hour.

The Young People's Social Club will give a Valentine social on Valentine's evening for the benefit of the church. A small admission will be attached.

The report of Mrs. Major's going to move to Perth Amboy in the near future, is untrue, as she knows nothing of it. She is in Newark at the present time.

Mrs. Rafferty, of this place, widow of Thomas Rafferty, who died a week ago, is critically ill from shock of her husband's death.

Mrs. T. A. Linabury entertained Mrs. Wilson Day, of Oak Tree, yesterday.

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PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry G. Runkle, of Seventh street, are spending the winter in New York.

Jack Peacock, of Mountain avenue, is home from Princeton for a few days vacation.

Mrs. Joseph Cickery, Sr., of this city, has been spending several days with Somerville relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester B. Harris, of West Front street, are entertaining company from New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hyler, of this city, have returned from a visit with relatives at North Branch.

Miss Margaret Ewart, of Fairview avenue, has been detained at home with an attack of the grip.

H. A. Todd, of East Third street, is stopping at the Hotel Iroquois during the absence of his family from the city.

Franklin Lowe, of Fairview avenue, returned home this week from New Haven, Conn., where he has been visiting relatives.

Richard Waring, of Park avenue, who is spending the winter at home, expects to return to ranch life in Texas next spring.

William Burtis, of Fairview avenue, left Tuesday for Annapolis, Md., where he will enter the prepartory school to the Naval Academy.

W. G. Besler, vice-president and general manager of the New Jersey Central, has been detained at his home in the borough by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Reinhart, of Belvidere avenue, are stopping at Truell Inn, having leased their home to a Newark family.

John Rafferty, formerly of Sandford avenue, who was called home by the death of his brother, Thomas Rafferty, has returned to Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Egel, of Lincoln, who have many relatives in this city, will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary at their home on Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. deLaR. Anderson, of Washington Valley, are stopping in New York for the present with Mrs. Anderson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Olyphant.

PLAN RECEPTION TO SENATOR F. O. BRIGGS.

Republican Leaders to Be Invited to Attend Demonstration In Trenton.

Trenton, Feb. 8.—The election of State Treasurer Frank O. Briggs to the office of United States Senator is giving universal satisfaction throughout New Jersey. Trenton persons are especially well pleased with the action of the Legislature and are planning to show their appreciation of the honor that has been paid to a fellow citizen. A big reception will be held by the Trenton Republican Club in Mr. Briggs' honor in the near future, and Senators Kean and Dryden, all of the New Jersey Congressmen and all the political leaders of the State will be invited to attend.

Mr. Briggs will resign as State Treasurer, to take effect February 28, and the Legislature will elect his successor some time previous to that date. It is generally believed that Daniel Voorhees, county clerk of Morris, will be elected to the vacancy. The election will be for the balance of the term of Mr. Briggs, which expires in 1908. The regular term of the Treasurer is for three years, and the salary is $6,000 per annum.

MARTIN PASSED AT 100.

Second Regiment Officer in Line for Another Advance.

Major William B. Martin, formerly of Company K, has passed his examination for his new post with 100 per cent., but owing to the illness of the official who draws up the papers, has not yet received his commission. Major Martin made a perfect average in military regulations from the school of the soldier to the evolution of the brigade, when examined by a board composed of Colonel Freeman, First Regiment; Lieutenant-Colonel Andrews, Fifth Regiment, and Lieutenant-Colonel Brinkerhoff, Fourth Regiment.

It seems probable that before the ink is dry on Major Martin's new commission he will have practically received another promotion. Should Colonel Collins be elected brigadier-general to succeed General Gilmore, Major Martin will become second senior major, and will command the Second Battalion.

Wanamassa Dinner.

The Wanamassa Boat Club will hold its fourth annual dinner on February 21, at the Hotel Churchill, Broadway and Fourteenth street, New York. The dinner will begin at 8 o'clock. The committee is made up of G. Harold Whitney, Percy L. Phillips and Frederick A. Martin. The Wanamassa Club members number 150.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

One of the strongest bids for popularity made by the modern melodrama, "As Told in the Hills," which will be given at the New Plainfield theatre tonight, is that there is no objectionable features to the performance. It is true that there are villains, two of them in fact, but their fate is a striking example of what their villainy deserves. In contrast with them the other characters are clearly and forcibly drawn in a manner that will leave a lasting impression.

There are lots of commendable features about "A Wife's Secrets," which will be presented at the New Plainfield theatre tomorrow afternoon and night and lovers of good, wholesome melodrama should not miss it.

Maclyn Arbuckle (the original County Chairman) and his brilliant company in George Ade's spectacular comedy, "The County Chairman," will be the attraction at the New Plainfield theatre next Monday night. This announcement should create unusual interest, partly on account of the play's prevailing spirit of jollity and partly also by reason of its wholesome simplicity and fidelity to home life and character. Its types are true to everyday life, its love interest is charming, its drollery is delicious, and its dramatic episodes are intensely stirring. Maclyn Arbuckle in "The County Chairman" returns to Plainfield after a very successful tour through the West and his native State, Texas.

For the most part the average musical comedy is an ill-assorted conglomeration of vaudeville specialties and the latest catchy song hits strung together without semblance of plot, and with a faint attempt towards coherence. "Happy Hooligan's Trip Around the World," the attraction underlined for the attraction at the New Plainfield theatre on February 28, matinee and night, as the benefit to Treasurer Cunningham, differs materially in this respect as the announcements give absolute assurance of the employment of a comprehensive story, fraught with rollicking humor and unfolding a long list of genuine laugh surprises, while the musical numbers are free from interpolations, all of them having been specially composed for the purpose of fitting the dramatic action of the comedy. Not a few of these compositions have preceded the forthcoming visit of "Happy Hooligan's Trip Around the World," and have for some time past been whistled, hummed and played hereabouts with keenest delight and therefore to hear them rendered by a conspicuous aggregation of talented actors is anticipated with no little pleasure.

POINTS FOR THE BUYERS

Any second-hand clothes to sell? Ike Richards, of Somerset street, pays highest prices.

Looking for real estate to purchase or lease? Consult M. F. Gano, of Park avenue. He can accommodate you.

For all kinds of contract work consult Titus H. Laury, of East Front street. His estimates are right and the work the best.

When in need of plumbing work of any kind, jobbing or heating, call on James Harper, of Manning avenue. His work stands the test.

WON'T LET MAYOR QUIT.

Rahway Council Says It Has No Power to Name Furber's Successor.

Rahway, Feb. 8.—The Common Council, at its meeting Tuesday night refused to accept Mayor Furber's resignation, which was presented at the previous meeting and laid over. The council members say that the council has no power to appoint another Mayor in his place. A. J. Westlake, president of the board, is acting Mayor meantime.

Mayor Furber, this morning, said that the resignation is final and must be taken as such. He will start tonight for a far Western trip. He said that even he were here he would refuse to act in an official capacity, sign any papers or assume any duty connected with the Mayorolty. Mr. Furber says his business duties are such as to demand imperatively his whole time. Meantime Mr. Westlake will continue to act as Mayor.

Horsewhips Physician.

New York, Feb. 8.—Entering the private office of Dr. George J. McKelway, at his home, at Jagger and Sanford avenues, Fushing, yesterday afternoon, Mrs. N. J. K. Reilly, of No. 248 Lincoln street, a handsome woman of thirty, struck the physician several blows with a rawhide dog whip. Leaving the office, she went immediately to a police station, and telling of her act asked to be arrested. In the absence of complaint or warrant the police refused to hold her. Beyond admitting that she had struck Dr. McKelway, Mrs. Reilly refused to discuss the whipping. Dr. McKelway referred all questions to his attorney, Harrison S. Moore. Mr. Moore said Mrs. Reilly had struck the physician while laboring under great excitement produced by the belief that medical treatment prescribed for her had been injurious. He said no proceedings had been instituted against Mr. Reilly and was sure she would think better of her attitude upon reflection.

Miss Anna Bader, of South Second street, is detained at home with an attack of the grip.

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7c yard—500 yards of Outing Flannel, extra heavy weigh:: good assortment of patterns; regular value 10c yard.

7c yard—1,000 yards of Apron Ginghams, well selected assortment of patterns; regular value 9c yard.

4c yard—2,500 yards White Crash Toweling, good width and quality; regular value 6c yard.

6c yard—500 yards Crash Toweling, extra heavy weight and good value at 8c yard.

25c yard—Special lot of Dress Goods Remnants, all different lengths; regular price of these goods was 50c yard.

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Men's $1.98 Trousers go for $1.50.
Men's $3.00 Trousers marked at $1.98.
Men's $4.00 Trousers may be had for $2.50.
Men's $5.00 and $6.00 Trousers now $4.00.

Suits and Overcoats are also to go at belittled prices—the odds and ends of the stock; many good things among them to be marked away down.

Men's $12.50 Suits and Overcoats for $8.25.
Men's $20.00 Suits and Overcoats for $13.25.
Men's $27.00 Suits and Overcoats for $17.25.

Watches—Many Kinds

ONE-THIRD TO HALF USUAL PRICES.

We will place on sale tomorrow morning a lot of **Sample Watches**—about **300 of them**, including Watches for Men, Boys and Girls, with open face and hunting cases, in solid **gold, gold-filled, sterling, gunmetal, enameled, fancy antique** and **novelty effects**, fitted with **Waltham, Elgin** and other high-grade and fully guaranteed movements; stem winding and stem setting; some stop watches and calendar watches in the lot—almost every kind of watch you can think of, and because they are what they are—samples—and cannot be included in our regular lines, and because some are slightly marred from being handled and displayed, we are going to sell them at prices in no case less than one-third usual cost, and in many cases at **much less than half.**

Beginning at **$1.98** for a **Gunmetal Case, Open-Face Watch**, worth $4.98, the prices rise to **$29.95** for a **Man's 14-carat Gold Hunting Case Watch** worth $40.

To give you an idea of what good things are in this lot we would mention a woman's sterling silver open-face watch, worth $7, which is now marked **$2.95**, and a man's open-face gold watch, stem winding and stem setting, in thin model, with high-grade movement, warranted for 20 years, worth $16, at **$8.50.**

Truly this is a watch offering that has not been matched in years and probably will not be matched for years to come.

Good Things For Boys

Boys, and particularly their parents, will be interested in the good things here presented at a price so remarkably low. The suits listed below are in those classes that usually sell at from $4.98 to $8.00, and we are going to let you choose from any in the lot at only **$3.98.**

Russian Suits, 2½ to 4-year sizes.
Double-breasted Suits, 6 to 10-year sizes;
Eton Suits, 2½ to 5-year sizes;
Norfolk Suits, 3 to 10-year sizes;
Sailor Suits, 3 to 5-year sizes;
3-piece Suits, 5 to 11-year sizes;
Russian Overcoats, 2½ to 8-year sizes;

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$1.50 to $1.98 Trousers; all sizes, **$1.00.**
$1.25 and $1.50 Trousers; all sizes; **75c.**
50c and 75c Trousers; all sizes, **39c.**

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Prices are cut tremendously in order that we may quickly clear our stocks of odds and ends of trimmed and untrimmed hats and trimmings.

HATS—Plain and Fancy Untrimmed Hats of Felt, Velvet and Novelty Braid; priced at these ridiculous figures:

50c to $1.00 Untrimmed Hats to go for 10c.

$1.00 to $1.50 Untrimmed Hats to go at 25c.

$1.65 to $2.25 Untrimmed Hats to go at 45c.

TRIMMED HATS—Many of the most up-to-date shapes and effects, trimmed with flowers, feathers, wings, ornaments, ribbons, malines, etc., priced like this:

$2.50 to $4.00 Trimmed Hats marked down to 95c.

$4.75 to $7 Trimmed Hats cut to $1.95.

$7.75 to $10.00 Trimmed Hats now priced at $3.95.

Flowers, Feathers, Wings, Fancy Feathers, Breasts, etc., in very large variety, priced as follows:

25c to 39c Flowers and Feathers to go for 5c.

45c to 69c Flowers and Feathers to go for 10c.

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The Phenomenal sale of L. T. Cooper's new preparations proves the many reports of their marvelous curative properties.

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The demand for Cooper's New Discovery and Quick Relief, which have effected such remarkable cures of stomach trouble, rheumatism, deafness and catarrh, has become enormous. Newspapers in every city have commented upon the curative powers and on the unprecedented demand of these remedies. Thousands of letters come every day to Mr. Cooper describing some of the most remarkable recoveries from the ravages of disease that have been brought to the attention of the public in recent years. A most remarkable letter was recently received from Mr. H. Jordan, a well known restaurant proprietor of Scranton, who writes Mr. Cooper as follows:

"I have suffered for the past three years with a severe case of stomach trouble. I could eat next to nothing and suffered untold agonies from indigestion. My food would sour after eating and I would have sick headaches and dizzy spells. I lost forty pounds in weight and grew weak and nervous. I doctored with many different physicians and tried a number of so-called remedies, but received no relief. Reading of the remarkable cures of stomach trouble effected by Cooper's New Medicines, I decided to give them a trial. I secured a bottle of the New Discovery and received almost immediate relief. My appetite has returned and I do not experience any difficulty in digesting anything I eat. All pain and nervousness have disappeared and I am rapidly gaining in strength and weight. I desire to thank you for the good these remarkable remedies have done for me." Signed:
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Miss Georgia Eick, of East Third street, has been detained at home with an attack of rheumatism.

The Misses Anna and Mary Gallagher, of Raritan, have been visiting Mrs. Thomas Stevens, of Watchung avenue.

Mrs. John Manley, of Park avenue, has returned from New York, where she took part in the thirty-first anniversary of the West-Side prayer-meeting.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

Rev. Dr. Stout, of Somerville, who recently accepted the call to the pastorate of the South Bound Brook Reformed church, began his duties this week.

The Boys' Athletic League of the First Baptist church will meet at the church tonight at 7:30 o'clock and it is hoped that there will be a full attendance.

The annual offering for the New Jersey Baptist Education Society and the Abed Ministers' Home Society will be received at the Park Avenue Baptist church Sunday morning.

Among the games to be enjoyed at the picnic to be held in Vincent chapel Friday night, under the auspices of the Epworth League of the First M. E. church, will be golf and croquet. There will be shady places on the lawn and comfortable hammocks and in fact all the joys of an outdoor picnic will be arranged.

SAYS HE TOOK GUN AWAY FROM WHITE.

"Scotty," the Death Valley Miner, Will Be a Witness For Harry Thaw.

Boston, Feb. 8.—A friend of Walter Scott, better known as "Scotty," the Death Valley miner, has received word here that Scott is now on his way to testify at the Thaw case. Scott is said to have been at Madison Square Garden one night about a year ago and, according to his story, was the means of preventing Stanford White from killing Harry Thaw.

It is said he now has the revolver which White intended to use. He claims that White appeared at the Garden and, meeting "Scotty," said he was going to kill Thaw, who was present with his wife. In telling his story "Scotty" said:

"I asked him if he had a gun and he said yes and that he intended to use it, and he half pulled a business looking piece of artillery from his hip pocket. I grabbed it and we had quite a scrap, for I was determined to get it away before anything happened."

Scott further claims he has two witnesses in New York who were present at the time.

REWARD POLITENESS.

In Drawing His Will Livingston Remembered Accommodating Clerk.

Trenton, Feb. 8.—The will of Alfred M. Livingston, the wealthy bachelor, who committed suicide in this city last week, was made public yesterday. It shows an estate worth between $300,000 and $350,000.

The principal bequest is made to Leon Bebbington, of this city, a young man who accompanied Mr. Livingston on several European trips. Mr. Bebbington is given $20,000 in cash, besides a lot of furniture, books, jewelry and other personal property.

Other bequests are: $5,000 to Union Industrial Association of Trenton; $5,000 to Mercer Hospital, Trenton; $2,500 to Rutherford Coleman, Trenton; $2,000 to Lewis C. McClurg, Mr. Livingston's real estate agent; $1,000 to Charles S. Albertson, an accommodating clerk in a local haberdashery, who waited on Mr. Livingston; $500 to Mercer Cemetery trustees, for keeping the dead man's grave in order.

After all debts of the estate are paid, Mr. Livingston directs conversion of all property into cash, to be divided equally among his cousins.

$32,000,000 Gift.

New York, Feb. 8.—John D. Rockefeller yesterday gave $32,000,000 to the General Education Board for general educational purposes throughout the country. This is the largest individual gift ever made for educational purposes. Mr. Rockefeller had previously given $11,000,000 to the Board for the same work and this second gift makes a total of $43,000,000 he has given for the purpose. The original gift was made for establishing a trust fund, which the trustees of the Board were to administer, and the $32,000,000 will be added to that fund. The control of this vast fund is placed in the hands of prominent men who compose the Board on only one condition, that two-thirds of the gift be applied to specific purposes by the direction of John D. Rockefeller or of his son, John D. Rockefeller, Jr., and one-third goes to the permanent endowment fund of the Board.

Hawaii Has a Sea Serpent.

Honolulu, T. H., Feb. 8.—Native fishermen have been driven from their favorite grounds through terror of a sea serpent. The monster is described by them as a serpent, but some of the less terror stricken people think that it is an eel. In any event, the monster is about ten feet in length and is about as big around the body as the neck of an average man. It attacked some natives recently, causing them to drop their spears and lights in terror and flee for the shore. The natives are in the habit of spearing eels at night, but the monster has deprived them of their favorite dish. A reward has been offered for the capture of the big eel. There has been bad weather recently, and it is thought that the eel followed some schools of small fish inside of the reef. Few if any natives can be induced to venture into the water in the neighborhood of where the big serpent or eel was last seen.

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RAILWAY MISHAPS. RAPIDLY GROWING.

Nearly 20,000 Casualties Reported in Three Months Ended on September 30 Last.

Washington, Feb. 8.—Railroad accidents in the United States are rapidly increasing, according to a bulitan issued yesterday by the Interstate Commerce Commission covering the three months ended on September 30, 1906.

The total number of casualties to passengers and employees while on duty was 19,850 in the three months, against 16,937 reported in the preceding three months, making an increase of 2,913. The number of passengers and employees killed in train accidents was 267, against 194, an increase of 73.

The total number of collisions and derailments in the quarter under review was 3,672—1,891 collisions and 1,781 derailments—of which 269 collisions and 201 derailments affected passenger trains. Damages to cars, engines and roadway by these accidents amounted to $2,932,760.

In some few details, the Commissioner says, there are small decreases from the corresponding quarter one year ago, but in general there is no improvement. The number of passengers killed in train accidents—52 in the quarter—is large, though it includes the results of only three particularly notable cases—one collision and two derailments.

The number of employees killed in coupling and uncoupling cars and engines was 81, an increase of 13 over the preceding quarter.

The most disastrous accident reported in the three months was a collision between a passenger train and a freight train, when 17 persons were killed.

CHAIN OF MEN SAVED HIM FROM WATERY GRAVE.

They Pushed Fence Rail Along Cracking Ice, Each Holding Other's Feet.

Henry Senior, of Spruce street, Bloomfield, was in a hurry yesterday to get home from the Oakes Woollen Mills, where he is employed, so he took a short cut across the mill pond, although warned not to do so by fellow-workmen, who told him the ice was no strong.

When Senior reached the channel near the middle of the pond the ice cracked, but still he kept on. A few feet further the ice gave way and he was plunged into ten feet of water. Some of the mill hands, who had been watching him, secured a long fence rail and ran across the ice as near to the spot where Senior was struggling for life as they dared. Frank Bailey lay down on the ice and pushed the rail toward Senior.

Edward Lohr seized Bailey's feet and pushed him along with the rail. Others did a similar act until a chain was formed. The end of the rail got close enough to Senior, who seized it and Bailey gave a signal to the others, who slowly moved backward, pulling Senior to a point of safety, although the ice began to crack beneath the weight of the rescuers.

Senior was unconscious when brought to the shore, and it was with difficulty that his hands were loosened from the rail, as they were frozen fast to it. Senior will recover unless pneumonia follow his icy bath.

Engine Crew Scalded.

Phillipsburg, Feb. 8.—Through the bursting of a flue in a westbound freight train's engine, on the Lehigh Valley Railroad yesterday afternoon, three employes were badly scalded, one so seriously that he died within five minutes after being brought to the Easton, Pa., Hospital. The accident occurred at Woodfern. The injured men were William Messler, aged thirty-two, the brakeman; Samuel Donnelly, the engineer, and Soren Hanson, the firemen, all of Perth Amboy. Messler is the man who died of his injuries. He was scalded all over the body.

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FRANK BANUSIK HANGED IN ESSEX COUNTY JAIL

PAID THE PENALTY FOR THE MURDER OF THOMAS HOFF A YEAR AGO.

Frank Banusik was hanged yesterday in the Essex County Jail at Newark. Before his death Banusik confessed the murder of Thomas Hoff at Bloomfield the night of January 6, 1906.

The hanging was successfully carried out so far as is possible under this discredited method of inflicting the death penalty. James Van Hise, who boasts that he has sent eighty murderers into eternity, was the hangman.

Van Hise adjusted the noose and arranged the drop with a view of breaking the neck of Banusik. His calculations went wrong, for although Banusik was shot fifteen feet into the air and then fell back twelve feet, the shock failed to break his neck, and death resulted from the slower and brutal process of strangulation.

Although the arms and legs of the condemned murderer were securely pinioned by leather thongs he struggled convulsively for nearly a full minute, and more than two minutes elapsed before the last twitch of the body was observed.

Four minutes after the drop fell the body was lowered and the physicians in official attendance examined the body. They found the heart beating and a distinct pulse. The body was permitted to dangle until seven minutes more had passed. Then another examination was made by County Physician McKenzie and his assistants. They pronounced life extinct. As a precaution, the body was kept in suspension for a full half hour.

It was reported that one of the physicians composing the sheriff's jury expressed the opinion that if he were given permission he would be able to resuscitate Banusik even after the body had been hanging thirty minutes. None of the medical men present would admit that he expressed such an opinion when inquiry was made later.

Banusik manifested no sign of weakness either in his cell or during the short route to the scaffold. He was not permitted to speak after he was placed in position with the noose around his neck, and Van Hise sprung the trap while Father Ivarnow was still on his knees praying. The priest motioned to the hangman to wait until he finished his prayer, but when Van Hise's assistant seemed willing to grant the brief extension of time, the chief executioner stepped quickly to the side of the scaffold and released the drop. Officially the execution was conducted under the direction of Under Sheriff Charles M. Mason.

Banusik's crime was the result of his infatuation for the wife of Hoff, with whom he boarded in Bloomfield. One Sunday, Banusik induced Hoff to accompany him to a saloon in Newark and there got his victim drunk. On their way home the two men, Hoff helplessly intoxicated, went on the track of the Greenwood Lake branch of the Erie Railroad. Then Banusik knocked Hoff senseless with a blow from a metal mallet. He placed the body of his victim across the railroad tracks and a freight train passed over it. The death was at first officially declared to be the result of an accident, but Banusik couldn't keep his tongue still. He bragged that he had killed Hoff and his arrest followed.

BENEFIT PERFORMANCE FOR SOMERVILLE CLUB.

Dramatic Entertainment to Assist in Getting Funds for Baseball Nine.

Somerville society turned out in great numbers last night to attend the benefit performance for the West End Athletic Association. Local talent held down the boards and gave a very fine entertainment. The great advance demand for seats augured well for the success of the affair. Two short plays were presented, "Noah's Ark, Jr.," and "The Boston Dip." Those who took the various parts were: Miss Bess Lindquist, Miss Eva Terry, H. W. Reusswig, Clarence E. Case, Judson Galpin, Miss Mary Menner, Robert L. Day, Jr., Miss Anna VanderVeer, Miss Jessamine Burd, Louis Noll, Jr., and Philip Gasell. Between the acts Captain "Jack" Norton, of the West Ends, recited with dramatic effect.

A pleasing feature of the evening was the introduction to the public of the Somerville Mandolin Orchestra. This is a new organization and consists of the following talent: Director and pianist, Miss Amelia Porter; violins, Mrs. H. W. Reusswig and Frank Gunston; first mandolins, Miss Wink, Clark Kellam and W. S. Negus; second mandolins, Miss Martha Whitenack and Arthur V. DeHart; guitar, Miss Whitenack.

The West Ends expect to place a very strong nine in the field the coming season and have succeeded in securing Bogart T. Conklin, who was so popular in the management of the team last year, to again take charge of affairs. Very few players have signed as yet, but there is plenty of promising material in sight.

Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis having recovered from an attack of the grip, will preach at the Seventh-Day Baptist church tomorrow morning.

Saturday Specials

READY-TO-WEAR HATS.

Less than half price to close them out, $1.00, $1.50 and $2.00 Hats for 50c. $3.00, $4.00 and $5.00 Hats for $1.50.

HOSIERY AND UNDERWEAR.

Children's Heavy Ribbed Hose, all sizes...2 for 25c
The famous Burson Hose for women, full seamless, ...2 pairs for 25c
Women's extra quality Black Hose, in colored and lisle at .....25c a pair
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Ribbed Corset Covers, long and short sleeves, at 25c and 50c a garment
Women's Fancy Outing Flannel Skirts at.....29c
Women's Fancy Outing Flannel Night Gowns at..50c
Children's Angora Tam-o-shanter Hats, regular price 50c and 75c, now at.....39c each

MEN'S FURNISHINGS.

Pioneer Suspenders with kid ends, regular price 50c, for 25c
The Patterson union made Overalls and Jackets, at 50c
Black Cashmere Socks, extra good value, 2 prs. for 25c
Oval shape Lunch Boxes, in all sizes, at ....25c each

Men's Derby Ribbed Shirts and Drawers, medium weight, at .....25c a garment
New 1907 styles in Madras Shirts, light and dark effects, plain and pleated, attached and detached cuffs, at 50c
New patterns in Neckwear, including Scotch Plaids, all shapes and equal to regular 50c goods, at 25c
Boys' fine Cassimere Suits in two and three piece styles, worth reg. $5.00 to $7.00, special at $3.98
Boys' Knee Pants in blouse and knickerbocker styles, all sizes 43c

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Small size, regular 59c, sale price.....43c
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10-quart size, regular 25c, sale price.....18c
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Large size, regular 49c, sale price.....39c

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Full size, with iron drop handles, regular $1.48, sale price 98c

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IX tin 14-quart size, regular price 35c, sale price 23c

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No. 1 size, regular 59c, sale price.....53c
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4 and 6 quart sizes in covered long handle Sauce Pans, regular price 98c, sale price.....48c
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Bread Boxes, Japanned and stenciled, regular price 59c, sale price 43c
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Ground and polished, No. 8 size, regular price 35c, sale price 23c

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With side handles, white outside, regular 50c, sale price 38c

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Ladies' $15.00 Suits for.....$7.98

BLANKET SPECIALS.

$2.00 Blankets for.....$1.19
$3.00 Blankets for.....$1.98
$5.00 Blankets for.....$2.98

Big Hosiery Special.

25c Stockings for 10c.

Misses' fine Ribbed Black Cotton Hose, a regular 25c stocking. While we sell them subject to slight imperfections, in most cases the imperfections cannot be detected; a pair Saturday .19

Cloak Department.

All of our $12.00 and $15.00 Coats, now....$7.98
$10.00 Coats, now.....$5.98
Children's $5.00 Coats $2.98
$3.00 Skirts for $1.98
$5.00 Skirts for $2.08

$2.00 Shirt Waist Patterns, 98c.

These patterns are samples put up in individual boxes. The material is finest imported Mercerized Madras, special ..... .98

Children's 75c Angora Tam-o-shanter Caps, pinks and blues ..... .25

DRESS GOODS SPECIALS.

A lot of 50c and 75c all-wool Dress Goods for yard ..... .29

Silk Gloves.

Our first importation of long and short Black Silk Gloves have just arrived and we place on sale tomorrow 500 pairs at prices that will more than doubly repay you to lay in summer supply. They promise to be equally as scarce as last summer and tomorrow's prices are just half what you will pay later, 59c, 98c, $1.25..... $1.48

Girl Burned to Death.

New York, Feb. 8.—Miss Helen Carpenter, twenty years old, of No. 1,290 Nostrand avenue, died last night in the Kings County Hospital from the effects of burns received yesterday morning as she was preparing to go to business. Eefforts to save the young woman's life were made by her mother and younger sister, and before they could smother the flames they wereb urned painfully about the hands and arms. Failing in her efforts to check the flames which quickly enveloped the victim, Mrs. Carpenter, regardless of her own danger, picked her up and carried her to a bathromm near by. Placing the unconscious young woman in the bathtub, the mother finally extinguished the blaze. Miss Carpenter was in her room adjusting her hat when the edge of her skirt came in contact with the flame of a small gas stove. She failed in her attempts to tear off the buring garment, and her body was enveloped in the blaze when the mother and sister answered her cries for help.

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Thursday and Friday Evenings, February 7th and 8th,

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VAN ARSDALE'S Special Clearance Sale

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One lot Misses' and Children's Lace and Button Shoes, 6 to 10½ at 75c; 11 to 2 at 98c; regular 1.00, 1.25 and 1.50.

About 200 pairs Women's Welt Sole, button and lace, were 5.00, 4.50, 4.00 and 3.50, widths A to D, not all sizes in every style, but most all sizes in the lot. Sale price $2.75. Elegant bargains.

Same price—$2.75—on a lot of men's that were 3.50 to 5.00. Now is the time to get the selection.

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Prices—Matinee 25c and 35c.
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Monday, Feb. 11—
Malcum Arbuckle in
George Ade's Quaint Comedy,
THE COUNTY CHAIRMAN.
PRICES—25c, 50c, 75c, $1, $1.50

Lincoln's Birthday, Mat. and Night—Feb. 12—
WILTON LACKAYE In
THE LAW AND THE MAN.
Matinee price, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, $1
Night prices, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1, $1.50

PLAINFIELD EXCHANGE FOR WOMAN'S WORK.
502 Watchung Ave.

The annual meeting of the Plainfield Exchange for Woman's Work will be held in the Parish House of Grace Church, on Tuesday, February 5, at 11 a. m. The Public is cordially invited to attend. 1 29 3 eod

The First National Bank of Plainfield

Capital and Surplus, $250,000.00.

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TESTIMONIAL DINNER FOR A COUNTY LEADER

HIS NAME NOT DIVULGED BUT ALL THE BIG GUNS WILL BE THERE.

A testimonial dinner, to be given in honor of one of Union County's Republican leaders, whose name has not as yet been divulged, will take place at Gebhardt's place, Elizabeth, tonight. The name of the person, for whom the dinner will be given is being withheld by the committee of arrangements because of the fact that the members of the committee want to "spring a surpise upon their honored guest."

That the affair is one of a political nature may be learned by glacing over the list of the invited guests, which includes nearly every politician of any prominence in Union county. Assemblymen Perkins, Moxon and Tillman will attend as will also County Clerk James C. Calvert, Colonel Dennis F. Collins, former Sheriff Coriell, Judge C. Addison Swife, Director of the Board of Freeholders Benjamin King and Surrogate George Parrott.

There will be some good addresses made. Music for the occasion will be by Harry Wetton. The complete list of the invited guests, most of whom have signified their willingness to attend, is:

E. B. Allen, E. K. Adams, Amos Andrews, John Banker, Edward Bauser, J. L. Bauer, W. A. Bembridge, Alex Boyd, Herbert Buxton, J. F. Buckle, Halsey R. Brant, J. F. ahill, James C. Calvert, David Carley, Palmer H. Charlock, George B. Cladek, W. R. Coddington, D. F. Collins, B. Frank Coriell, Henry J. Cox, Oliver Conlen, B. F. Crosby, Abe J. David, Chares Dunham, John Logan Fay, August Gerstung, Alfred Grieb, Thomas Graham, Walter L. Hetfield, Jr., Edward F. Hiller, E. M. Hopkins, William H. Hugg, A. P. Hughes, William H. Hulskapmer, Thomas Jones, Dr. Lloyd Joslyn, Alex Kaufman, Herman Kaufman, Hamilton F. Kean, J. H. Keenan, Benjamin King, Robert J. Kirkland, George H. Kline, Henry Krouse, N. R. Leavitt, Edward E. Mack, Fred F. May, Jr., W. J. McCloud, Jocab Meloth, Dewey A. Merrill, Charles H. Moore, John R. Moxon, Dr. Victor Mravlay, George J. S. Murphy, William Newcorn, Peter J. Olde, George Parrott, Randolph Perkins, Theo. C. Pfarrer, Thomas J. Pierson, John Precheur, John R. Rankin, Jacob Reuter, Henry Schreiber, P. F. Scherf, Henry Schmidt, Robert Senkowsky, Frank H. Smith, George J. Stewart, C. A. Swift, Kimber C. Taylor, Peter Tillman, G. C. Wardell, Henry Waits, James E. Warner, Charles A. Wehrly, B. H. Williams, Sidney N. Williams, James White, Andrew Winfield.

Poison Frightens Woman to Death.

New York, Feb. 8.—Believing she had been fatally poisoned by taking a few drops of a weak solution of carbolic acid by mistake, Mrs. Annie Hennessey, of No. 1,970 Second avenue, died of fright last night. Efforts of a physician to reassure her failed, and she suffered all the symptoms that would have resulted from an actual dose of the drug. When Dr. Schiff arrived from the Harlem Hospital he found that the woman had swallowed only a few drops of the acid and that the solution was so weak that it could have no serious effect. He told her she was in no danger, but she refused to be calmed and lay writing with imagined pain. Antidotes failed to relieve her, and she died in agony.

Beneficent Rarebit Dream.

New York, Feb. 8.—For the rest of his life Policeman Henry Greer, of No. 774 East 163d street, will revere Welsh rarebits, for the dream caused by one last Wednesday night, he thinks, save his life. Some time after eating the rarebit and going to bed he dreamed he was seated in a dentists' chair and the dentist was pulling a refractory tooth. He dreamed that he was taking gas, but that it choked him and did not east the pain. The choking awoke him and he found that gas was pouring from an open jet over the bed.

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MOUNTAIN FOLK OF KENTUCKY PICTURED

LECTURE BY PRESIDENT OF BEREA COLLEGE AT G. H. FROST'S HOME.

How the mountaineers of Kentucky live, and what manner of people they are, was told by one who knows them intimately in a lecture at the home of G. H. Frost, Watchung avenue, last night, by Rev. Dr. William Goodell Frost, president of Berea College. Berea College lies in the heart of the Kentucky mountainers' country, and the institution is dedicated to the advancement of the strange, backward people of that section.

The lecture was an invitation affair. It was arranged at the request of President Frost, who knew that Ralph Dalzell Schoonmaker, of this city, was engaged in work among the mountain whites in North Carolina, and inferred that an audience with more than ordinary interest in such work might be gathered here. President Frost is related to G. H. Frost, and asked him to gather an interested group of people. About sixty attended the lecture.

Dr. Frost spoke with entertaining directness and anecdotal charm. He told of the feuds, the moonshining, and the ways of life in the mountain country. The people were of the sixteenth century, he said, and inheritors of undiluted Americanism. Shut off from railroads, telegraph and the other growths of progress, they retained the primitive habits and thoughts—even the speech—of the earliest settlers. They had very little literature, handing down traditions of their kind and of the activities of past years by word of mouth.

They were not, the lecturer declared emphatically, a degraded people; merely ungraded, undeveloped. They were splendid soil for the seed of uplift, and it was the aim and the effort of Berea College to sow and nurture that seed. The possibilities that lay in the mountaineers was shown by the life of Abraham Lincoln. Lincoln, the lecturere said, came from the Kentucky mountain district, and his was the strain that was to be found in the average mountainer.

A social hour followed the lecture. Mr. Frost showed a number of photographs of the mountain folk. Refreshments were served.

HORSES FALL SIXTY FEET DOWN TO SNOW CUSHION.

$500 Team Not Even Bruised By Their Mad Plunge From Hook Mountain.

Aaron Canfield's team of horses, worth $500, plunged down the sixty-foot precipice on the side of Hook Mountain, near Pine Brook, yesterday. They fell in a tremendous snowdrift which the wind had piled full thirty feet deep at the bottom of the bluff. Canfield dug them out after three hours' hard work. Naturally, the horses were stiff and shivering, but Canfield could not find that they were even bruised. The tremendous fleecy pillow that received them prevented injury to them.

Canfield was hauling logs from a wood lot on the mountain. He had unhitched the horses from his wood sled and was about to hitch them to a log to haul it where he could load it. An ice-laden limb snapped, and, falling from the tree, struck the horses' backs.

Scared, they made a leap that tore the reins from Canfield's grasp. Blindly they ran toward the precipice, 100 feet away, its edge swept bare of snow by the winter's blasts. Over the edge they sprang. Canfield, peering down, expected to see their mangled bodies. Instead, he saw them buried in the great drift, which was soon packed hard under them by their weight and their struggles. Canfield got a shovel, went to a place where he could climb down safely and finally extricated the team.

ALLOW CLAIM FOR INJURIES.

Union and Somerset Freeholders Vote to Give William Taylor $35.

The long drawn out contest between William Taylor, of Bound Brook, and the Union and Somerset county Board of Freeholders, in which he sought to recover for injuries to his horse as the result of falling in a hole on the Washington avenue bridge, has been settled. At a meeting of the Union County Board at Elizabeth, yesterday, it was voted to allow Taylor $17.50, the understanding being that Somerset county is to do the same, making a total of $35 for the injuries to the horse.

The board received a report on jail inspection and it was noted that the jail at Elizabeth was reported to be the cleanest and best kept of any in the State. The rest of the meeting was occupied with routine matters.

Jersey City's Lawyers' Pay Increased.

Jersey City, Feb. 8.—Mayor Mark M. Fagan, of this city, has notified the Board of Finance that he has fixed the salary of Corporation Counsel George L. Record at $6,000 a year, an increase of $1,000, and of Corporation Attorney Robert Carey at $4,000, an increase of $500. The Mayor has the p ower, under the statutes, to fix the salaries of these two members of the city's law department.

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PERSONAL.

Miss Catherine McCarthy, of South Second street, has recovered from an attack of the grip.

Alden E. Moore, of Kensington avenue, is home from Williams College for a week's vacation.

Jack Rogers, of West Fifth street, has recovered from an illness of two weeks with quinsy sore throat.

Miss Wildey, matron at Muhlenberg Hospital, is taking a vacation and Miss Venner, her assistant, is in charge.

Leonard S. Smith, of Duer street, is convalescing from an attack of neuralgia of the muscles of the heart and is unable to go to business.

Rev. Dr. Cornelius Schenck, of West Front street, who has been steadily improving, was able to walk down stairs, unaided, yesterday, and occupy his place at the dinner table.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Frank French and sons, Mrs. H. C. Randolph, Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel E. Hart and Miss Augusta Hart left on Wednesday for Daytona, Florida, where they will remain for the balance of the winter.

Mrs. F. O. Herring, formerly of this city, but now of Saranac Lake, N. Y., where her husband is staying for his health, has been spending several days in town. She says that Mr. Herring is much improved and has gained thirty pounds in weight.

"MASTERS OF FATE."

Subject of Address Given Before Borough High School Pupils.

Principal I. W. Travell, of the city High School, gave an address before the pupils of the borough High School this moning, on "The Masters of Fate."

It dealt for the most part with a review of men and women who had contended against meagre means and poor health in their struggle for success and had won in the end. He mentioned Julius Caesar, Alfred the Great, Prescott, the historian, Helen Keller, Charles Darwin and Abraham Lincoln. Mr. Travell spoke of the fact that it was a coincidence that Darwin and Lincoln were born on the same day.

$5,000 For Husband's Death.

A jury in the Supreme Court, Brooklyn, before Justice Clark Wednesday returned a verdict of $5,000 in favor of Mrs. Allie Anderson in a suit against Edward and Foster Milliken, contractors. Mrs. Anderson's husband, who was employed by the defendants on a building they were erecting at Corlears and South streets, Manhattan, was killed by a fall from a scaffolding. Plaintiff claimed that the scaffolding was improperly protected.

Alexander Gilbert at Big Banquet.

Alexander Gilbert, of West Eighth street, president of the New York Clearing House, was one of the speakers at the annual banquet of the New York Chapter of the American Institute of Bank Clerks, held at the Hotel Astor, last night. There were more than three hundred present. Newton D. Alling, president of the chapter, presided at the banquet.

Funeral of George L. Gunther.

The funeral services of George L. Gunther will be held from St. Stephen's church tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock and will be in charge of the rector, Rev. A. S. Peck. Interment will be in Hillside cemetery.

Annual meeting

The Union Building & Loan Association,

Office, No. 146 Park Avenue,

Monday, February 11,

at 8 p. m,

Election of Officers, Directors and Auditors.

A few shares left of the series opened last month will be offered for sale. 2 8 3

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DIED.

GUNTHER—In this city, February 6, 1907, George L. Gunther, Jr., at Muhlenberg Hospital.

Funeral services will be held from St. Stephen's church, Netherwood, Saturday afternoon, February 9, at 2:30 o'clock. Interment at Hillside cemetery.

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Help Wanted.

WANTED—Man around 50 years old to look after our trade in this county; special inducements; permanent. C. R. Burr & Co., Nurserymen, Hartford, Conn. 2 8 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Call 113 Park place, corner Mercer avenue. 2 8 3

WANTED—A good colored cook; reference required. 721 Watchung avenue.

WANTED—White girl for general housework in family of three; no washing. 329 Franklin place. 2 7 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework; in family of two. Apply 62 Westervelt Ave. 2 7 3

Help Wanted.

WANTED—Young woman, white or colored, to wait on lady. Apply 311 Madison Ave. 2 8 3

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework; no washing or ironing; references required. Mrs. William Taylor, 814 Kensington avenue. 2 8 2

WANTED—Experienced girl for dressmaking; also apprentice. Call after 7 p. m., 234 East Fifth St. 2 8 2

WANTED—FIFTY EXTRA MEN. NATURAL ICE CO. 2 8 2

WANTED—A young colored chambermaid; reference required. 721 Watchung avenue.

WANTED—Young white girl to assist with housework and care of baby; references required. Mrs. Case, 917 Madison Ave. 2 7 3

GIRL wanted for general housework; no washing. 129 Grove, corner Park place. 2 6 tf

FIRST-CLASS patternmaker wanted on machine work. Apply Watson Stillman Co., Aldene, N. J. 2 6 4

WANTED—A nurse. 915 Hillside avenue. 1 26 tf

WANTED — Experienced cook; white; reference required. Apply 1060 Central Ave. 2 4 tf

WANTED—White girl for general housework; no washing. Call afternoons, 955 West Sixth St. 1 24 tf

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. 678 West Seventh street. 2 4 tf

MACHINISTS—First class vise, lathe and boring mill hands wanted at the Watson Stillman Co., Aldene, N. J. 2 4 12

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at once at Mrs. Keller's Intelligence Office, 22 Somerset place. 12 29 tf

GIRL wanted to cook, wash and iron; references required. Apply 526 West Seventh St. 1 29 tf

WANTED—Good cook, white; references. Call 441 West 8th street. 1 4 tf

WANTED — General housework girls. Mrs. Day's Intelligence Office, South Plainfield, N. J. 12 12 tf

For Rent.

THREE-ROOM apartment to let, centrally located; rent $10. E. M. French, 171 North Ave. 2 5 tf

HOUSE, 930 West Third street, to let. Enquire 200 West Second St. 2 7 2

TO LET—Large, new store, No. 407 Watchung avenue. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin building. 9 24 tf

DENTIST office, heat, telephone, light, water, door attendance. 178 East Front street. 1 11 tf

Wanted—Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Loan of $7,000 on fine property; buildings alone cost $14,000. Address Mortgage Loan, care Press. 2 8 2

WANTED—House 8 rooms, all improvements; convenient to North Avenue or Grant Avenue stations; cash price $4,000 to $4,500. Address F. P. K., care Daily Press. 2 4 6

WILL care for good horse for the winter for use of same. Address Good Care, care Press. 10 6 tf

UPRIGHT piano wanted cheap for cash; any condition. Address Box 605, Plainfield. 11 8 tf

Rooms and Board.

COMFORTABLE, well heated rooms, with excellent board; also table board; evening dinners a specialty. For terms call or address Mrs. A. L. Waldorf, 132 and 134 Crescent Ave. 2 8 tf

BEAUTIFUL front room, well heated, with private bath and board. 129 Grove St., corner Park place. 2 8 2

FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping; all conveniences; moderate rent. 445 Orchard place. 2 8 tf

TWO large rooms to rent with board; five minutes' walk to station. Mrs. Barrien, 110 East Fifth St. 2 8 tf

FURNISHED rooms to let. Apply 110 West Second street, near Park avenue. 2 6 3

TO LET—Furnished house, ten rooms and bath; all improvements; central location. E. L. Adams, 104 East Ninth street. 2 4 3

FURNISHED rooms for gentlemen in refined neighborhood. 402 Grant avenue. 12 6 tf

GOOD accommodations; low rates. Boyce's Hotel. 97 Somerset St. tf

Situations Wanted.

SWEDISH girl would like position with small family. Call at 454 West Fourth St., City. 2 8 2

WHITE woman would like position at general housework. Call 213 West Front street. 2 8 2

WAITRESS and nurse girls want positions. Call or address Mrs. Day, South Plainfield, N. J.

WANTED—Position as bookkeeper or cashier by experienced young lady. Address M., care Press. 2 7 3

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Everybody to hear "Joe the Turk" tonight at the Salvation Army Hall. 2 6 3

I WRITE insurance of all kind. Lemuel A. Tunison, Mt. Horeb, P. O., Martinville, N. J. 2 2 12

MRS. BONY — High-class dressmaking; French models; fine work remodeling; moderate prices. 12 Stone St., North Plainfield. 1 24 1m

NEXT—We are next to station and next to bargain; bring in your bargain and be next to buyers. Ira L. LaRue, 152 North Ave. 1 8 tf

GENERAL typewriting and stenographer. Call at 33 Somerset street, N. Plainfield. A. G. Daudt. 2 2 1m

FREE! FREE! Six fine square pianos, for cost of tuning and carting only; great chance for beginners and others. Call at once, Hadley's piano salesrooms, 315 West Front St. 23 tf

DEAD animals removed. Ruckman Brothers, 204 Plainfield avenue, 'phone 415-L. 8 28 6m

P. F. LATOURETTE, auctioneer; sales promptly attended to; satisfaction guaranteed. 326 West Front St. 2 10 tf

BEFORE selling your furniture see Latourette, 326 West Front St. tf

PAINTING and paperhanging, 1907 patterns; estimates furnished. Francis Bartels, Watchung, N. J. 1 14 1m

AUTOMOBILES sold by us guaranteed right; we thoroughly overhaul every machine before selling, and still sell way below market prices; we only buy and sell late model slightly used cars of the kind we know give satisfaction; investigate before buying. Thompson Auto Co., 315 West Front. 1 12 1m

BABIES crochet sacques for sale; all prices; also ladies' knitted sweaters made to order. Mrs. Mayer, 54 Pearl street, North Plainfield. tf

THE highest cash price paid for household goods, furniture, etc. Fred W. Hand, Auctioneer, 136 East Second street. 'Phone 1722. tf

Money to Loan.

MONEY to loan on mortgage; five per cent. Louis A. Clement, lawyer, Babcock building. 2 4 6

TO LOAN on bond and mortgage, $3,000, also $3,500, on satisfactory risks. J. F. MacDonald, 149 North avenue. 1 31 tf

MONEY to loan, five per cent. gilt edge real estate. J. T. Vail. 1 14 tf

MONEY to loan at 5 per cent. on first mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot. tf

TO LOAN—Money on first mortgages at 5 per cent. V. W. Nash, Jr., 221 Park avenue. 6 23 tf

$4,000.00 TO LOAN on first bond and mortgage, on Plainfield property at five per cent. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin Building, East Front street. tf

TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street. tf

Real Estate Agents.

ASK Manning or McIntyre, 163 North avenue, to show you the plans of the two new houses they are building on West Eighth street; each house contains 11 rooms, three baths, with every modern improvement; open sanitary plumbing, tiled bath rooms, steam heat, large open fire-places, hardwood floors and cabinet trim; large porch, lot 100x240; numerous shade trees and nearly opposite the beautiful residence of Mr Robert Rushmore and adjoining the house of Elliot T. Barrows. 1 31 1m

THOSE desiring to own a farm should consult one who has been selling farms for years, and he is yours truly, William Henry Rogers, 136 Park avenue, Plainfield; telephone 44 tf

Chickens and Eggs.

FOR SALE—One Cyphers incubator and three out-door brooders practically new. Address G. G., care Press. 2 2 tf

BLACK ORPINGTON COCKERELS AND PULLETS—A few choice ones for sale; fine shape and color; good enough to show; brothers to first prize winners at the late large shows; write for prices; eggs $5 per setting. Oak Tree Poultry and Game Farm, Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J. 1 21 tf

For Sale.

FOR SALE—Scotch collie pups. Fred Endress. 2 8 3

HORSE for sale. Call or address Lemuel A. Tunison, Mt. Horeb, P. O., Martinville, N. J. 2 2 12

GOOD grocery or business sleigh for sale. Apply 441 West Second St.

TWO-SEATED light sleigh for sale. Apply at 740 Belvidere Ave. 2 5 5

FOR SALE—Boynton double oven range; cheap; first-class condition. 316 West Sixth St. 2 7 2

FOR SALE—Roller top desk; newly new; a bargain. Desk, care Daily Press. 2 6 3

For Sale.

FOR SALE—A fine lot between Park and Watchung avenues, on Second street. M. F. Gano, 221 Park avenue. 2 5 tf

FOR SALE—Party about to move, will sell 30 pair mated homer pigeons to highest bidder. Address R., care Press. 2 4 6

FOR SALE—Fine new 10-room house situate on a high terraced lot, 100x250, in the best section of Netherwood; hard wood floors and trim; 2 tiled bath rooms, 3 fireplaces, steam heat; occupancy April 1; will finish to suit purchaser. Plans can be seen at the office of William H. Abbott, 163 North Ave. 1 29 1m

FARM, 24 acres, for sale, near Somerville, on macadam road; good buildings. McNabb, lawyer, 209 North avenue. 1 28 1m

REAL ESTATE for sale, rent and exchange at bargain figures; insurance in strong companies at lowest rates; money t oloan at five per cent. Thickstun & Emmons, 197 North avenue. 9 28 tf

FOR SALE—House and lot on Webster place, near Watchung avenue; fine location; 8 rooms; all improvements. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

FOR SALE—Horsemen look at this! A matched pair of dapple gray mares, six years old, weight 2,800 pounds, absolutely sound and kind; Illinois bred, but now acclimated. Can be seen at 1026 West Seventh street. Who wants them? A. E. Park, Plainfield, Tel. 843. 2 7 4

LOT FOR SALE on John street, near West Seventh, 50x150; fine location; will sell very reasonable. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE—Houses and lots in all parts of the city; properties that I have picked up in trade that I can sell you for less than market prices; if you want to buy or have anything to sell come and see me. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

FOR SALE—Very desirable new house, Union street, corner Arlington avenue, nine rooms and bath; all improvements. J. T. Vail, 177 North avenue. 12 15 tf

FOR SALE OR FOR RENT—Several houses, stores and offices. J. P. W. Taylor, 102 North Ave. 12 20 tf

FOR SALE—Coal and lumber business, grocery, butcher, livery, trucking, automobile garage; all kinds of business bargains. Ira L. LaRue, next to station, next to bargain. 31 tf

HOUSES and lots for sale cheap. Call or address Lemuel A. Tunison, real estate agent, office Mt. Horeb, P. O., Martinville, N. J. 2 2 12

A CHANCE for a working man to buy a home on West Second street; very little cash required. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

SECOND-HAND cutter for sale. 94 Grandview Ave. 2 8 3

OLD PAPERS for sale; put up in packages of 100 copies for 10c. Apply at this office. tf

FOR SALE—Three eleven-room houses; all improvements; possession April 1st, if sold by February 15th. D. C. Ivins, No. 937 Hillside Ave. 8 tf

FOR SALE—Seasoned cord wood; cut in lengths to suit purchaser; also mill slabing at $6 per cord; orders will be given prompt attention. John V. TenEyck & Son, P. O. Box 57, Metuchen, N. J. 1 8 3m

FOR SALE—Four lots on Westervelt avenue, near Front street; terms to suit. Apply 103 East Fourth St., near Park Ave., Bacon. 6 11 tf

FOR SALE—An elegant lot on East Second street, size 50x200 feet; close to town; just the spot for a good double house. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

FOR SALE—House and lot, on West Fourth street, near Grant avenue; 10 rooms, city water and toilet; rents for two families; a bargain for some one. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

FOR SALE—At one-half cost, 5-horse Westinghouse compound engine (Junior) in good condition; cost $250; our price $125. Call at Daily Press office. tf

Lost and Found.

LOST—Light colored young collie, named Dixie. Reward, 819 College place.

LOST—Lady's pocketbook on Front street. Reward if left at this office. 2 8 2

LOST—Wednesday afternoon, a silver watch and black leather fob with gold G. G. monogram attached. Reward if returned to 313 Franklin place. 2 7 3

LOST—Tuesday evening, one knee warmer, knitted of Camel's Hair. Reward if returned to this office. 2 6 3

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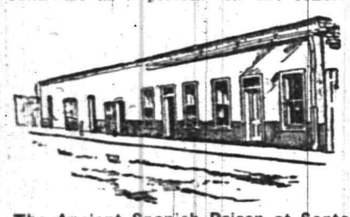
OLDEST PRISON TO GO

SITUATED AT SANTA FE, N. M., AND WILL BE TORN DOWN.

Its History Is Lost in the Dim Past —Walls of Sun-Dried Brick Four Feet Thick—The Adobe Roof.

Kansas City, Mo.—The old Spanish prison in Santa Fe, N. M., one of the most ancient and historic buildings in the City of the Holy Faith, with the exception of San Miguel church, is to be razed and in its place will be erected a modern jail building of vitrified brick, steel cages and steam heat. The county commissioners have let the contract for tearing down and disposing of the old prison, and work has already begun upon the new structure. The half dozen prisoners now in the jail will be guarded elsewhere until the new structure is completed.

It is impossible to secure data on the old prison. It has stood as long as the oldest inhabitant can remember and looked nearly 200 years ago as it does to-day. The building has been remodeled a dozen times, but the cells and massive doors have never been changed. The old prison is of adobe entirely. Its walls are of sun-dried brick four feet in thickness. The roof, which is of adobe, laid over massive pine logs roughly hewn into shape with an ax, is also several feet thick. The cells are dirty, dark and unfurnished except for piles of straw covered with old blankets, or rickety cots upon which prisoners are expected to sleep. Earth, hardened and worn by the tread of many feet, is the only floor. In the walls of the cells are still fastened the great, hand-wrought chains and cuffs with which prisoners at one time were made fast. The cell doors are of iron beaten and welded into bars by hand. They have resisted mob violence in times gone by. The old prison was originally constructed about a placita or little yard, the buildings forming three sides and a high adobe wall the fourth. In recent years, however, the buildings on one side of the placita crumbled into ruins and the remainder on the opposite side were used as stables for the sheriff's horses, leaving only the main cellhouse as a prison. In the center



The Ancient Spanish Prison at Santa Fe, N. M.

of the placita back of the prison was an old scaffold, which rattled and swayed in the wind. Upon it many an early day "bad man" paid for his crimes with his life. The method of execution was rough. After the knot was placed about the neck, the executioner kicked a prop from beneath the trap on which the prisoner stood.

The books of the prison have been lost, only a few in recent years having been preserved. They are written principally in Spanish and give little information.

The agitation for a new prison began about six months ago when a portion of the roof over one cell fell in. The following night a prisoner made his escape, leaving a note in which he said that he did not want to run away, believing that he would be acquitted when brought to trial, but that he deemed it foolhardy to remain longer in such a death trap. The publication of the letter called the attention of the people to the old prison. They had long forgotten it, considering it only one of the many relics of other days.

LABOR CHEAP IN BELGIUM.

Thirteen Hours of Hard Work Poorly Recompensed.

The hours of labor in Belgium are very long, says Daily Consular and Trade Reports. The laborer begins work at six a. m., and ceases work at seven p. m., with the usual breaks for meals. He is paid on the average of seven cents to nine cents an hour for ten hours, and 25 per cent. more for two additional hours, making his daily wage 84 cents to $1.08 for 12 hours. Children begin their life work as early as 12 years of age, though the law compassionately states that no child under 16 years of age shall be kept at work for more than 12 hours a day. A Belgian statistician estimates the average earnings of an artisan, child labor being included in his calculation, at about $160 a year. Numerous factories have been established there by British firms owing to the very low rate at which labor can be secured.

Japan's Cotton Manufactures.

Japan is making notable progress in the manufacture of cotton goods. New factories are being projected and established mills enlarged. It is predicted that between 50,000 and 100,000 new spindles will be installed during 1907. It appears that there is a prejudice among Japanese mill managers against American textile machinery and that nearly all such machinery is purchased in England. Japan will, in the not remote future, undoubtedly have a very large share of the Asiatic market for cotton goods.

FORTUNES IN SABLE SKINS.

With Skins at $450 Each, Prices Soar Into Thousands.

The two most expensive Sable coats in the world are worn by the empress of Russia and Queen Maud of Norway.

The empress' coat is made from pure sables, the best which could be obtained in Europe, and is valued by an expert in furs at something between $250,000 and $400,000, while that which Queen Maud wears would be worth nearly half as much.

The manager of a London firm said that within the last two years the price of sable had increased by 75 per cent., and was still going up.

"The price is practically prohibitive," he said, "and we have to find a substitute in top Russian sable, smart sets of which cost as much as $1,000. If the same were made in real sable the price would be about $7,500 or more.

"There is as much gambling in sables as there is on the stock exchange. The furriers have all sold out, and the demand is still great. People are now beginning to pass sables down as heirlooms—and valuable they are, too, at $450 a skin."

WAS WILLING TO PAY.

Judge Lawrence Evidently Appreciated His Own Importance.

During his early days as a public speaker, and while he was yet judge of a district court, Congressman George P. Lawrence was invited to make one of his first public addresses before a large body—the board of trade and invited guests. The event was one which brought together all of the principal business and professional men of the section, and plates were $2 each.

On the night of the banquet the judge appeared at the door, and the ticket seller, not noticing who it was that tendered a $2 bill for a ticket, handed Mr. Lawrence one, and pocketed the money. Then he recognized him and said, with an apology, that it was not necessary for him to pay to enter.

The judge threw out his chest and remarked with dignity:

"I will have you understand sir, that I am willing to pay $2 any time to hear Judge Lawrence speak."

And he didn't take back his money.

Sermons by Time.

"I have attended church in a good many different places,' said the southern man, "but I had to come to New York to see a man preach holding his watch in his hand. Down in our part of the country the pulpit orator is usually long-winded. He has a certain subject in mind and has certain things to say concerning it, and he holds forth until he has said them all if it takes till bedtime to do it.

"Up here the time that can be devoted to the delivery of a sermon appears to be limited. In order not to overstep the bounds several clergymen that I have heard talked literally by the watch. They did not lay it down or stick it into a convenient pocket to be consulted occasionally, but held it out face up as a constant reminder that time was fleeting and that other pressing engagements awaited them. That may be an excellent preventive of weariness in the congregation, but I must say it makes me uncomfortable to have spiritual advice measured by the minute and second."—N. Y. Press.

Not the Kind He Wanted.

Professed politicians who have reduced public office to an exact science find the independent voter a sad stumbling block—a fact which is amusingly disclosed by a story found in the recent life of the late George Monro Grant, the eminent Canadian educator and and clergyman, says the Youth's Companion.

Toward the end of Sir John Macdonald's life he and Principal Grant, then the head of Queen's college, met at dinner at the house of the premier's brother-in-law, Prof. Williamson.

"How I wish," the premier said to the principal, "that you would be a steady friend of mine."

"My dear Sir John," the principal replied, "I have always supported you when you were right."

The premier's eyes twinkled, and he laid his hand upon the shoulder of the principal.

"My dear man," said he, "I have no use for that species of friendship!"

Priest Too Studious.

When Rev. Fr. Coyle assumed charge of St. Mary's church in Boston a gentleman of the city, who had an employe, a very devout Catholic, inquired of him how he liked his new pastor.

"Why, sir, I like him pretty well."

"Pretty well! Why, what fault have you to find with him?"

"To tell the truth, sir, I should have preferred a man who had finished his education; for several times when I have waited upon him I have been told that he was at his studies."

Not Enough.

A case was to be tried on the charge of selling impure whisky. The night before the case came off the defendant went round to the judge's house.

To the man at the door he said: "Here's a bottle of whisky, I want your master to try."

"My master never tries anything but a case," pompously replied the butler. —Lippincott's.

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A WORD ABOUT VEILS.

Time was when veils were worn for their comfort during the blustery season when King Frost is no respecter of persons, and chisels little furrows into the softest and daintiest complexions, but the veil we see is just a little cloud of beauty, and really serves no purpose other than to give atouch of daintiness to one's appearance. In Paris they are wearing the loudest veils, large blue affairs, yards and yards of pink cobwebs, all fastened with monstrous gold and bejeweled pins. True, they are ruined by the elements, and they are just as expensive as they dare be, but just the same they are too beautiful to cast aside, and women are wearing them with heavy plumaged hats, furs and other winter trappings. Just at present the colored veils (but by no means expensive ones) are being worn by the fashion followers on this side, and it is often one sees a purple veil worn with a blue hat, a blue with a black hat, and some dainty little affairs with large picture hats. The soft crepe scarf comes in line with the veils, and is really the most serviceable one to be seen. It covers the ears, gracefully entwines around the neck, and ties in a neat bow beneath the chin. Some women wear them gracefully; others have yet to learn how they should be artistically arranged to give the best effect.

FOR BROKEN-DOWN HORSES.

Red Acre Farm a Home Founded by a Young Woman.

One of the most notable of the semi-private humane establishments for the rescue of broken-down horses is known as Red Acre Farm, a charitable home for horses opened on May 8, 1903, at Stow, Mass., says Home Magazine. The farm is situated 23 miles from Boston, and consists of 87 acres of land, divided up into pasture land and paddocks, with a portion of it devoted to stables, office and hospital. Red Acre Farm was founded by a young woman, Miss H. C. Bird, who gave up to the use of the horse the home and grounds which she inherited from her father, and who devotes all her time and strength to succoring the horse. She daily oversees the conditions at the home and has the advice and support of well known humanitarians.

The farm is kept up by contributions and the board of pensioners or horses put out to pasture during the summer by owners who want good care taken of them while out of town. Members of Red Acre Farm also pay a small annual fee of $5, and philanthropists can endow a stall in the stables of Red Acre Farm for $100, which the donor can keep filled by horses of his own choosing all the time. None of the active officers accept salaries, and all money coming into the farm is expended for the object of its inception.

ONE POINT HE MISSED.

Lawyer Willing to Admit Error Pointed Out By Judge.

The following amusing incident occurred at the Suffolk probate court at Boston, over which the venerable Judge McKim still presides.

The judge enjoys the reputation of being most careful, precise and exacting, and it is doubtful if ever an error, clerical, or otherwise, escapes his watchful eye.

In a recent matter brought to his attention, the judge perceived that in signing an informal and unimportant paper, the attorney had failed to dot an "i" in signing his name, and addressed him as follows:

"I see, Mr. Wright, that you have not dotted the 'i' in your name, and consequently you have not signed your name right," and the judge genially smiled.

"Your honor," replied the attorney, he, too, smiling, "this is evidently a point which escaped me."

Her Literary Likes.

They had just met; conversation was somewhat fitful. Finally he decided to guide it into literary channels, where he was more at home, and, turning to his companion, asked, "Are you fond of literature?"

"Passionately," she replied. "I love books dearly."

"Then you must admire Sir Walter Scott," he exclaimed with sudden animation. "Is not his 'Lady of the Lake' exquisite in its flowing grace and poetic imagery? Is it not—" "It is perfectly lovely," she assented, clasping her hands in ecstacy. "I suppose I have read it a dozen times."

"And Scott's 'Marmion,'" he continued, "with its rugged simplicity and Scottish characters and his graphic, forceful pictures of feudal times and customs?" "I just dote on them," she replied.

"And Scott's Emulsion," he continued, a faint suspicion beginning to dawn upon him.

"I think," she interrupted rashly, "that it is the best thing he ever wrote."—Montreal Herald.

The Paper Dollar Habit.

The paper dollar habit is making way slowly in the west. For years there were hardly any $1 bills in circulation west of the Mississippi. It was all silver dollars out here, and the paper dollars were circulated "back east." Now the paper dollars are taking the place of the silver dollars out here. And the people like the change.

"Can't you give me paper?" is a question the cashier of a cafe says he hears many times a day. "And I can," he continued, "because so many persons offer paper money in paying their bills. Why, I take in enough during the week to paper a flat. I carry an armful to the bank every day. Persons like paper money because it is easy to carry and doesn't wear holes through pockets."

The Heart Was Secure.

Not long ago a fond and rather romantically inclined father was approached by a young man, whose intention was to ask the parent's consent to the marriage of himself and the other's daughter.

After considerable stammering and confusion, the older man grasped the other's meaning and beamed benevolently upon him. He rose and placed one hand upon the youth's shoulder in a kindly way.

"So, so. Yes, after all, I guess my little girl is grown up, and must have a mate," he said. "Tell me frankly, young man, is it her heart or her money that you are after?"

The young fellow blushed painfully, but with a thrill of pride, threw out his chest and answered, "I already have her heart in my keeping, sir!"

Attention, Geniuses.

The world never forgives a genius for dressing normally and acting reasonably.

Last of Stage Coach Travel.

The last year of stage coach traveling at its height was 1840.

FOR THE GENTLER SEX

THE DAINTY GIRL AND HER SURROUNDINGS.

So delicate and elusive a quality as daintiness cannot be taught with the alphabet and rule of three, yet it should be lived. It is claimed that daintiness is a woman's most dangerous attraction, and that the dainty maiden with ordinary looks wins hearts where careless beauty fails. Why, then, does not girlhood oftener cultivate this altogether desirable charm, instead of sighing over a Roman nose that should be Grecian?

Look around you as you ride in the street cars; is not girl in fifty dainty? Not one in a hundred; not one in fifty is perfectly neat, and but a small number are even clean and wholesome looking. To be clean is not to be dainty; buttons off, placket gaping, skirt and waist divorced—even absolute cleanliness does not atone for these.

Neatness is not daintiness. Then is daintiness equivalent to taste? Hardly; daintiness is none of these, and yet embraces them all—taste—neatness—and cleanliness.

The girl who would be dainty perhaps had better take a peep into her room. Are your shoes peeping from under a carelessly made bed? Are the curtains white and fresh-looking? Is your dresser scarf soiled and littered? Are the drawers partly open, revealing confusion within, and are there any little threads of hair attached to the carpet or floor covering? Perhaps not the whole list, but a few or one.

Don't scurry everything to rights in a sudden resolution. Leave things just as you find them. It will not last—wholesale resolutions never do.

Leave the room alone, then, as a room, but turn your attention to the top of your dresser. Remove the cloth if it be soiled ever so little. If you haven't a dainty one—make it. Make two or three, and watch them as a miser watches over his gold. If a tiny smut appears, send them to the washtub. But leave everything else alone—strictly alone.

You have heard the story of the washerwoman who was given the pot of hyachinth? She set it in the window and immediately noticed that the glass was dirty. She washed the glass and sill looked doubly grimly; the sill washed, the floor was offensive; and so on until the sloven window became a model of neatness.

WINTER PLANTS AND THEIR CARE.

Be sure that plants in hanging pots and baskets get all the water they need. Because they are near the ceiling, where the temperature is much higher than at the window sill, they will dry out much more rapidly than ordinary plants. They are also exposed on all sides, and this accelerates evaporation. I have a method of keeping these plants well watered which works well. I take a small can or cup and punch holes in the bottom of it. Make these small at first, until you know just how much water is needed. Fill these vessels and place them on the surface of the soil. Vines can be so trained as to hide them. Observe the effect carefully. If not enough water passes through to keep the soil moist, you will know that larger holes are necessary. This matter can be regulated to a nicety, with a little experimenting. Fill the cup each morning. A treatment of this kind will enable any one to grow fine hanging plants.

Do not overwater plants at this season of the year. Give just enough to keep the soil moist throughout. Let the surface take on a dry look before more water is applied. Evaparation takes place slowly, and few plants are growing actively enough to make use of a great deal of water. An oversupply has a tendency to sour the soil, thus bringing about a diseased condition of the roots.

And be very careful about the use of fertilizers. If a plant is not growing, it needs no fertilizer, because it is not in a condition to make use of it. Make this a rule and never vary from it: Fertilize only plants which are already in or have begun active growth. To feed a dormant plant strong, rich food is to injure it just as surely as food of that sort will injure a stomach whose digestive organs are not in proper shape to assimilate it.

If a plant has begun to grow, a weak application is in order. Let it increase in strength as the plant develops. Never use enough to force a rapid growth, for that means weakness from which there is almost sure to be a reaction sooner or later.

Do not let the plants in the window-garden become one-sided by being drawn toward the light. Turn them about, at least once a week, that all sides of them may have an equal chance at the sunshine. It is a good plan to arrange the smaller ones at the sides and rear. This enables all of them to get the benefit of the light, as they would not if the larger ones were given places near the glass, with the smaller ones tucked into the shady places between.—Exchange.

TO TRIM THE NEW BLOUSE.

When white blouses are worn with colored skirts, bretelles like the skirt continue in high vogue. With a girlish plaid wool skirt, the bretelles are of the plaid with quite deep and full sleeve caps of the wool falling over the tops of the arms. Two tailory straps ended with buttons connect the bretelles across the front of the waist. The girdle is shaped and has buttons at the front. Plaid ribbons make up similar arrangements.

A black bretelle girdle has three straps of two-and-a-half-inch ribbon, the first two nearest the front being connected at intervals of two inches by narrow velvet straps and tapering in together at the waist line. The third strap comes over the armhole and stops there. There is joined by the same little straps to the band next to it. The girdle closes at the front with a cut steele buckle and ends in short tabs made up of double loops of unequal lengths.

IN CASE OF CROUP.

When a doctor cannot be secured promptly in an emergency it is necessary to have a good remedy always on hand when children are inclined to be croupy.

A mother who will provide herself with half a pint of raw linseed oil can fight the worst case of croup she may meet with.

It is said to be an unfailing remedy, and for quick results it beats anything else which can be given for that dread disease.

Half a teaspoonful is a dose, unless the child is choking very badly; then give a teaspoonful.

It acts two ways. In the first stage of croup, where there is not much mucus, it is loosened and carried off the bowels.

In the second stage is causes vomiting; but, unlike ipecac, it leaves no soreness of the throat as an after difficulty.

It is rarely necessary to give more than one dose, when the child will get relief and go to sleep again.

This simple remedy is one that is within the reach of every mother and one that can be kept on hand at all times, and while it is in the house the dread membranous croup need cause no terrors.

TWO SOUTHERN DISHES.

Creole Sweet Potatoes.

Boil three or four medium-sized sweet potatoes, pare and cut in pieces the size of a nutmeg. Put into a frying pan one-half cup brown sugar and one-quarter cup butter. Cook the potatoes in this mixture on the back of the stove till the whole is soft. Cook very slowly, shaking the spider occasionally to keep from burning. These potatoes are rich, but delicious, especially with game or poultry.

A Toad in a Hole.

Six ounces of flour, one pinnt of milk, three eggs, butter, a few slices of cold mutton, pepper and salt and one-half pound of kidney. Make a smooth batter of flour, milk and eggs in the above proportion. Butter a baking dish and pour in the batter. Into this place a few slices of cold mutton previously well seasoned and the kidney cut into very small pieces. Bake about an hour or rather longer and send it to the table in the dish it was baked in.

TO HOLD LUCK CHARMS.

Among other charming novelties which have found they way to the city as a result of the Christmas selling are little Oriental bags made of red brocade and fastened by ivory bars that are drawn together with silk cords. No, these trifles, light as they are—which incidentally are fit for a Chinese mandarin to give away as souvenirs—are not destined for wicked gamblers at bridge, nor can they be used for innocent candies—they serve the graceful purpose of holding a charm for a lucky new year. It may be a little black pig made of bog oak from Ireland, with jeweled eyes which keep one from going "broke," or it may be a tiny white ivory elephant, a lucky coin or whatever one happens to choose as a mascot.

17,000 DEATHS YEARLY.

"In New York city occur ten violent deaths a day, as a direct result of daily activities," is the statement of Arthur B. Reeve in his article on "Our Industrial Juggernaut" in the February Everybody's. In Chicago the number falls to six a day, according to Dr. Thomas Grant Allen. But the storm-centre of the country is Allegheny County, Pa., in which the city of Pittsburg is situated, combining steel, iron, and coal industries, mills, mines, railroads, and building operations. Over 17,000 deaths and injuries a year in all industries is the record for this single county.

"Conditions are such that the life of a foreigner employed in the mills is given less consideration than is the life of a horse or mule," says the coroner of Allegheny county. "During my first month in office I was astounded to find that within the thirty days twelve men were killed in one plant alone of the United States Steel Corporation." "If even the present laws were enforced," the Hungarian Consul has protested, "conditions would not be so bad."

Mayor Charles J. Fisk, who has been kept at his home during the past week with a severe attack of the grip, is much improved and hopes to be about the house soon.

Mrs. David H. Rowland, of West Seventh street, will give a reception tomorrow afternoon from 4 to 7 o'clock for her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Rufus Story Rowland. The reception will be followed in the evening by a dinner and dance for the young people.

SCHEUER'S SPECIALS

FOR THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

Havemeyer & Elder's Crystal Domino Sugar, 5-lb box 37c	Fairbank's Gold Dust, 4-lb package 18c	Scheuer's Unfermented Grape Juice, quart bottle 37c	Harris' Ammonia, Double Strength, 25c kind, a bottle 19c
Egg-O-See, 10c kind, a package 8c	H. O. Presto, Quick as a Wink, 10c kind, a package 8c	Fresh Ground Horseradish, 10c size, a bottle 8c	Marshall's Potato Chips, 10c size, a package 8c
Snow Ball Pop Corn, one package makes ten quarts, a box 10c	Pieries' Macaroon Powder for making Almond Macaroons, 10c kind, box 5c	Boston Baked Beans, 10c kind, a can 7c	Pineapple Chunks, 15c size, a can 12c
Salt Mackerel, White and Fat, per fish 6c	Salt Herring, a lb 5c	Shredded Codfish, 5c kind, a package 3c	Smoked Bloaters, per fish, 3c, a dozen 30c

N. O. Molasses, finest quality, best Plantation, open kettle, gallon, 58c; a quart....15c
Syrup, Golden Drips, pure sugar syrup, a gal. 45c; a qt....13c
Flour, Hecker's Hygenic, whole wheat flour, 12 lb bag....39c
Buckwheat, new Sussex County, 25 lb bag, 76c; 12 lb bag, 39c
Graham Flour, fresh ground, 6-lb bag....17c
Rye Flour, fresh ground, 5-lb bag....14c
Oatmeal, best White Rolled Oats, 6 lb bag....21c
Corn Meal, best granulated, yellow or white, 6 lb bag....14c
Hominy, fresh ground, in bulk, 4 lbs for....10c
Barley, new course, 3-lb bag, 11c
Farina, Best Wheat Farina, 4-lb bag....15c

Prunes, large size, in 10-lb wood box, original pkg...98c
Dates, in 1-lb package....7c
Fard Dates, a lb....10c
per 12-lb boxes....$1.00
Dates, stuffed with assorted nuts, 25c kind, a box....19c
Pulled Figs, in 2-lb boxes, 35c kind....20c
Fancy Cape Cod Cranberries, a quart....12c
Grape Fruit, 4 for....25c
and 5 for....25c
Fancy Messina Lemons, doz. 18c
Florida Oranges, fancy, dozen....30c, 35c and 40c
California Naval Oranges, per dozen....35c and 40c
English Walnuts, lb....15c
Mixed Nuts, a lb....16c
None Such Mincemeat, 3 packages....25c

Corn, Royal Blue, sweet, can 10c; per dozen....$1.10
String Beans, Varick Brand, can 10c; per dozen....$1.10
Succotash, Leroy Brand, can 10c; per dozen....$1.10
Pumpkin, Queen Quality, can 10c; per dozen....$1.10
Peas, Fort Hill Brand, can 12c; per dozen....$1.30
Spinach, Nabob Brand, can 14c; per dozen....$1.60
Asparagus, Shrewsbury Points, can 20c; per dozen....$2.20
Pears, in heavy syrup, large can 15c; per dozen $1.70
Peaches, Wheeler Brand, a can 14c; per dozen....$1.65
Apples, gallon can....25c
per dozen....$2.75
Blueberries, hand selected, can 15c; per dozen....$1.70

SCHEUER'S BEST MINNESOTA XXXX FLOUR, makes more loaves bread to the barre than any other flour, per barrel $5.18. 100 Stamps Free with a barrel. 24½lb bag 65c

German Spice Drops, 10c kind, a lb 7c	Animal Crackers, Fresh Baked, a lb 9c	Egg Crackers, 18c kind, a lb 12c	5 O'clock Teas, a lb 10c
Uneeda Biscuits....4c	Fig Bars, lb....10c	Ginger Snaps, lb....5c	Hand-made Pretzels, 12c
Greening and Baldwin Apples, pony basket 35c	20 Stamps with Pony Basket Red Onions 25c	20 Stamps with pony basket Yellow Turnips 20c	10 Stamps with 2 Bottle Stafford's Writing Ink, a bottle 5c

$1.00 in Stamps With Any of the Following:

3-lb box large California Prunes....25c
1 box Gold Medal Cocoa....20c
1 box Hasty Lunch Chocolate 18c
1 bottle Vanilla Extract....15c
1 bottle Lemon Extract....15c
1 package Farina....10c
1 package Hasty Tapioca....10c
3-lb package Rice....20c
2-lb package Scheuer's Oats..10c
1 package Parlor Matches....12c
1 bottle Royal Shoe Dressing..10c
2 cakes Scouring Soap, each...5c

In Our Meat Department.

Fancy Hen Turkeys, lb....22c
Roasting Chickens 18c and 20c
Corned Beef Tongue, lb....15c
Legs of Lamb, lb....16c
Shoulder of Lamb, lb....12c
Trenton Prepared Ham, lb..15c
Fresh Rump Roast, lb....12c
Rump Corned Beef, lb....12c
Fresh Pork Sausage, lb....14c
Pickled Tripe, a lb....5c
Hamburg Steak, lb....10c
Philadelphia Scrapple, lb....10c

$1.00 in Stamps With Any of the Following:

4 lbs. California Prunes....25c
3-lb package Buckwheat....15c
¼-lb package Black Pepper 10c
¼-lb package Cinnamon....12c
¼-lb package Cloves....12c
1 package Macaronni....10c
1 bottle Cider Vinegar....10c
1 can Baked Beans....10c
1 can Black Jack Stove Polish 10c
1 box Tooth Powder....10c
8-lb bag Salt....10c
1 can Dutch Cleanser....10c
1 box Starch Luster....10c
1 box Magic Hand Cleanser..10c

BURNHAM'S CLAM BOUILLON....half pint bottle, 20c; pint bottle, 35c; quart bottle 65c

Extra Stamps—TEAS.

100	STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Tea	60c
70	STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Tea	50c
30	STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Tea	35c
100	STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Premium Baking Powder	45c

Extra Stamps—COFFEES.

30	STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Coffee	32c
30	STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Coffee	29c
20	STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Coffee	27c
20	STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Coffee	23c

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Men's 12.00 and 13.00 Overcoats **6.75**
These are made of black and oxford Frieze, Melton and Kersey.

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Fancy Mixtures—"Londoncut" and Lenox, 33 inches long—no bobtails.

$3.50 and $4 Patent Colt Shoes---a Clean-up at $2.35.

These are odds and ends—mostly high shoes, some oxfords. Started Friday with 509 pairs. The lot is melting like snow under a summer sun.

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Boiling Prices Down
In the Bedding Dept.

Did you ever hear a farmer tell you that the farm was "sorter quiet, it bein' 'tween grass and hay?" That's the condition in nearly every store now in some lines—winter season's 'most left and spring season's 'most here. However, there are some sections of a big establishment like this which are always "in season."

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are not affected by the various changes of fashions and styles, but we've boiled down the price to liven things up a bit and you get the benefit.

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$23.50 Brass Beds....$15.98
$26.75 Brass Beds....$22.50
$30.00 Brass Beds....$24.50
$36.00 Brass Beds....$29.75
$37.00 Brass Beds....$31.50
$39.00 Brass Beds....$32.50
$45.00 Brass Beds....$35.50
$52.50 Brass Beds....$43.75
$62.50 Brass Beds....$53.75
$67.50 Brass Beds....$57.50
$70.00 Brass Beds....$59.75
$75.00 Brass Beds....$62.50
$90.00 Brass Beds....$75.00

BOX SPRINGS.

$9.75 No. 8 Box Springs...$7.59
$12.75 Tuxedo Box Springs, $9.95

COT BEDS.

$1.50 Liberty Cot Bed....$1.19
$1.85 Lakewood Cot Bed..$1.45
$2.75 No. 1 Divan Cot Bed..$1.98
$3.00 Military Cot Bed....$2.29
Pads for Cot Beds....$1.39

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$3.50 Iron Bed....$1.98
$4.50 Iron Bed....$2.69
$5.00 Iron Bed....$2.98
$5.50 Iron Bed....$3.50
$6.00 Iron Bed....$3.98
$6.50 Iron Bed....$4.25
$7.50 Iron Bed....$5.50
$8.00 Iron Bed....$5.98
$9.00 Iron Bed....$6.75
$9.50 Iron Bed....$6.98
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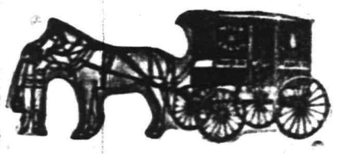

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Bowling and General Sports

PARKS TAKE A SLUMP; WESTFIELD CLUB GETS TWO.

None of the Boroughites in Exceptional Form in First and Second Games.

The Park Club bowling team took a slump last night at Westfield, where it just managed to win one game out of three from the Westfield Club in the Central Journal Bowling League tournament. Heretofore, the Parks have been bowling well and as a result hold first place.

In the first game the Parks were taken into camp by a score of 866 to 771, the local bowlers rolling far below the average. In the second game they picked up a little, but were defeated by a score of 935 to 809. Two successive defeats aroused their ire and in the last game they did the best work, winning by a score of 889 to 778. Barlow put up the high score for his team, a 205 in the last game, the next best score being rolled by Ball in the first game, when he put up good scores. The Parks still hold the lead in the tournament and are picked as winners of the cup. Last night's scores:

PARKS.			
Barlow	124	160	205
Lyman	152	168	184
Daniel	153	146	158
Long	146	168	183
Ball	196	167	159
	771	809	889
WESTFIELD.			
Bogert	195	193	125
Woodward	157	168	179
Pierson	164	159	168
Condit	164	215	135
Smith	186	200	171
	866	935	778

MACK AND MEYER WIN.

Take Two Out of Three in Only Bowling Games Rolled.

Mack and Meyer took two games out of the three from Woolston and Cunningham in the bowling tourney at McLaughlin's last night. Woolston was evidently affected by the cold and failed to warm up at any stage, in one game falling below a century mark.

These were the only games of the evening, illness preventing the appearance of the other contestants.

The scores:

Mack	159	177	188
Meyer	178	214	216
	337	391	404
Cunnningham	199	144	144
Woolston	165	99	140
	364	243	284

WATER INVESTIGATION.

Members of Commission Will Hold a Meeting Tonight.

The water investigation commission, which was appointed by Mayor Fisk several weeks ago, and which has already held one session to complete organization and decide upon a line of action, will meet tonight in the Mayor's office, when it is expected that reports will be received from the different committees. Owing to the illness of Mayor Fisk, he will be unable to attend the meeting, but otherwise it is expected that a majority of the members will be present.

It is understood that the committees have been very active since the organization was perfected and that much valuable information has been obtained through the investigation which has been conducted along specific lines planned by the members.

Village Warbles.

Another successful musical entertainment was held at St. Stephen's Protestant Episcopal church parish house last night. The programme in large one, tried to law down in the lage Warblers," who numbered thirty-five, mandolin duets by the Misses Edith and Emily Lacey, recitations by Mrs. Herbert Guinn, Charles Shoemaker, Herbert Dobbs, and readings by Miss Edna Willis. Ice cream and dancing were enjoyed after the entertainment.

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Wings and Flies

By Tom Muir.

The reigning Charles Klein drama "The Lion and the Mouse" presented in this city early in the season, is to return to Plainfield next month. The play has been presented in New York over 500 consecutive nights and is still running at the Lyceum theatre.

Blanche Walsh, now acknowledged to be the greatest emotional actress on the American stage, will soon be seen in this city, having made another enormous hit at the Astor theatre in New York, and being forced to close her run, because of previous existing contracts. She is to make a brief tour of the northwest, taking in some of the eastern cities on her way. She will be seen in Clyde Fitch's newest play, "The Straight Road," which metropolitan critics have hailed as a play vivid with goodness rather than intellectual smartness. The company and production will be identical as seen during the Broadway run.

Among the prominent actors supporting Wilton Lackaye in "The Law and the Man" is Melbourne McDowell, who was formerly a resident of South River. Mr. McDowell is well-known as the husband of the late Fanny Davenport and has been for years one of the brightest stars in the theatrical firmanent.

The role he assumes in "The Law and the Man" is that of Javert, the Police Inspector, and gives him opportunity to amply display his wonderful histrionic talent.

Among the supporting company are no less than five other men and women who has won stellar distinction. No expense has been spared to make theis one of the most notable "casts" that ever assembled, both in talent and mounting.

As the production comes to the New Plainfield theatre direct from its long run at the Manhattan theatre, New York, the patrons of the best in drama are assured of a first class production in every way. The critics have united in saying that the play is the best of the present season and the acting of Mr. Lackaye and his associates of such a high character that one who has seen it must remember the mos trivial detail long after.

A particular feature of this play is the interest it has aroused among churchmen, many prominent divines being numbered among its most sincere admirers. Great interest is being taken in the appearance of Mr. Lackaye and company here next Tuesday evening.

LEIGHTON CALKINS PRESIDENT.

Chosen As the Head of the New Jersey State Golf Association.

Leighton Calkins, of this city, has received additional honors in the golf world. Besides being elected an officer of the Plainfield Country Club, on Monday night, he was chosen president of the New Jersey State Golf Association at the annual meeting in New York. He will announce the members of the executive committee later.

June 6, 7 and 8 were the dates selected for the annual championship. The choice of links was left to the new executive committee. The treasurer's report showed a good balance. Mr. Calkins has served on the executive committee of the association since 1904.

Ready For Big Crowd.

The committee in charge of the Eagles' ball to be held in Saengerbund hall tonight, has made plans to entertain one of the largest dancing assemblages ever in the building. The grand march will be held at 10 o'clock and it is believed 200 couple will participate. Mr. and Mrs. William Waglow will lead it.

Joseph O. Osgood Reappointed.

The Borough Board of Health met last night, and adopted the new rules and regulations. Notice was received from Mayor Newton B. Smalley that he had reappointed Joseph O. Osgood as a member of the board for four years. No other business of importance was considered.

Under the auspices of the Young Ladies' Society of St. Joseph's church, of Bound Brook, a sociable will be held in Voorhees Hall, that place, Tuesday night.

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS HEAR AN ALASKAN LECTURE

INTERESTING FACTS RELATED BY MEMBER OF GEOLOGICAL SURVEY.

An illustrated lecture on Alaska was delivered before the students of the Plainfield High School this morning by Frank W. Stone, of the United States Geological Survey, who has spent the last five years in that territory. He graduated at Hamilton in the class of '99 with Lindsey Best, who is at the head of the scientific department in the High School.

Mr. Stone said that the popular idea of Alaska as a land abounding in snow and ice throughout the year, is a mistaken one. As Alaska is seven times the size of New Jersey, it has a varied climate, affording the production of fruits and flowers in the southern part during the summer months.

Speaking of the industries Mr. Stone dwelt at some length on the various methods of mining, washing dirt from gold being the most important. Basketry, he said, which is the mother of pottery, is also an important industry. The Standard Oil Company does an enormous business there, he declared. Oil is shipped in five gallon tin cans. As building material is scarce these empty cans are filled with shore sand and used as cement block, which serve the purpose almost as well. The roofs are covered with the cans flattened out.

The greatest pests in Alaska, he said, are mosquitoes, the Yukon flats being the greatest breeding place for them in the world. Men wear veils and gloves and cover their horses with suits made of blankets, as a protection against them. The full grown and healthy Jersey mosquito, declared the speaker, can be compared only with the infant mosquito of Alaska.

Mr. Stone said that a bunch of strange horses who are part in a pack train for the first time will invariably arrange themselves in the same order every day. Alaska, he said, is the "doggiest" country in the world. He has counted forty-two on a short and narrow street. They lounge about on the walks at their own sweet will and are never molested because they are the chief beasts of burden in that country.

RELATIVES TAKE CHARGE OF SUICIDE'S BODY

FRANKEN'S DEATH WILL NOT AFFECT THE LIVERY BUSINESS.

The New York relatives of Louis Franken, who committed suicide by hanging in his room at a North avenue boarding house yesterday, took charge of the body yesterday afternoon, and gave orders for the burial. The funeral will be held Sunday morning.

Service will be held at the rooms of Undertaker T. A. Moore, Watchung avenue. It was said at the undertaker's office this morning that a minister from out of town would probably be secured. The burial will be in the Jewish cemetery at Gatesville, near Bound Brook.

Franken's parents in Germany have been notified of the s uicide. It was said at the Cab Company's office this morning that the death would have no affect on the business. It will go on just the same. Franken's estate is said to be only the value of his interest in the livery business. His brothers in Germany are said to be wealthy.

CITY JOTTINGS.

—The Laing Machine-Auto Repair Company is making a great many changes in their garage and repair shop and when finished will be one of the best equipped automobile establishments in the State.

—William M. Stillman has sold his property at 57 Sandford avenue to Mrs. Meyer Weinberger through John P. Emmons, agent. Mrs. Weinberger will take possession April 1 for a home for herself and family.

CLOSED PORTALS.

Plainfield Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., initiated two candidates at its meeting this week. The new by-laws will be presented for another reading on Monday night.

MAKER OF DIAMONDS

M. MOISSAN AWARDED NOBEL PRIZE FOR CHEMISTRY.

Noted French Experimenter Also Invented the Electric Furnace—Was First Man to Discover Calcium Carbide.

London.—The manufacture of diamonds has been successfully performed by M. Henri Moissan, to whom the Nobel prize for chemistry was awarded the other day, but that is not his chief claim to fame. The electric furnace, which nowadays plays so large a part in industrial processes, owes more to him than to any other experimenter.

About the year 1878 M. Moissan was engaged in developing an electric furnace, which consisted in its simplest form of two blocks of lime or limestone, forming the body of the furnace, through which an arc was formed between carbon electrodes. The peculiarity of M. Moissan's furnace was that it was able to produce far greater temperatures than had previously been attained. As much as a hundred horsepower was used to concentrate its energy on a small charge, and in this way a temperature was reached only limited by the boiling point of carbon, which lies between 6,000 and 7,000 degrees Fahrenheit.

At this tremendous temperature, which is probably not far off that which exists in the sun's atmosphere, the most refractory metals are converted into vapor, and chemical changes or combinations are produced which are quite impossible at the comparatively low temperature of ordinary furnaces. The investigations of M. Moissan, which have been placed freely at the disposal of the world, unhampered by patents, have done more than those of any one else to advance the use of the electric furnace in the

HENRI MOISSAN.
(French Chemical Investigator Awarded a Nobel Prize.)

industries. He was, for instance, the first to discover that calcium carbide so largely used for the production of acetylene, that brilliant and convenient illuminant, could be cheaply produced in the electric furnace by the direct combination of lime and carbon; and the whole department of electro-chemistry, which has revolutionized so many industries and utilized so much water power that was previously running to waste, owes more to him than to any other of the numerous workers who have built it up in the last 20 years.

The most interesting, though not the most industrially important, of the researches which M. Moissan has carried out in his electrical furnace is the manufacture of artificial diamonds. We have long known that the diamond is only a crystallized carbon. If we could melt carbon and allow it to cool slowly, there is no doubt that it would solidify into the brilliant crystals which we call diamonds. Unfortunately carbon cannot be melted at all under ordinary conditions. It is one of the few elements which pass directly from the solid to the gaseous condition—like iodine.

But there is another way of producing crystals. Instead of melting the substance which we desire to crystallize, it is sufficient to dissolve it and allow it to crystallize out of the solution by evaporating the latter. The crystals of barley sugar which are to be seen in every confectioner's window are thus produced. Molten iron happens to be a good solvent for carbon, which is usually set free when it cools in the form of graphite scales. M. Moissan, however, hit upon the brilliant idea of making the molten iron charged with carbon cool under great pressure. This pressure is easily obtained, by using the property which cast iron shares with water and a few other bodies, that it expands instead of contracting at the moment when it solidifies.

M. Moissan thus melted iron mixed with carbon in his electric furnace, at a temperature of about 7,000 degrees Fahrenheit, and then plunged it into water or molten lead. The sudden cooling solidified the outer skin of the ingot. The expansion of the inner part, still liquid, on solidifying within this hard skin, produced enormous pressure, and it was found that the carbon under this pressure actually crystallized into minute diamonds. The largest yet made is only about one-fiftieth of an inch in diameter, but they are genuine diamonds, and M. Moissan is thus the first and only diamond maker.

No. 2243.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

The City National Bank.

at Plainfield, in the State of New Jersey, at the close of business,

Jan. 26, 1907.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$1,021,518 77
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		46 92
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		150,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		5,180 00
Bonds, securities, etc.		490,537 79
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures		71,202 50
Interest Paid		6,352 20
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		14,799 56
Due from State Banks and Bankers		2,198 49
Due from approved reserve agents		156,236 49
Checks and other cash items		6,683 67
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents		465 76
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz.:		
Specie	$55,017 00	
Legal-tender notes	33,764 00	88,781 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)		7,500 00
Total		$2,021,503 15

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 150,000 00
Surplus fund		50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		176,998 76
National Bank notes outstanding		147,800 00
Accrued Interest		779 84
Due to other National Banks		14,393 84
Due to State Banks and Bankers		1,098 75
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks		20,863 39
Dividends unpaid		64 00
Individual deposits subject to check		1,372,965 18
Demand certificates of deposit		12,693 62
Time certificates of deposit		72,385 67
Certified checks		1,132 55
Cashier's checks outstanding		327 25
Total		$2,021,503 15

State of New Jersey, County of Union. ss:

I, William F. Arnold, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

William F. Arnold, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this first day of February, 1907.
fifteenth day of November, 1906.
J. C. Pope, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
Louis K. Hyde,
Jas. T. Closson,
F. de L. Hyde,
Directors.

DIVIDEND NO. 60.

CITY NATIONAL BANK,
PLAINFIELD, N. J.

The Board of Directors have this day declared the usual semi-annual dividend of four per cent. on the capital stock of this bank out of the earnings of the past six months, and an extra dividend of one per cent. upon the capital stock of said bank, payable on and after Tuesday, February 5, 1907.

Wm. F. Arnold, Cashier.
Dated, Plainfield, Jan. 30, 1907.

The City National Bank of Plainfield, N. J., since its organization has paid to its stockholders in dividends on their capital stock ..... $ 324,750 00
and now has a surplus of 50,000 00
and undivided profits after paying dividends 158,400 00
with deposits of $1,500,000 00

The above shows that the bank is increasing its business, and is one of the strongest institutions in the State.

Renews Old Acquaintances.

James T. Barker, a former resident of this city, and now general manager of the News Publishing Company, publishers of the Passaic Daily News, was a visitor at The Daily Press office, today, where he renewed old acquaintances. Mr. Barker was in town visiting the different press works with the idea of purchasing a new press for his paper. He resided years ago at Watchung avenue and Franklin place.

The Man and the Price.

Hixon—I dropped a penny in front of a blind beggar this morning, just to see what would happen.

Dixon—Did he pick it up?

Hixon—No. He said, "Make it a dime, boss, an' I'll forget that I'm blind."—Chicago Daily News.

Bioux, Hioux!

A girl in the city of Sioux
Ran a tenpenny nail in her shioux,
'Twas a terrible time,
And—to make this thing rime—
It made her feel awfully blioux.
—Milwaukee Sentinel.

FOR HIS WIFE'S SAKE.

He—Yes! marriage has made a different man of me.

She—I am so glad to hear it for your wife's sake.

Rather Cruel.

Reggy—And didn't you see me in the amateur theatricals, Miss Wose?

Miss Rose—Gracious, yes.

Reggy—And—and don't you think I am an actor, pure and simple?

Miss Rose—Well, I don't doubt about the simple part, Reggy.—Chicago Daily News.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

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202 West Front St., Plainfield, N. J.

The Largest Retail Clothiers in Union County.

After Inventory Sale!

The very last clean-up of the Season. The balance of Winter Overcoats and Suits must be carried away if prices can do it; there are not many but we must have them out, even to the last one; an investment for you better than the Savings Bank, as you will get three dollars for every one invested.

$6.90 Overcoats.
Choice of any of our $10, $12, $15 and $18 Coats at this price. Materials are oxford, kersey, gray cheviots black vicunas, etc.

$10.40 Overcoats.
Choice of our best imported cloths in the newest shaped back Overcoats, some sizes missing, but yet a few to pick.

Extra! Child's Suits **98c.** from 8 to 15 years.

Extra! Child's Overcoats **$1.19.** from 3½ to 10 years.

Extra! Boys' Overcoats **$2.69.** from 6 to 15 years.

$5.98 Suits.
These are some of the best cheviots, cassimeres and worsteds, also blue and black thibets.

$8.90 Suits.
Newest creations of this season's make, all new models, these are fancy dress suits, in small mixtures and excellent overplaids.

Don't neglect to come in and get one of these remarkable bargains; really a chance of a lifetime. There are very few left, but still there is one for you.

SPECIAL—We have a number of Youths' Suits and Overcoats in sizes 16-17-18-19 years. They are worth $10, $12, $15, $16.50, in double and single breasted, in fine all wool goods, mixtures and blue and black. **To be sold at $4.98.**

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Sirloin Steak	16c	Legs Mutton	12c
Porterhouse Steak	16c	Lamb Chops	14c
Porterhouse Roast	14c	Loin and Rib Chops	22c
Prime Rib Roast	12c	Pork Sausage	14c
Pot Roast	10c	Round Steak	16c
Blade Roast	12c	Home Dressed Jersey Fowl	16c
Legs Lamb	14c	Potatoes, per bushel	70c

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WATCH FOR WEEKLY SPECIALS IN THIS PAPER.

DO YOU HAPPEN TO KNOW

that Astigmatism is the cause of much suffering,

Because { It causes headaches, dizziness and pains in the back of the head. It causes the temples to throb—the eyes to itch and burn. It causes a sleepy, unnatural and tired feeling and ear sickness.

Do you know What { Makes the memory of children at school so poor? The professors in the great colleges are advocating glasses for? Most physicians do when they have given you headache medicine in vain?

STILES & CO.

PHILADELPHIA EYE SPECIALISTS.

WILL examine your EYES FREE OF CHARGE on THURSDAY. Hours 11.15 to 4.30. Glasses if needed at moderate prices.

USE PRESS WANT ADS.

"Bricks without straw?" I asked, as we passed a radiant saloon that blazed upon the board walk.

"Beg pardon, sir, but such places are the ruin of men,"—on which remark I based a mental note that Bates wished to impress me with his own rectitude.

He swung beside me, answering questions with dogged brevity. Clearly, here was a man who had reduced human intercourse to a basis of necessity. I was to be shut up with him for a year, and he was not likely to prove a cheerful jailer. My feet struck upon a graveled highway at the end of the village street, and I heard suddenly the lapping of water.

"It's the lake, sir. This road leads right out to the house," Bates explained.

I was doomed to meditate pretty steadily, I imagined, on the beauty of the landscape in these parts, and I was rejoiced to know that it was not all cheerless prairie or gloomy woodland. The wind freshened and blew sharply upon us off the water.

"The fishing's quite good in season. Mr. Glenarm used to take a great pleasure in it. Bass,—yes, sir. Mr. Glenarm held there was nothing quite equal to a black bass."

I liked the way the fellow spoke of my grandfather. He was evidently a loyal retainer. No doubt he could summon from the past many pictures of my grandfather, and I determined to encourage his confidence.

Any resentment I felt on first hearing the terms of my grandfather's will had passed. He had treated me as well as I deserved, and the least I could do was to accept the penalty he had laid upon me in a sane and amiable spirit. This train of thought occupied me as we tramped along the highway. The road now led away from the lake and through a heavy wood. Presently, on the right loomed a dark barrier, and I put out my hand and touched a wall of rough stone that rose to a height of about eight feet.

"What is this, Bates?" I asked.

"This is Glenarm land, sir. The wall was one of your grandfather's ideas. It's a quarter of a mile long and cost him a pretty penny, I warrant you. The road turns off from the lake now, but the Glenarm property is all lake front."

So there was a wall about my prison house! I grinned cheerfully to myself. When, a few moments later, my guide paused at an arched gateway in the long wall, drew from his overcoat a bunch of keys and fumbled at the lock of an iron gate, I felt the spirit of adventure quicken within me.

The gate clicked behind us and Bates found a lantern and lighted it with the ease of custom.

"I use this gate because it's nearer. The regular entrance is farther down the road. Keep close, sir, as the timber isn't much cleared."

The undergrowth was indeed heavy, and I followed the lantern of my guide with difficulty. In darkness the place seemed as wild and rough as a tropical wilderness.

"Only a little farther," rose Bates' voice ahead of me; and then: "There's the light, sir,"—and, lifting my eyes, as I stumbled over the roots of a great tree, I saw for the first time the dark outlines of Glenarm House.

"Here we are, sir!" exclaimed Bates, stamping his feet upon a walk. I followed him to what I assumed to be the front door of the house, where a lamp shone brightly at either side of a massive entrance. Bates flung it open without ado, and I stepped quickly into a great hall that was lighted dimly by candles fastened into brackets on the walls.

"I hope you've not expected too much, Mr. Glenarm," said Bates, with a tone of mild apology. "It's very incomplete for living purposes."

"Well, we've got to make the best of it," I answered, though without much cheer. The sound of our steps echoed in the well of a great staircase. There was not, as far as I could see, a single article of furniture in the place.

"Here's something you'll like better, sir,"—and Bates paused far down the hall and opened a door.

A single candle made a little pool of light in what I felt to be a large room. I was prepared for a disclosure of barren ugliness, and waited, in heartsick foreboding, for the silent guide to reveal a dreary prison.

"Please sit here, sir," said Bates, "while I make a better light."

He moved through the dark room with perfect ease, struck a match, lighted a taper and went swiftly and softly about. He touched the taper to one candle after another,—they seemed to be everywhere,—and won from the dark a faint twilight that yielded slowly to a growing mellow splendor of light. I have often watched the acolytes in dim cathedrals of the Old World set countless candles ablaze on magnificent altars,—always with awe for the beauty of the spectacle; but in this unknown house the austere serving man summoned from the shadows a lovlier and more bewildering enchantment. Youth alone, of beautiful things, is loveller than light.

The lines of the wall receded as the light increased, and the rafters of the ceiling drew away, luring the eyes upward. I rose with a smothered exclamation on my lips and stared about, watching off my hat in reverence as the spirit of the place wove its spell about me. Everywhere there were books; they covered the walls to the ceiling, with only long French windows and an enormous fireplace breaking the line. Above the fireplace a massive dark oak chimney-breast further emphasized the grand scale of the room. From every conceivable place—from shelves built for the purpose, from brackets that thrust out long arms among the books, from a great crystal chandelier suspended from the ceiling, and from the breast of the chimney—innumerable candles blazed with dazzling brilliancy. I exclaimed in wonder and pleasure as Bates paused, his sorcerer's wand in hand.

"Mr. Glenarm was very fond of candle-light; he liked to gather up candlesticks, and his collection is very fine. He often called this 'The House of a Thousand Candles.' There's only about a hundred here; but it was one of his conceits that when the house was finished there would be a thousand lights. He had quite a joking way, your grandfather. It suited his humor to call it a thousand. He enjoyed his own pleasantries, sir."

"I fancy he did," I replied, staring in bewilderment.

"Oil lamps might be more suited to your own taste, sir. But your grandfather would not have them. Old brass and copper were specialties with him, and he had a particular taste, Mr. Glenarm had, in glass candle-sticks. He held that the crystal was most effective of all. I'll go and let in the baggageman and then serve you some supper."

He went somberly out and I examined the room with amazed and delighted eyes. It was 50 feet long and half as wide. The hard-wood floor was covered with handsome rugs; every piece of furniture was quaint or interesting. Carved in the heavy oak paneling above the fireplace, in large Old English letters, was the inscription:

The Spirit of Man is the Candle of the Lord

and on either side great candelabra sent long arms across the hearth. All the books seemed related to architecture; German and French works stood side by side among those by English and American authorities. I found archaeology represented in a division where all the titles were Latin or Italian. I opened several cabinets that contained sketches and drawings, all in careful order; and in another I found an elaborate card catalogue, evidently the work of a practiced hand. The minute examination was too much for me; I threw myself into a great chair that might have been spoil from a cathedral, satisfied to enjoy the general effect. To find an apartment so handsome and so marked by good taste in the midst of an Indiana wood staggered me. I was so lost in contemplation that I did not hear a door open behind me. The respectful, mournful voice of Bates announced:

"There's a bite ready for you, sir."

I followed him through the hall to a small high-wainscoted room where a table was simply set.

"This is what Mr. Glenarm called the refectory. He took his own meals here. The library was the main thing with him. He never lived to finish the house,—more's the pity, sir. He would have made something very handsome of it if he'd had a few years more. But he hoped, sir, that you'd see it completed. The work was near his heart, sir."

"Yes, to be sure," I replied.

He brought cold fowl and a salad, and produced a bit of Stilton of unmistakable authenticity.

"I trust the ale is cooled to your liking. It's your grandfather's favorite, if I may say it, sir."

I liked the fellow's humility. He

I Liked the Fellow's Humility. He Served With Great Deference.

served me with a grave deference and an accustomed hand. Candles in crystal holders shed an agreeable light upon the table; the room was snug and comfortable, and hickory logs in a small fireplace crackled cheerily. If my grandfather had designed to punish me, with loneliness as his weapon, his shade, if it lurked near me, must have been grievously disappointed. I had often eaten my bread alone, and I found a pleasure in the quiet of the strange, unknown house. There stole over me, too, the satisfaction that I was at last obeying a wish of my grandfather's; that I was doing something he would have me do. I was touched by the traces everywhere of his interest in what was to him the art of arts; there was something quite fine in his devotion to it. The little refectory had its air of distinction, though it was without decoration. There had been, we always said in the family, something whimsical or even morbid in my grandsire's devotion to architecture; but I felt that it had really appealed to something dignified and noble in his own mind and character, and a gentler mood than I had known in years possessed my heart. He had asked little of me, and I determined that in that little I would not fail.

Bates gave me my coffee, put matches within reach and left the room. I drew out my cigarette case and held it half-opened in my hand, when the glass in the window back of me cracked sharply, a bullet whistled over my head, struck the opposite wall and fell, flattened and marred on the table under my hand.

CHAPTER IV.

A Voice from the Lake.

I ran to the window and peered out into the night. The wood through which we had approached the house seemed to encompass it. The branches of a great tree brushed the panes. I was tugging at the fastening of the window when I became aware of Bates at my elbow.

"Did something happen, sir?"

His unbroken calm angered me. Some one had fired at me through a window and I had narrowly escaped being shot. I resented the unconcern with which this servant accepted the situation.

"Nothing worth mentioning. Somebody tried to assassinate me, that's all," I said, in a voice that failed to be calmly ironical. I was still fumbling at the catch of the window.

"Allow me, sir,"—and he threw up the sash with an ease that increased my irritation.

I leaned out and tried to find some clue to my assailant. Bates opened another window and surveyed the dark landscape with me.

"It was a shot from without, was it, sir?"

"Of course it was; you didn't suppose I shot at myself, did you?"

He examined the broken pane and picked up the bullet from the table.

"It's a rifle ball, I should say."

The bullet was half-flattened by its contact with the wall. It was a cartridge ball of large caliber that might have been fired from either rifle or pistol.

"It's very unusual, sir!" I wheeled upon him angrily and found him fumbling with the bit of metal, a troubled look on his face. He at once continued, as though anxious to allay my fears. "Quite accidental, most likely. Probably boys on the lake are shooting at ducks."

I laughed out so suddenly that Bates started back in alarm.

"You idiot!" I roared, seizing him by the collar with both hands and shaking him fiercely. "You fool, do the people around here shoot ducks at night? Do they shoot water-fowl with elephant guns and fire at people through windows just for fun?"

I threw him back against the table so that it leaped away from him, and he fell prone on the floor.

"Get up!" I commanded, "and fetch a lantern."

He said nothing but did as I bade him. We traversed the long, cheerless hall to the front door, and I sent him before me into the woodland. My notions of the geography of the region were the vaguest, but I wished to examine for myself the premises, that evidently contained a dangerous prowler. I was very angry and my rage increased as I followed Bates, who had suddenly retired within himself. We stood soon beneath the lights of the refectory window.

The ground was covered with leaves which broke crisply under our feet.

"What lies beyond here?" I demanded.

"About a quarter of mile of woods, sir, and then the lake."

"Go ahead," I ordered, "straight to the lake."

I was soon stumbling through rough underbrush similar to that through which we had approached the house. Bates swung along confidently enough ahead of me, pausing occasionally to hold back the branches. I began to feel, as my rage abated, that I had set out on a foolish undertaking. I was utterly at sea as to the character of the grounds; I was following a man whom I had not seen until two hours before, and whom I began to suspect of all manner of designs upon me. It was wholly unlikely that the person who had fired into the windows would lurk about, and, moreover, the light of the lantern, the crackle of the leaves and the breaking of the boughs advertised our approach loudly.

A bush slapped me sharply and I stopped to rub the sting from my face.

"Are you hurt, sir?" asked Bates solicitously, turning with the lantern.

"Of course not," I snapped. "I'm having the time of my life. Are there no paths in this jungle?"

"Not just here, sir. It was Mr. Glenarm's idea not to disturb the wood at all. He was very fond of walking through the timber."

"Not at night, I hope! Where are we now?"

"Quite near the lake, sir."

"Then go on."

I was out of patience with Bates, with the pathless woodland, and, I must confess, with the spirit of John Marshall Glenarm, my grandfather.

(CONTINUED.)

New Jersey Central

Passenger Stations in New York—West 23d St., N. R., Foot Liberty St., N. R.

In Effect November 25, 1906.

For New York—2.17, 2.37, 5.36, 6.02, 6.29, 6.57, 7.05, 7.25, 7.28, 7.45, 7.47, 7.55, 8.00, 8.11, 8.30, 8.36, 8.46, 9.29, 9.59, 10.28, 10.56 a. m., 12.00, 12.19, 12.42, 1.09, 1.27, 2.31, 2.44, 3.09, 3.42, 3.56, 4.07, 4.45, 5.53, 6.29, 6.48, 7.09, 7.37, 8.27, 9.27, 9.31, 10.17, 11.28 p. m. Sunday—2.17, 2.37, 4.47, 7.38, 8.01, 8.52, 9.34, 9.49, 10.02, 10.32 a. m., 12.40, 1.09, 1.45, 2.40, 3.09, 3.30, 4.29, 5.41, 6.35, 6.48, 8.13, 8.27, 8.35, 9.42, 10.22, 10.41 p. m.

For Newark—5.36, 6.29, 6.57, 7.05, 7.25, 7.28, 7.47, 8.11, 8.36, 8.46, 9.29, 9.59, 10.56 a. m., 1.09, 1.27, 2.31, 2.44, 3.09, 3.42, 4.07, 4.45, 5.53, 6.29, 7.09, 7.37, 8.27, 9.31 p. m. Sunday—7.38, 8.52, 9.34, 10.02, 10.32 a. m., 12.40, 1.09, 1.45, 2.40, 3.09, 3.30, 4.29, 5.41, 6.48, 8.13, 8.35, 9.42, 10.22 p. m.

For Somerville—5.19, 7.11, 8.21, 9.17, 9.55, 11.00 a. m., 1.01, (1.41 Saturday only), 2.02, 2.09, 3.49, 4.33, 5.04, 5.28, 5.57 except Saturdays, 6.04, 6.19, 6.37, 7.12, 7.29, 9.09, 9.37, 10.23, 11.26 p. m., 12.59 (except Mondays) night., Sunday—5.45, 8.42, 11.13 a. m., 1.05, 2.03, 3.40, 5.37, 7.05, 8.30, 10.15, 11.16, 11.25 p. m.

For Bethlehem, Allentown and Mauch Chunk—5.25, 9.55 a. m., 2.09, 5.28, 5.47 p. m. Sundays—5.45 a. m., 2.03, 5.47, 7.05 p. m.

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Chicago.—Dorothy Eastman the 11-year-old child whose mysterious disappearance from the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Eastman, 6117 Kimbark avenue, aroused the society section of woodlawn and caused a flutter in the Hyde Park police department, was found under circumstances as dramatic as were ever penned by fiction writers or portrayed upon the stage.

Attired in a natty knickerbocker suit of gray and wearing a scarlet flannel sweater and a gray cap pushed back jauntily upon her shorn locks, the little blonde runaway walked airily into the Hampden restaurant, on State street, at 5:30 o'clock and ordered dinner with all the nonchalance of a fin de siecle youth. Sitting at an adjoining table to the one to which the masquerader was shown were two men who had been tracing her for hours. They were Harrison Van Schaick and F. D. Kenyon, friends of the father of the girl and of her uncle, John Drake, who had been making frantic efforts to discover a trace of the truant since shortly after the hour that she had dropped out of sight.

Kenyon and Van Shaick, the latter knowing little Dorothty Eastman by sight, turned amateur detective to aid their friend Drake, and they beat out the police. But so completely changed was the appearance of the girl by her adoption of male garb and the cutting of her hair that Mr. Van Schaick was not altogether certain for half an hour as he watched her at her meal that she was in fact Dorothy.

As the boy arose from the table and approached the cashier's desk with a check presented by the waiter Mr. Van Schaick stepped forward and blocked the door leading to the street. The apparent lad, with a smile and a pleasant remark to the young woman at the cashier's desk paid the sum demanded and then started to leave the restaurant. Then 'Detective" Van Schaick reached down, and taking the surprised child in his arms said: "Dorothy, wait a moment. Uncle John will soon be here."

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YOUNG WOMAN BATHES IN THE CHILLY SURF

Pretty Girl Startles Promenaders at Atlantic City by Plunge in Icy Ocean.

Atlantic City, N. J.—Board-walk promenaders in the vicinity of Connecticut avenue the other morning

She Dashed Into the Icy Water.

when it was frigid and there was a flurry of snow, were given the cold shivers as they saw a pretty young woman make a dash out of a bathhouse, dressed in a bathing suit, and make for the ocean on a run. She plunged into the icy water and remained there 15 or 20 minutes.

An effort was made to ascertain the bathers' identity, but she evidently had expected there might be some curious enough to want to know who she was and therefore she had "fixed" the keeper of the bathhouse. She was about 25 years old, dark, well built and well dressed.

The girl started off on a brisk walk down the esplanade when she emerged from the bathhouse, and finally disappeared in an auction shop just below New York avenue.

Drops on Deer; Kills It.

Camp Bailey, Pa.—Peter Rindernecht is still talking of his narrow escape from an infuriated deer, which he finally killed in an unusual manner.

While the other members of the camp were away on a long drive, Pete, finding things slow in camp, decided to do a little hunting on his own hook.

Back of the Hinkle farm he jumped a large buck and fired a shot which made a flesh wound. The angry deer, lowering its prongs, made for Pete, who dropped his rifle and climbed the nearest tree.

The deer pawed at the tree, snorting with rage, and Pete thought it a fine joke until night began to draw near with the buck still on guard.

Pete yelled for help, but his cries only echoed through the ravines. It was very cold, and the hunter found that it would not be long until he would have to release his hold on the branches and fall to the ground.

A desperate plan was determined upon. Pete weighs close to 280 pounds, and when the buck, walking around the tree, was directly beneath him, the hunter doubled himself up like a ball and dropped.

He landed right on the buck's back, breaking its spinal column and crippling it so that the work of killing it with his hunting knife was easy.

Hunt Bear; Find a Pig.

Chippewa Falls, Wis.—Led by Mustard Hardy and Charlie Kasoureck, mighty hunters, all the male inhabitants of Sadott and vicinity started out to exterminate all the wolves and bears in the neighborhood. The women, in their gayest dresses, turned out to cheer them on. For six hours the hunters hunted in vain. Then scouts reported tracks. They led to a clump of brush, into which the hunters were about to fire, when Farmer Charles Green rushed up, yelling:

"Hold on, them's my old pig Fanny's tracks!"

That ended the hunt.

Girl Is Hazed Into a Fit.

Central Village, Conn.—Miss Annie Collins, daughter of the cotton-wick manufacturer here, was brought home from Providence, R. I., suffering from hysterical fright. Some of her chums at a Providence business college for girls did a little hazing and they put two dummies in Miss Collins' bed. They so closely resembled dead bodies that she screamed and fell in a fit from fright.

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CHANGE TO DISTRICTS

Both Parties Said to Favor New Way of Electing Assemblymen.

WANT UNITED ACTION

Suggestion that State Convention Condemn in Their Platform Representation By Counties.

As the people of New Jersey are becoming enlightened as to the purpose of the proposed amendment to Section 3 of Article 4 of the State Constitution, the movement to wipe out the present method of electing members of the General Assembly is attracting supporters in all parts of the State and in all political parties.

Prominent leaders in both the Democratic and Republican ranks expressed yesterday the belief—as another resolution similar to that now in the Legislature will have to be passed next year in order that the final test of the referendum may be made—that in the platforms of the respective State conventions which will meet to nominate candidates for Governor this spring there should be planks committing the parties to the policy of restoring Assembly districts and of electing the members of the lower branch of the Legislature directly by their respective constituents, instead of massing the candidates on the several county tickets.

"I believe all the Democratic members of the Legislature will vote for the proposed constitutional amendment, and I am also of the opinion that the coming State convention will declare emphatically for a return to the Assembly district method," said yesterday Assemblyman Simon Hahn, leader of the Essex county delegation in the lower house.

"We already are committed to this method. A constitutional convention does not seem possible under present conditions, and as the great majority of the voters of the State are undoubtedly in favor of doing away with the obnoxious system of election by counties, the means proposed, that of passing an amendment to the Constitution, is the only way left by which the people may obtain what they are clamoring for. The Democratic members will vote for the amendment because our platforms have continually declared for it. The Republicans seem to have come over to our way of thinking on this question, and they are strongly advocating the same thing under the leadership of Governor Stokes. These being the conditions, I cannot see any other result than that the fight will be successful.

"There has never been a real, worthy argument to sustain the overthrow of the system of electing members of the Assembly by districts, except that it was in violation of the Constitution. Many able lawyers have held that the third section of the fourth article of our fundamental law is capable of a construction that permits of Assembly Districts. The courts have ruled otherwise, however, and we hold our judiciary too sacred to question its rulings. But the courts have pointed the way to reform the obnoxious system, the people are ready, I believe, to indorse that reform, and it is the duty of the law-making body to adopt it.

"The district plan is in accord with the principles of government by the people. The whole scheme of dividing the Legislature into two branches is in line with the thought of representative government. The popular branch is the House of Assembly and the closer and nearer we bring that branch to the electorate the safer we shall be."

SUCCESS OF THE SUPPER.

Trinity Church Affair Will Net About $200.

More than 200 guests were served by the Ladies' Christian Work Society of Trinity church last night, when the annual turkey supper closed. The supper proved to be a complete success; practically all the good things were disposed of and the net profit will be about $200.

The social atmosphere last night was as delightful as on the opening night. The service was as perfect, and the comment of the guests was rich in praise for the committees in charge. The musical features were repeated.

Mrs. A. N. Selter Entertains.

Mrs. Andrew N. Selter ,of Rockview Terrace, gave a tea at her home, yesterday afternoon from 4 to 6, which was attended by over one hundred guests. The home was decorated throughout, pink being the prevailing color. Those who assisted rs. Selter in receiving were Miss Kingman, of Trenton; Mrs. Charles A. Reed, Mrs. Augustus V. Heely, Mrs. Max Munger and Mrs. Walter M. McGee. The young women assisting were the Misses Shreve, Thompson and Van Deventer.

GRACE M.E. CHURCH PLANS ANNIVERSARY SERVICES

WILL BE HELD TOMORROW TO CELEBRATE COMPLETION OF 15TH YEAR.

The congregation of Grace M. E. church will celebrate the fifteenth anniversary of its organization tomorrow and has prepared a programme that will continue through the day.

In the morning at the usual hour of service, Rev. Herbert Randolph, of Hoboken, who was the first conference pastor of the church, will be in charge and will preach a special sermon. Dr. H. K. Carroll, who was in reality the first past and who remained in charge until Mr. Randolph was appointed, will also be present and make an address.

In the afternoon, a special Sunday-school service will be held, beginning at 2:30. For this occasion, Superintendent W. J. Conroy has prepared an historical address to be read and a similar contribution will be made by Miss Nettie Beeching.

The day's programme will close with a platform meeting in the evening when addresses will be made by the Rev. Dr. Whitney, Rev. Dr. H. K. Carroll and former Assemblyman Samuel S. Swackhamer. Special music will be a feature at each of the gatherings and indications are that the attendances will be large.

The Grace church congregation is an outgrowth of the First M. E. church as is also the Monroe Avenue church, which has been holding special services during the past week in celebration of the tenth anniversary of its organization.

MONROE M. E. ANNIVERSARY EXERCISES CLOSE TOMORROW.

Rev. J. H. Howard to Preach Anniversary Sermon at West End M. E. Church Tomorrow.

The tenth anniversary services which have been in progress this week at the Monroe Avenue M. E. church were continued last night, when the Epworth League was in charge. N. Mansfield Smith, as president of the league, directed the programme, the chief feature of which were linked readings from James Whitcomb Riley by Charles Sumner Kemble. The poems given were so connected as to portray life from childhood to manhood. Mr. Kemble gave several of Riley's best poems from child life and then some of the more pathetic writings, representing advanced age. He closed his programme by reciting Riley's poem describing Christ and the Crucifixion. During the evening there were vocal selections by Miss Martin and Miss Grant, the latter also giving a piano solo. There were not social features last night.

Tomorrow the special services will close. In the morning Rev. Dr. John Hamilton Howard, of Staten Island, will preach the anniversary sermon. In the evening N. Mansfield Smith will deliver a historical sketch and Rev. Frank Fletcher will make an address.

MUSICALE AND VAUDEVILLE.

Comedy Club of St. Stephen's Church Will Entertain.

The Comedy Club of St. Stephen's church, Netherwood, will hold a musical and vaudeville entertainment at the parish house Monday night at 8 o'clock. The proceeds will be applied to the parish house maintenance fund.

The programme will include songs, instrumental solos, character studies and monologues. Those who will take part in it are: L. J. Geary, Dr. George H. Dupuy, Miss Marion Rummler, R. H. McCready, Miss Martha MacMurray, F. J. Pope, J. Campbell Haywood.

Handsome Waiters.

From present indications the dinner to be given Monday night at the Holy Cross parish house, Washington and Mercer avenues, will be one of the most interesting things ever set before the people of Plainfield. The men of the church who are to do the cooking and serving feel quite flattered to find that the women are showing so much curiosity over the undertaking. There will be several courses cooked by the "pick of the parish" and served by handsome waiters who have been in training for the occasion at a famous Park Row beanery. There will be other features of entertainment which will aid in making the affair very attractive. It isn't often that the people of this city have an opportunity to secure a good dinner and hear grand opera stars for the price.

Organ Recital Numbers.

William E. MacClymont, organist and choirmaster of Grace church, will render these numbers at the organ recital tomorrow afternoon at 4:15 o'clock: Fantasia Sonata, Rheinberger; Suite Gothique, Boellman and Vorspiel from "Tristan and Rsolde," by Wagner.

ADVICE FOR COMMISSION

Corporation Counsel to Be Asked to Enlighten Bi-Municipal Water Probers.

ENCOUNTER OBSTACLES

Mr. Dumont Says That Big Bond Houses Do Not Care to Handle Securities Needed—Mr. Frost's Opinion.

Rights and remedies were the chief topics of discussion at the meeting of the water commission which held its first session since organization, in the Mayor's office, last night. John B. Dumont presided and other members present were George H. Frost, Joseph O. Osgood, William S. Tyler, Mayor N. B. Smalley, William A. Coddington, Harry L. Hall, Secretary Leon R. Thurlow, and Stenographer George B. Wean. Mayor Fisk was detained by illness.

After considerable discussion of several matters, the suggestion of Mr. Coddington that the legal committee of the commission confer with Corporation Counsel Marsh and decide upon a plan of action was put in the form of a motion by Mr. Tyler and adopted. The committee will report the result of its conference to the next general meeting of the commission Friday night, March 8.

By way of information Mr. Dumont stated early in the meeting that upon inquiry among large bond houses in New York he learned that they do not care to negotiate bonds for the maintenance of water supplies in small cities—say of less than 25,000 population.

Then the question was raised by Mr. Tyler as to what rights the Union Water Company has in selling water outside of Plainfield. He expessed the opinion that the city would be deprived of water to the extent of having the supply go somewhere else.

Mr. Dumont said that no one knows how much water there is in Plainfield and how long it will last. As to the rates he thought those charged by the local water company were as reasonable as any and lower than in some cases. Mr. Frost agreed with him, as did also Mr. Osgood.

Mr. Dumont raised the question of charging for water at so much per faucet. He cited an instance of a boarding house, where there might be as many faucets as in his house, yet a far greater amount of water would be used in the boarding house than in his own where there might be only two or three in the family.

It seemed to me the opinion that by the merger of the Plainfield Water Supply Company into what is now known as the Union Water Company, the corporation had protected every interest, and the question was raised as to whether the consolidated company has the right to take water from Plainfield and sell it anywhere in the county or places adjacent thereto. It was hinted that the city might have the right to prevent this action.

It was also hinted that if the city should buy the present plant, the water company would sink other wells on land adjoining the city's plant and pump water just the same. An interesting discussion then followed as to the probable exhaustion of the water supply in Plainfield. It is known and was so stated last night that the water company has sunk its wells twice since the plant was put in operation, the present depth being about twenty-five feet.

Mr. Frost stated that such a water supply as Plainfield has would suffer exhaustion by the constant pumping and that the first signs of such exhaustion would be found in the sinking of the wells to a greater depth. He added that no one but the company has the correct information as to the underground supply here, but he had understood that there is a good margin yet. He said that the present supply is good and the pressure satisfactory. He stated further that the constant pumping shows that the water table is lower and in the section of the town in which he lives there is a noticeable absence of water in the brooks, also fewer mosquitoes. It was Mr. Frost's opinion that there is sufficient water here to supply Plainfield forever if the supply is not sent to Elizabeth and other towns.

The members realized the importance of prompt action if anything is to be done in determining rights and remedies and Legislative action as well as the right of injunction were suggested.

Then followed a discussion as to the rights of the company under its original charter and its possible relationship to the Union Water Company with which it is now merged, with the result that Mr. Coddington suggested a conference between the legal committee and Mr. Marsh. The commission has had in its possession much valuable information collected from various sources, including data from Mr. Marsh which relates to questions of the past history of the water company.

YOUNG BRAKEMEN KILLED

Stepped From Between Two Cars Near Richmond St. and Was Hit by Fast Freight.

LIVED IN PHILLIPSBURG

Fellow-Members of His Crew Unaware of His Death Until They Failed to Receive a Signal.

Death came in a swift and terrible form to William C. Ruth, of Phillipsburg, a brakeman on the New Jersey Central, in this city at 12:15 this morning. Just after coupling two cars on the siding along Cottage place, near Richmond street, he stepped out to the main west bound track directly in front of a fast B. and O. freight travelling at a fifty-mile-an-hour rate. He was struck by a projection from the locomotive and knocked between the tracks with life extinct. The skull was fractured and part of the face crushed in, otherwise was body was not mangled.

The engineer of the train which struck Ruth never saw him and continued on. It was only when the other members of the crew to which the victim belonged waited in vain for a signal from him that they learned of the accident. The body was taken in charge by Undertaker George Cole and the county authorities were notified.

Ruth was twenty-two years old and unmarried, living with his widowed mother. He had been with the Central but a short time and was considered a careful man. The body will be forwarded to Phillipsburg this afternoon.

JOHN DOUD PASSES AWAY AFTER A LONG ILLNESS

END CAME AT THE HOME OF HIS PARENTS AT NOON TODAY.

Following an illness that has extended at intervals over many weeks, John Doud, the youngest son of former Recorder and Mrs. Thomas Doud, of the borough, died at the home of his parents on Duer street shortly after 12 o'clock this noon. He had been in a serious condition for the past two weeks and his death was not unexpected. The illness began with a rheumatic affection that was followed by pneumonia. The latter trouble spread to the heart and brought about his demise.

The young man was about twenty-two years old and had a host of acquaintances in every part of the city and borough. He was employed at the local A. and P. Tea Company's store, where he had risen to a responsible position for his energy and ability. He was of a most genial and happy disposition and was very popular with all with whom he came in contact.

Beside his parents he is survived by two sisters, Mrs. James R. Blair, of Duer street, and Mrs. Herbert McVoy, of Westfield; also two brothers, Mark and William Doud.

Barbers' Union Passes Resolutions.

At a meeting of the local Barbers' Union, Thursday night, resolutions were passed condemning the action of the Governor of Idaho and the Supreme Court in the matter of arrest and extradition of President Moyer, Secretary William Haywood and George Pettibone, of the Western Federation of Miners. The same action is being taken by unions of all kinds throughout the country. Copies of the resolution will be forwarded by President Donato DiLonardo and Secretary Cantucey to the governor of Idaho and the judges of the S upreme Court.

Crokinole Club's Meeting.

The S. 1. 6. Crokinole Club held its first meeting at the home of the Misses Clark, of Grandview avenue, last night. The prizes were won by Miss Della Voehl and Benjamin Schuck. After the play dancing was enjoyed and refreshments were served. The next meeting of the club will be held on February 25 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Austin, of West Sixth street.

Mrs. James Armstrong.

Mrs. Ellen Armstrong, wife of James Armstrong, died this morning at her home on Prospect place, following a short illness from pneumonia. She resided on West Fifth street for many years and was well known throughout the city. The funeral will be held at her late home and will be private.

To Play Maxwell House.

The Y. M. C. A. first basketball team will play the Maxwell House five, of Brooklyn, Monday night, at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium. Maxwell House has a strong team.

BRIGGS TENDERS THANKS

U. S. Senator Elect Writes to Members of Legislature Expressing Gratitude.

THAT DEMOCRATIC PLOT

Little Credence Placed in Report That Minority Will Seek to Involve Senatorial Situation.

Frank O. Briggs, State Treasurer, yesterday forwarded members of the Legislature who voted for him on Tuesday when he was elected to the office of United States Senator. He will resign as State Treasurer at an early date, possibly some time next week, and then it is expected a joint session will be called to elect his successor. It is the desire of the treasurer to retire February 28.

Considerable comment has been created by rumors that the Democratic minority of the Legislature would refuse to meet with the Republican majority in joint session to accept the resignation of the treasurer and to elect his successor, thereby tieing up the treasury department and involving the Senatorship. It is not believed, however, that any move like this will be made, for the uselessness of it is apparent.

While the law of the State requires that the treasurer shall resign to a joint session of the Legislature, because he is elected by this body, there is no law that can compel a man to stay in office when he wants to get out and no law that can override the United States Constitution which prescribes the election of United States Senators. At the same time the oaths taken by the Democratic members of the Legislature requires of them that they fulfill all of their legislative duties, and the meeting in joint session in this matter is as clearly a duty as was the meeting in joint session for the election of a Senator.

On the other hand the Democrats could make no material gain this year by blocking the election of a treasurer. The latter could resign to the Governor after the adjournment of the Legislature and the Governor could then appoint an ad interim treasurer. The only result in that case would be to tie up the treasury department during the balance of the Legislature's session and this would inconvenience the Democrats as much as the Republicans.

The only possible reason the Democrats could have in delaying an election of a treasurer would be to compel the Governor to make an ad interim appointment, in which event the next Legislature would elect for the regular term. Some of the Democratic leaders hope to control the Legislature on join ballot next year.

There will probably be enough hold-over Republicans to make the Senate majority of that political faith and if the Democrats refuse this winter to go into joint session the Republicans could do the same next winter and the ad interim appointee of a Republican Governor would continue to serve.

UNION JAIL WELL MANAGED.

State Charities President Sends Letter of Praise.

Elizabeth, Feb. 9.—Mrs. Emily E. Williamson, president of the State Charity Aid Association, in a letter addressed to Benjamin F. King, director of the Union County Board of Freeholders, says that she recently inspected the Union Jounty Jail and found its condition to be satisfactory in every respect.

Mrs. Williamson expressed gratification at the progress being made in the construction of a prison for women. The letter credited the Union County Jail as being the best managed jail in this State.

The committee appointed to investigate the case of David Taylor, who at the last meeting of the board asked that the latter recompense him for an injuiry which his horse sustained because of a loose plank in the Washington avenue bridge at Plainfield, reported that an agreement had been reached between the freeholders of Somerset county and themselves, for each of the counties to pay Mr. Taylor $54.50.

Celebrated Thirtieth Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morley, of Grant avenue, celebrated the thirtieth anniversary of their marriage, on Thursday night at their home. There were a large number of guests present from New York, Brooklyn, Jersey City and other points. An enjoyable evening was spent and an elaborate supper served.

Wannamassa's Annual Dinner.

The Wanamassa Boat Club will give its annual dinner at the Hotel Churchill, New York, Thursday night, February 21. The committee in charge consists of G. Harold Whitney, Percy Phillips and Fred H. Martin.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

NEARLY 1,000 ATTEND F. O. E.'S ANNUAL BALL

PLAINFIELD AERIE HAS A BIG NIGHT AT SAENGERBUND HALL.

Unusual success attended the second annual reception and ball of Plainfield Aerie, No. 866, F. O. E., held in Saengerbund Hall, last night. The affair was attended by over 900 people, including delegations of Eagles from Newark, New Brunswick, Bound Brook, while the Plainfield Aerie and its friends were largely represented.

The grand march took place at 11 o'clock and was led by Mr. and Mrs. William Waglow. This was unique and in the attractive formations there was represented a star and the letters "F. O. E." The programme of dances was one of the best ever presented, and the music by Charles Suhr's orchestra was a feature. The dances included all of the popular selections of the day.

The hall was elaborately decorated by Laggren, of Elizabeth, there being a fine display of the order's insignia. The arrangement on the stage was attractive, consisting of palms and flowers, while in the centre was an eagle surrounded by a number of small incandescent lights.

The Eagles will net approximately $400 from the reception and ball. R. P. Kampf was general manager of the affair. William Waglow was floor manager and his assistant was S. P. Abieniste. The committee of arrangements consisted of R. P. Kampf, chairman; J. Vardon, secretary; H. Reilly, treasurer; S. P. Abieniste, Edward C. Searing and William Waglow.

ANOTHER LECTURE BY PEARY HERE, AT THEATRE.

Y. M. C. A. Secretary Gets His Promise to Return, at Midnight Meeting.

Peary, the Arctic explorer, will deliver a second lecture in this city. He will appear at the New Plainfield Theatre, under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A.

The date of the lecture has not been decided. Secretary Robbie, of the Y. M. C. A., secured Commodore Peary's promise to return to this city at a midnight meeting in Peary's rooms at the Grand Union Hotel, New York. Mr. Robbie was unable to see the explorer-lecturer until the latter returned from a dinner at 12:30 o'clock in the morning. Mr. Robbie had an interesting talk with Commander Peary. The explorer said he was at a harder grind than ever attended a near-discovery of the pole. He spends his nights lecturing or roaring gently for tufthunters and gets up at six o'clock every morning to edit his manuscripts on the expedition.

The lecture will be different from the one delivered at the First M. E. church. Peary has material for a dozen different lectures, and illustrations to go with them.

WORKS OF ART FOR P. H. S.

Class of 1905 Present Panels in High Relief Sculpture.

The plaster casts of Luca della Robbia's panels in high relief sculpture have been purchased for the Plainfield High School by the class of 1905 and set in the wall of the lower hall on either side of the main entrance. According to custom each class presents the school with a work of art, and with this in view the graduating class of 1905 left $60 to be spent in the most advisable way when the new building was completed.

One panel represents seven choir boys singing from one book; the other, five choir boys singing from one scroll. They are set in frames of dark stained antique oak which makes a striking contrast to the white of the wall and the light color of the plaster casts, and sets them off to their best advantage.

MISSION'S NEW NAME.

To Meet Hereafter at the W. C. T. U. Rooms.

With "Plainfield" instead of "Grove Street" for a distingunishing title, the Rescue Mission will meet hereafter in the W. C. T. U. rooms, 100 Duer street. The first meeting under the new name and in the new place will be held tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock.

Charles H. Fountain will speak. All the Sunday meetings of the Mission will be held in the evening hereafter. The meetings were h eld in the afternoon at the Christian church, but the W. C. T. U. has afternoon meetings of its own on Sundays.

—Remember it's next Monday evening the big dinner at Holy Cross parish house. Tickets one dollar. ***

Oscar R. Dart, of Fairview avenue, spent Sunday at the h ome of Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Sander, of Passaic, N. J.

"SILENT" SMITH HONORED

County Chairman and "Bob" Kirkland Receive Handsome Masonic Jewels.

GIFT OF POLITICIANS

Plainfield Well Represented at G. O. P. Gathering When Two Leaders Are Areably Surprised.

All the politicians of the county whose names crop up prominently at election time, gathered at Gebhardt's place in Elizabeth, last night, for the purpose of springing a "surprise" on one of their number. At least that's what they were all told and secrecy was maintained to such an extent that no one knew who it was until almost the last moment and then it was announced by County Registrar Frank H. Smith, who was a member of the committee on arrangements, that it was Captain Robert Kirkland, of Elizabeth.

But "Silent" Smith had another guess coming. While he and his committee had been busy in one direction, another committee had been working on parallel lines and he was picked out as a second "victim." He was absolutely in the dark as to the surprise prepared for him, as was Kirkland also, the latter having been led to believe that Smith was the man for whom the event was prepared. The climax came when both men were instructed to stand up and they were presented with thirty-second degrees Masonic jewels, having recently reached that position in the order.

The presentation to Kirkland was made by Abe J. David and to Smith by Judget William Newcorn. The urprised ones were badly rattled for a moment or so but quickly regained their composure and responded fittingly. Other speeches were made by Judge William R. Codingtond and Judge C. Addison Swift. The banquet served in connection with the affair was voted "A1" by the eighty odd men around the tables and it was after midnight before it broke up.

The Plainfielders who were present included Amos Andrews, Councilman Herbert Buxton, former Mayor James F. Buckle, Judge W. R. Codington, former Sheriff B. Frank Corfiell, Charles Dunham, Walter L. Hetfield, Jr., Judge William Newcorn and Frank H. Smith, Hamilton F. Kean, Assemblyman Tillman, Perkins and Moxon and County Clerk James C. Calvert were among the other attendants.

Thoms Had Local Relative.

Joseph Thoms, the engineer of the Pennsylvania's Congressional Limited express, who was killed at Philadelphia Thursday night, was a brother-in-law to John J. Kline, of Chatham street. His home was in Newark and he was one of the highest paid engine drivers on the road. Thoms was leaning out of the cab when he was struck by a projection from the Diamond street bridge. He fell back lifeless and the train, one of the finest in the world, ran for a mile with no one to guide it. Thoms' death was discovered by the fireman when he noted that the engine did not slow down for the North Philadelphia station.

Will Organize Baseball Team.

The Boys' Athletic Club of the First Baptist church held a short meeting, last night, when it was decided to organize a baseball team for the coming season. There is plenty of excellent material in the club from which to select a strong team, and the prospects are that the organization will have one of the best teams in the Sunday-school Athletic League. Next Friday night the club will hold a business meeting to discuss plans anl perfect the same for the ball team.

Pasteurize Their Milk.

Most Plainfielders have noticed the articles appearing in the metropolitan press about the purity of city milk supplies. The solution of this problem most favored seems to be pasteurization. Pasteurized milk can be obtained here of the Plainfield Milk and Cream Co., 191 North avenue.

Upright Lawmaker Here.

Assemblyman Randolph Perkins, of Westfield, Republican leader on the floor of the House, was the guest of Councilman Herbert Buxton. Mr. Buxton left today for Chicago, where he will spend several weeks on business matters.

Goes To Pacific Slope.

Charles Belknak, of East Front street, left for Sacramento, Cal., today, to take a position in a large plant as a draughtsman. He has been working for the Central Railroad in the pattern department.

Boys Have Sleighride.

Y. M. C. A. juniors to the number of twenty-five joined the sleighing party last night. The boys rode to Westfield, where refreshments were enjoyed at the home of a member.

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Services tomorrow at the Baptist church will be held at the usual hours: Morning preaching, 10:45; B. Y. P. U., 7:45; evening service at 8 o'clock. Rev. T. Moore-Smith is convalescent from his recent severe attack of the grip and expects to be able to occupy his pulpit again as usual.

The boom in Highland Park property has helped the property in the neighborhood of Terrell road, six houses having been built in that section within the past year and it is reported that several more are to be erected in the spring.

The three days' fair to be held by Excelsior Hook and Ladder Company on February 21-22-23, promises to be one of the largest undertakings in the fair line the town has had in a number of years.

A. L. Frentz and daughter, Miss Jennie, who have been spending several weeks with friends and relatives in Georgia, will return home early in March.

The work on the convent, being built on the mountains, near Mountain avenue, has been hampered somewhat by the storm this week.

John H. Collier, representing the Anti-Saloon League, will speak in the Methodist Episcopal church at the Sunday evening service.

Only the regular routine business was transacted at the meeting of the Township Committee held last night in the town rooms.

Mrs. L. D. H. Gilmour, who recently underwent a serious operation at one of the Newark hospitals, is improving nicely.

Rev. A. H. Cook, of the Methodist church, will occupy his pulpit again tomorrow after a two weeks' absence.

There will be baptism at the Baptist church at the evening service on the last Sunday in this month.

BASKING RIDGE.

The rural letter-carriers, both from the Basking Ridge and Millington postoffices, have been much impeded on their routes this week because of the storm. Some days they were only able to partially serve their routes, the roads being impassable.

Mrs. M. A. Nutt, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Samuel S. Voorhees, at her home on Main street for the past six weeks, left yesterday for Belvidere, en route for her home in Springfield, Ill.

Miss Elizabeth Todd, of Bedminster, was a recent visitor at the home of Mrs. Samuel Voorhees.

Miss Sarah Voorhees, of Summit, spent a short time recently at her home on Main street.

F. Kutcher is visiting his parents at their home at Myersville for a short time.

Owing to the storm of Tuesday there was no session in the public schools.

Mrs. Samuel Edgar is spending a short time this week with friends in Newark.

BERNARDSVILLE.

J. B. Casey, overseer of the poor of Irvington, who has just recovered from a severe attack of pneumonia, at the age of eighty-one, is visiting his son, George A. Casey, of this place.

Mrs. P. M. Hildebrant and daughter, Miss Pauline Hildebrant, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Glazier, of Fairmount, for several weeks.

The Sigma Kappa Club of Far Hills has issued invitations for a dance to be given in the Far Hills school and Library Hall this evening.

John J. Foley, manager of the Bernards Shoe Company, has been spending several days in New York State.

Mrs. Theodore Nauright and daughter, Dorothy, of Maplewood, were recent visitors to friends in Far Hills.

Mrs. H. M. Denium has returned to New Paltz, N. Y., after spending a month at her home in Far Hills.

R. V. Potter is recovering from a prolonged attack of the grip.

WESTFIELD.

The suit of Lewis Dughi, of Westfield, against the Public Service Corporation was called in the District Court at Elizabeth, Thursday. The case was postponed for one week. Dughi sues to recover damages for a wagon smashed by a trolley car in Elm street last November.

The Men's Club of the Westfield Presbyterian church will conduct a mock trial at the meeting to be held in the church parlors this evening.

Albert Ashfield, of Garwood, has been taken to the Elizabeth General Hospital to be operated upon for intestinal trouble.

For the first time since the storm the county roads leading in to Westfield were passable to travel yesterday.

The enrolment in Westfield public schools for January was 1,112.

STIRLING.

Miss Helda Nelson, of Summit, who had been spending a few weeks here with her parents in Elm street, returned home yesterday.

Elias Mayjian, of Elm street, is suffering from a severe attack of rheumatism.

Samuel Bray, of Newark, is spending a few days with his parents in Millington.

DUNELLEN.

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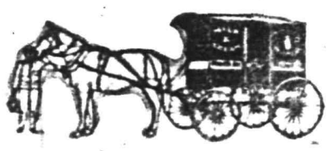

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As a result of the contributions made last Sunday, the Methodist church is once more entirely free from debt. The $1,156 secured is sufficient to pay off every dollar of indebtedness.

Ash Wednesday services will be held in St. John's and Holy Innocents' churches as usual. Next Wednesday will be the beginning of Lent.

An auction sale of the household goods of the late Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Dunn will be held at the Stelton house.

The Presbyterian Women's Missionary Society will meet Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. A. Lake.

Miss Janet Lake has resigned as treasurer of the Presbyterian Y. P. S. C. E. Miss Tillie Muller succeeds her.

Communion will be celebrated at Holy Innocents' church tomorrow morning at 8:30 o'clock.

The Aluminum Plate and Press Works has gone back to its six-day-a-week schedule.

Miss Angie Warren, of Newark, has been visiting local friends.

Mrs. Emily Apgar has recovered from her recent illness.

J. Y. Ruppell has recovered from his recent illness.

Frank O. Nelson has filled his ice house.

Miss Catherine Cole is ill with the grip.

George Voorhees has a new piano.

WHITEHOUSE.

Newton Wyckoff, principal of the public school at Whitehouse Station, reports the following pupils neither tardy nor absent during the month of January: Margaret Pursell, Ethel Smith, Hazel Crotsley, Florence Van Syckle and Etta Eick. In the primary department Miss Eulah C. Castner, teacher, reports Raymond Park and Clarkson Price on the honor roll.

The Ladies' Aid Society connected with the Reformed church at Whitehouse Station yesterday announced a change in the dates for "Down in Maine," a drama to be presented by local amateurs under the auspices of the society. The entertainment will be held on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, February 26 and 27, instead of February 28 and March 1.

Word has been received at Peapack of the death of Lyman Dellicker, who passed away at his home in West Virginia a few days ago. He was formerly a resident of Peapack, and since he left that place had been a frequent visitor there. He was a brother-in-law of Mrs. Gussie Dellicker, of Gladstone.

The meeting of the Ladies' Missionary Society conected with the Lutheran church at New Germantown, postponed from last week because of the illness of many of the members, will be held this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Simon J. Hageman.

The Swackhamer homestead, near Whitehouse, known as the Rulff S. Swackhamer farm, has been sold, through the agency of William W. Shampanore, to Walter A. Drinkwater, of Yonkers, N. Y. The property contains seventy-eight acres of land.

The girls' junior basketball team, which has been organized at Peapack with the following members, Misses May Fenner, Bertha Conroy, Grace Card, Elizabeth Smith and Emma Swick, will meet this evening for practise.

In the Methodist church at Centreville, tomorrow morning, Rev. A. H. Robinson, the pastor, will preach the second of a series of sermons on "The Life of Job."

Mrs. William C. Swackhamer, of Whitehouse Station, has been spending several days with her sister, Mrs. Abraham F. Hall, at New Germantown.

Abram Smith and Miss Elizabeth Smith have returned to Peapack, after spending several days with Rev. C. R. Kuebler and family at Hackensack.

Mrs. Samuel D. Skillman has returned to her home at Whitehouse Station, after a visit to her sister, Mrs. Marcus La Rue, in Somerville.

Miss Florence Apgar, of New Germantown, who is spending the winter in Newark, has been visiting at her home for a few days.

Miss Bessie Perry, of Whitehouse Station, has returned from a visit to her cousin, Miss Lulu Burnett, in Somerville.

The stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller, at Gladstone, a few days ago, and left a baby daughter.

Mrs. Joseph Ramsey, of Lebanon, returned yesterday from a visit to Mrs. A. D. Edgar, in Plainfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin H. Pickell, of Pleasant Run, are visiting relatives in Frenchtown for a fortnight.

Miss Elizabeth Lindsley, of Whitehouse Station, is recovering from a severe attack of grip.

David Card, of Westfield, has been spending a fortnight at Gladstone.

NORTH BRANCH.

Luther H. Lutz, principal of the public school at Neshanic, reports the following pupils present every day school was in session during the month of January: Alice M. Horner, Edythe Hill, Mabel Sebring, Eva Holcombe, Louis Schenck, Walter Anderson, Clarence Brokaw, William Brokaw and Walter Rynearson.

John Fenner and John McGregor, of Pluckemin, celebrated their sixtieth birthdays a few days ago at the home of the former. There were about twenty-five guests, all of whom reported a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Tingley, of South Branch, have been entertaining Mr. and Mrs. William Voorhees, of Illinois, and Mr. McSulley, of this place.

The Brotherhood Band, which was recently organized at Pluckemin, held a cottage prayer meeting Thursday night at the home of Ernest E. Lane.

Mrs. C. Van Derbeck has returned to her home in this place, after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hall, at South Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Deshong have moved from near Neshanic to Glen Gardner, where Mr. Deshong has taken a position.

Miss Elizabeth Condit, of Somerville, has been spending a few days with Miss Edith Staats.

Mrs. Oliver Apgar, of Pluckemin, has returned home from a visit to friends at Lebanon.

Samuel Waters, of North Branch Depot, has returned from a vacation outing.

HUNTERDON COUNTY.

The Lebanon Township Committee will hold a special meeting at Glen Gardner this afternoon for the purpose of electing a steward for the poor home, there having been three applicants for the position at a previous meeting of the board.

William Green, who has conducted the Milford House at Milford, will vacate the premises in the spring and move to Phillipsburg, where he will take charge of the American House.

Miss Blanche Fulper, of Hampton Junction, has been entertaining Miss Rosa Lee, of Changewater, and Miss Catharine Carter, of Washington.

Louis Anderson, of Bloomsbury, has sent several of his choice rose comb Rhode Island red chickens to the poultry show in Philadelphia.

Miss Isabel Exton, of Union Farms, near Clinton, is staying with her sister, Mrs. C. H. Vrooman, at Patchogue, Long Island.

Mrs. Joseph Siegfried and son, of Glen Gardner, are at Crestmore taking care of her mother, Mrs. Andrew Creger, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar E. Riddle, of Hampton Junction, are spending a season with relatives in Newark and Plainfield.

Mrs. John W. Crevoling, of Bloomsbury, has as her guest her sister, Mrs. Martha Shannon, of Hazelton, Pa.

After spending a season with her sister, Miss Anna Stute has returned to her home in Connellsville, Pa.

The Hunterdon County Principals' Association will hold its next meeting in Clinton, February 16.

Miss MacNorton, of Jersey City, is being entertained in Bloomsbury by her sister, Mrs. Philip Weiss.

Mrs. C. F. Adams, of Hampton Junction, is sojourning with friends at Freemansburg, Pa.

Miss Hackett, of Philadelphia, is at Bloomsbury, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Willever.

Miss Edith Cleveland, of Clinton, is spending some time with her aunt at Chatham, Va.

Miss Ethel Seals, of Annandale, is attending a business college at Easton, Pa.

Miss Sadie Potts, of Annandale, is on a few days' visit to friends in New York.

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M'ADOO MADE NEW BED FOR THE HUDSON RIVER

TUNNEL-BUILDER HAD TO ADOPT INGENIOUS DEVICE.

Chief Engineer Charles M. Jacobs Thursday made public a summary of the work carried out in the McAdoo system of tunnels and subways during the past year. At one point in the operations in the Hoboken-Christopher street tube under the Hudson it was found the river bottom was imperfect. So a new river bottom had to be specially made, one that would not sag on the tube and spoil it. To do that it was necessary to dump a large quantity of clay in the river, and let it settle upon the bed of the Hudson.

At another point in the work under the Hudson the men driving the huge steel shields struck a bed of clay they could not cut through without the clay oozing back around the edges of the shields. The clay was too soft. It was like trying to bore through water or soft mud. It was a perplexing problem. Chief Engineer Jacobs personally went down into the tunnel and camp there. He sent for a powerful heating apparatus, and directed an intense heat ahead of the shield. In this way he baked the clay into brick, and then bored ahead through the solid mass of brick.

At still another point under the river, instead of the hard clay expected, the bottom rose in a succession of rocky peaks, which had to be blasted off, one by one, before the shield could get past them.

The two tubes between Hoboken and Morton street are completed under the river, and on the Hoboken side 834 feet of one approach and 923 feet of the other approach are dug. On the New York side the land tunnel, west bound, has been completed 1,400 feet, almost to a point under Jefferson Market, and the east bound subway is dug, also through Christopher street, 2,100 feet, to and up Sixth avenue as far as Tenth street.

Of the two downtown tunnels, extending from Cortlandt street, New York, to a point under the Pennsylvania terminal, Jersey City, both are about three-fifths completed under the river, the north or west bound tube having come out 3,120 feet from the Jersey shore, and the south tube having been driven 3,218 feet toward New York. Over 104,000 cubic yards of material have been excavated and removed and 35,000 tons of cast-iron plates placed in the tubes as a lining.

At Jersey City the two tubes that are to connect the McAdoo terminal under the Pennsylvania station with the Erie and Lackawanna terminals have been dug from the Pennsylvania terminal about half way up to the Erie terminal; from the Hoboken end of the Christopher-Morton tubes terminal shaft at Fifteenth street about half way down to the Erie terminal, and from the Fifteenth street shaft up to within two blocks of the Lackawanna terminal. West of the Pennsylvania terminal the four main line connecting tunnels that go to Newark have been dug to Grove street. Nearly 5,000 feet of the tunnels on the Jersey side are dug.

The terminal stations are well under way.

The tunnels under the Hudson are to be in operation, it is promised, by September, 1907.

WANTED "IRISH TURKEY."

Jersey City, Feb. 9.—Too much steak caused all the trouble, for Matthew Hoy's kick, as he told Justice Higgins in the First Criminal Court, was that he didn't get corned beef and cabbage often enough at home, and then the fight started. His wife, May, a demure little lady, claims he hit her in the face with a plate, and Matthew states that she retaliated by knocking him down a long flight of stairs. The husband took the full count and then came back good and strong. What happened after that landed Matthew in the court.

"Judge, it's this way," said Hoy, as he rubbed his right hand across his eyes and squinted at Judge Higgins. "May, you know, does all the buying for the house, with my money, of course, and you know, judge, she's stuck on steak, beefsteak, judge, and I got sick of it."

"You don't like beefsteak?" asked the court, as a flicker of a smile passed over his countenance.

"Sure," said Hoy, "but enough's enough, and when it was beef, beef, beef every day, besides the beefing my wife did, I tell you I got sore."

He said that when supper was spread Thursday night he looked for his favorite dish. Instead of corned beef there was a big piece of steak upon his plate. He picked up the meat platter and gently pushed it into May's face. She let out a scream, and Matthew followed up his attack with the sugar bowl and a couple of salt cellars.

Then the long-suffering May got busy. She walked back of Matthew's chair and took a good strong hold on his collar and another grip further down. With one tug she got him out of the chair and marched him to the top of the stairway.

"You're on your way, boy," she said, and then she gave a push. There was an officer at the bottom of the stairs to catch Matthew, and he landed the husband at the police station.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

"A Wife's Secret" is the announced attraction for the New Plainfield theatre this afternoon and tonight. It is a play abounding in heart interest and one that permits of choice dramatic work by a competent company.

Maclyn Arbuckle announces his big production and original brilliant company in George Ade's spectacular company, "The County Chairman," at the New Plainfield theatre next Monday night. This announcement should create unusual interest, partly on account of the play's prevailing spirit of jollity and partly also by reason of its wholesome simplicity and fidelity to home life and character. Its love interest is charmingly; its drollery is delicious and its dramatic episodes are intensely stirring. Maclyn Arbuckle in "The County Chairman" comes here endorsed by long engagements in New York, Philadelphia, Chicago and Boston, where it delighted thousands.

Joe Welch, the clever comedian and character actor, will be seen in a new play entitled "The Shoemaker," at the New Plainfield theatre next Saturday afternoon and night. Mr. Welch's role is reported to be the best he has ever had and gives him abundant opportunity to display his versatility.

In the announcement that "Happy Hooligan's Trip Around the World" will be the attraction at the New Plainfield theatre on February 28, matinee and night, as a benefit to Treasurer Sam Cunningham, the patrons of that house receive assurance that they are to see a standard quality of theatrical entertainment. When one goes to a store to purchase dry goods or groceries there are certain reliable brands which it is always well to insist upon receiving. As it is in the mercantile business, so it is in the theatrical business. There is a standard quality of attractions, and in the line of farce comedy, "Happy Hooligan's Trip Around the World" represents the very highest possible quality.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Wilson Memorial chapel, Watchung, conducted the gospel meeting at the Hunter Avenue Tabernacle Thursday night.

The tenth anniversary services at the Monroe Avenue M. E. church will be concluded tomorrow. In the morning Rev. Dr. Howard, of Staten Island, will preach the anniversary sermon and in the evening a historical sketch will be read by Mansfield Smith, followed by an address by Rev. Frank Fletcher.

SPANISH GIRL'S ROMANCE.

Sent Here to Study, She Weds Horace P. Conrad of Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Feb. 9.—An obliging Justice of the Peace and the conveniently situated city of Camden served as a safe combination to veil until today the marriage of Miss Ainta Inez Cochran, a Spanish girl, but a recent resident of New York, and Horace P. Conrad, of this city. The date of the ceremony was January 29 and, except to a few intimate friends, the wedding announcement will come as a surprise. The bride's mother, in particular, will be astonished. She lives at the family house, Castle Carmentinza, a short distance from Madrid, Spaint.

The young couple first met at a Bellevue-Srtatford dinner party a few weeks ago. Miss Cochran, who had been sent by her parents to New York to acquire an English education, her father being a native of this country, came to this city for a brief visit to a school friend. A bevy of young society people, including Mr. Conrad, were asked to meet her at the dinner party.

The father of the bride, a New Yorker, went to Spaint years ago on a commercial mission, and married Anita de Acosta, a celebrated beauty. The daughter lived at 11 West Forty-fifth street, New York, while attending a school in that city. The bridegroom, a son of Dr. T. E. Conrad, of 1855 North Seventeenth street, is a member of the Bachelors' Barge Club and Troop A.

CHURCH TIMES SUPPRESSED.

Profane Printers Used Wicked Jokes to Fill Up Religious Paper.

Milwaukee, Feb. 9.—The Church Times, the official organ of the Episcopal Diocese of Milwaukee, published by Canon C. B. B. Wright, of the cathedral, has been suppressed for a month, all because a facetious or careless printer was not particular as to the class of "filler" used to chink up columns unfilled by notices of church fast days, editorials, and by eulogies of the late Bishop Nicholson.

The number due for February was to be one of tribute to Bishop Nicholson, but when the horrified editors saw pages of church news interspersed with profane jokes, stories of race track betting, and the like, it was decided to condemn the issue, and not a copy was issued to the subscribers.

For example, here is one joke that appears in the same colump with a tribute to Bishop Nicholson:

"Pa," said little Tommy, "my Sunday-school teacher says if I'm good I'll go to heaven."

"Well?" asked pa.

"Well, you said if I was good I'd go to the circus; now I want to know who's lyin'—you or her."

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OSCAR P. PHILPOTT, Administrator, C. T. A.

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ESTATE OF JOHN T. JONES, Deceased. Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the application of the undersigned, administrator of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscriber under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the twenty-fifth day of January, 1907, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber.

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PERSONAL.

William Cain, of this city, has been visiting his mother in Raritan.

Mrs. Thomas A. Cuming, of Fairview avenue, is spending a few days at Stelton.

Miss Sadie Lee, of Somerville, has been the guest of Plainfield friends for several days.

Samuel P. Crouse, of Somerville, has returned home after a visit with his son in this city.

Frederick J. Pope, of Watchung avenue, is visiting his brother, Stuart Pope, of Tarrytown, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Herbert, of Marlboro, are visiting Dr. F. C. Herbert, of East Second street.

Mrs. Emma Matthews, of this city, has returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Fisher, of New Germantown.

Miss Nellie Brown, of Dunellen, has been spending a few days with her cousin, Miss Pauline Denton, of Washington avenue.

Captain Winn, of the Jackson building, who has been detained at home during the past two weeks by illness, is slowly improving.

William E. Lowe, of Park avenue, has leased his property to R. F. Brown, of East Orange, and will make his home in New York.

Miss Mabel Hamilton, of Fairview avenue, arranged a pleasant sleighing party on Thursday night. The young folks went to Garwood.

Dr. A. H. Dundon, of Somerset street, who has been detained at home by illness for several days, is able to resume his practice again.

Mr. and Mrs. William Voorhees, of Jacksonville, Florida, who have been visiting in this city and vicinity, have gone to Peoria, Ill., for a visit.

William A. Woodruff, of East Second street, who has been detained at home with an attack of the grip, has about recovered and able to attend to business again.

Mayor Charles J. Fisk is so much improved from a severe attack of the grip that he is now able to be about the house. He expects to be out the first part of next week.

Letter-carrier Pierson, who fell on the ice a couple of weeks ago and fractured several bones in his right hand, is improving. The hand is in splints and it will be some time before he will regain the use of it. Substitute Carrier Legg is carrying his route.

POINTS FOR THE BUYERS

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COLLECTING "CUSS" WORDS.

Police Corralling Choice Brand Used By Youth.

Atlantic City, Feb. 9.—The police are making a special collection of "cuss" words used by 12-year-old Paul Dell, under an order from Judge Higbee, of the Juvenile Court, before whom the lad was arraigned for contaminating the entire school by language that would make a pirate or mule driver envious. The principal of the school asserted that the boy was too tough for him, but could give no exact examples of the lad's pet profanity, and the boy refused to give the court a sample of his ability.

"The court must have testimony that is entirely legal," declared the Judge, who ordered that the police make a tour of the school and either get affidavits from the boy's teachers concerning his bad language or bring them into court. Some of the teachers visited today blushingly refused to repeat some of the strenuous oaths of the young incorrigible, and others say they will resign before they will go on the stand as witnesses if they are compelled to repeat young Dell's language in public.

KINDNESS WORTH $35,000.

Nephew Rewarded for Attention Paid to Recluse.

Atlantic City, Feb. 9.—Relatives of Daniel F. Hayden, an aged recluse, who died in July last and willed a bundle of $35,000 in gilt edged mortgages, hidden in his cabin, to a favorite nephew in Stroudsburg, Pa., have started a fight to get a share of the money. Hayden lived in a cabin, and when his will, leaving his possessions to Benjamin F. Hayden, the nephew, was found, others in the family looked on the matter as a joke.

When the cabin was searched, however, the fortune was found. Hayden had accumulated the money by careful saving and investment and having no faith in banks, hid the money. The objectors to the will claim that the old man was unduly influenced by the kindness of the favorite nephew.

APPROVE OF BRIDGES OVER THE HUDSON RIVER

COMMISSION SO REPORTS TO STATE LEGISLATURE.

New York, Feb. 9.—The New York Interstate Bridge Commission, consisting of McDougall Hawkes, Emanuel W. Bloomingdale and Alexander Shamberg, which, in conjunction with representatives from New Jersey, have been studying the problem of uniting this city and New Jersey by bridges, has completed its investigations and sent its report to the Legislature. The commission has had frequent conferences with the New Jersey representatives, Messrs. George T. Werts, Victor L. Mason and James F. Minturn.

The report says that there "appears to be no doubt whatever of the practicability of the construction of one or more bridges across the Hudson, so far as the engineering proposition is concerned," and that the cost of constructing a bridge and anchorages within the limits of Fourteenth and Seventy-second streets, Manhattan, would not be less than $25,000,000, and might easily run to $35,000,000.

The commission is of the opinion that a Manhattan terminal between Fourteenth and Seventy-second streets "would best serve the purpose for a bridge which would come within the scope of the organic act of your commission, and that in view of the large space needed for terminals, if they were to include transcontinental trunk line, passenger and freight traffic, the bridge should be primarily for vehicles, foot passengers and trolley lines, rather than for the trunk lines; the trolley lines including, however, a high power line crossing and connecting all the trunk lines in New Jersey at one or more points in the rear of the bluff parallel to the Hudson, where such connections would be the most convenient, providing for such high power trolley line a union passenger station in Manhattan, where tickets could be sold and baggage checked for points on the trunk lines with which this trolley line would connect."

On the ground that the borough of Richmond is a part of the city of New York, the commission says it considers recommendations for bridging the ills within its jurisdiction, and says it finds after study of the question that there are two points at which Staten Island could be, with great advantage both to Staten Island and New Jersey, connected by swing or lift drawbridges, with the New Jersey shore; the first point is from Port Richmond to Bergen Point, which, with a bridge to Manhattan across the Hudson from Hudson county, New Jersey, would furnish land communication from Staten Island to the centre of Greater New York; the second point is from the end of the trans-Staten Island Boulevard, Howland Hook, to Elizabethport, which would furnish at that point, Elizabeth, connections from the Staten Island water front to various trunk lines terminating on the New Jersey shore of the Hudson, opposite Manhattan, as they pass through Elizabeth.

WEST HUDSON ADDS HER KICK.

Will Join Newark Delegation to Protest Kean Bill.

The West Hudson County Board of Trade, at its meeting last night, passed resolutions denouncing the bill introduced by United States Senator Kean to close the drawbridges over the Passaic and Hackensack rivers during certain hours each day, to allow the passing of trains, and a committee was appointed to visit Washington today, in conjunction with the Newark Board of Trade, and attend the hearing to be given the bill.

The proposed legislation was denounced as an attempt on the part of the railroads to strangle the river freight traffic.

The discussion on the resolution developed into a talk on the various phases of the passenger traffic on the several railroads, and a comparison was made by the Rev. Roland S. Dawson, pastor of the Knox Presbyterian church, of Kearny, who, in speaking of the travel on the Lackawanna Railroad during the morning hours, said:

"The 7 o'clock train is used by the 'works,' the 8 o'clock train by the 'clerks' the 9 o'clock train by the 'shirks' and the 10 o'clock train by the 'flirts.'"

ALIVE WITH BROKEN BACK.

Victim of Long Branch Crossing Accident Recovering.

Long Branch, Feb. 9.—Stewart H. Sherman, the companion of Miss Bertha Gootheil, who was killed at the grade crossing accident Wednesday morning, is still alive today, although his back is broken. The case is a puzzling one to the physicians, who say that in spite of the cheerfulness of the injured man, his death is liable to occur at any moment. He does not know of Miss Gootheil's death or of the seriousness of his own injuries.

The funeral of Miss Gootheil will take place at the First Reformed church here tomorrow morning. The Rev. John Froschl will officiate.

Mrs. Winfield S. Angleman, who has been detained at home by illness for nearly three months, has not been so well during the past week.

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DELIGHTFUL FINALE TO CONCERT SERIES

LAST OF THE NUMBER PROVES TO BE OF EXCEPTIONALLY ORDER.

The concert at the Casino last evening the last of the McIntyre Chamber music series was a highly enjoyable and altogether brilliant musical and social occasion. The audience was large and unusually enthusiastic. The concert itself was of the high quality established by these affairs, and maintains the record of artistic effort and discrimination in taste as to quality and kind of music performed as heretofore shown in the programmes.

The noble and beautiful trio of Schuberts, the one of two which this master wrote for these instruments and considered by authorities to be one of the masterpieces in this particular class of composition, was the first number. After each part of which the performers were compelled to acknowledge the appreciating plaudits of the audience.

The singer of this occasion was Mrs. Viola Waterhouse, of New York, an artist who enjoys a fine reputation among the prominent artists of the metropolis. She sang in her first number Elsa's Dream from "Lohengrin," showing her beautiful voice to delightful advantage, and responded to an encore by giving Dr. Arne's "The Lass With the Delicate Air." She also sang a group of songs on the second half of the concert in a charming manner.

Mr. McIntyre was heard at this concert as soloist, giving Mozkowski's Caprice Espagnal with great delicacy and brillance. His reception can leave no doubt as to the place he occupies as a favorite with his hearers. He was recalled several times and forced to respond to an encore. These concerts have been a source of delight to the music lovers of Plainfield and reflect great credit on the city that they are meeting with such unqualified appreciation and hearty support. Much thanks to Mr. McIntyre for his splendid efforts and artistic results. He will continue his concerts next year and we trust with ever growing success.

PERSONAL.

Miss Ayune MacCready, of New York, formerly of Fanwood, has been visiting friends in town.

Miss Holton, of Grove street, is spending the winter in Florida, having left town in December.

Mrs. Dudley S. Miller, of Orchard place, who has been detained at home by illness, is able to be out again.

Miss Anderson, of Germantown, Pa., is a guest at the home of Mrs. David Moore, of Watchung avenue.

Mrs. Frank Bennett, of Gloucester, Mass., is visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. John Clapp, of Mercer avenue.

Harry K. Lister, of North avenue, who has been detained at home during the past two weeks with grip, is much improved.

Mrs. Sophia Denckla, of Fairview avenue, has returned from a ten days' visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Sander, of Passaic, N. J.

One of the speakers at the annual banquet of the University Club of Hudson County, held Wednesday night at the Jersey City Club, was McCready Sykes, of New York, formerly of Fanwood, his toast being "University Clubs."

California's Destroyed Churches.

Rev. Theodore Haysham, Ph. D., will deliver an address at the First Baptist church tomorrow morning on "The Destroyed Church of California." In the evening, the pastor, Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss, will preach.

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LENTEN RULES TO BE OBSERVED BY THE DIOCESE

SPECIAL INDULT HAS BEEN EXTENDED BY THE POPE.

In the regulations for the Lenten season to be observed in the Catholic Diocese, which includes Plainfield, this year the special indult granted by the late Pope Leo XIII. for ten years has been extended by Pope Pius X., and bishops are empowered to vary from the common law of abstinence when they judge expedient. Bishop O'Connor, therefore, permits working people who cannot easily abstain from flesh meat to use it once a day on all abstinence days with exceptions as shown in rule eight of the regulations as follows:

"All the week days of Lent from Ash Wednesday to Easter Sunday are fast days of precept on one meal, with the allowance of a moderate collation in the evening.

"The church excuses from the obligation of fasting, but not of abstinence from flesh meat, except in special cases of sickness, the infirm, those who are attaining their growth, those whose duties are of an exhausting or laborious character, women bearing or nursing infants, and those who are enfeebled by old age.

"The following dispensations are granted for this diocese:

"The use of flesh is permitted at eery meal on the Sundays of Lent, and at the principal meal on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, with the exception of Ember Saturday and Holy Saturday.

"The use of eggs and milk, butter, cheese and the like is allowed every day at the principal meal, and at the evening collation.

"A small piece of bread with a cup of coffee, tea, chocolate, or similar drink, may be taken in the morning.

"When it is not convenient to take the principal meal at noon, it is lawful to invert the order, and take the collation in the morning and the dinner in the evening.

"Dripping and lard may be used in the preparation of food.

"On Sunday there is neither fast nor abstinence, but it is not allowed to eat fish and flesh meat at the same meal on any day during Lent.

"Those who are not obliged to fast may partake of flesh meat at every meal on a day when, by special indult, flesh meat is permitted at the principal meal.

"Working people who cannot easily abstain from flesh meat are permitted to use it once a day on all abstinence days throughout the year, with the exception, however, of all Fridays, Ash Wednesday, Wednesday and Saturday of Holy Week, and the vigil of Christmas.

"This dispensation is granted to working people, and the members of their families share in it, but it does not exempt from fasting where such an obligation exists, nor does it permit the use of fish and flesh meat at the same meal.

"When the faithful avail themselves of this indult they should perform some penitential work as a substitute for the dispensation enjoyed. A most useful and commendable custom is that of abstaining, especially during Lent, from stimulants, in honor of the sacred thirst of our Divine Saviour.

"All priests exercising the faculties of this diocese are empowered to grant dispensations from the precept of fast and abstinence in particular cases and for sufficient cause.

"A plenary indulgence has been conceded by the Holy See to all the faithful of this diocese, who, on the feast of St. Patrick, or within the octave, receive with proper dispositions the sacrement of penance and the blessed eucharist, and visiting a church or chapel, offer prayers to God according to the intention of the holy father and for the propagation of the faith.

"The holy oils will be consecrated at the cathedral on Holy Thursday, March 28, at 10 a. m., and distributed at 2 p. m.

"In accordance with the direction of the third plenary council of Baltimore, a collation will be taken up in all the churches of this diocese on the first Sunday in Lent in aid of the propagation of the faith and of the Indian and colored missions.

"With the view to encouraging this salutary work of mercy, and of animating the Christian zeal of the faithful for the salvation of perishing souls, our holy father has benignly granted a plenary indulgence to all who having contritely confessed and worthily received holy communion on that day, devoutly visit a church in which the collection is made, assist at the sermon and the other observances of divine worship that may be celebrated on that occasion, and offer prayers for the propagation of the faith and the intention of the sovereign pontiff."

—The Sagamore Musical Club will hold its second annual entertainment at the Casino on Monday evening, February 18. This organization is composed of young men who have played together for the last four years. Under the leadership of William VanEps the club has met with fine success this season and promise to give an even better entertainment than the one last year. The club will be assisted by Miss Aimee Emmons, reader; Malcolm Shackelford, humorist, and Fred VanEps, banjoist.

Miss Ethel Clarkson, of Orchard place, has recovered from an attack of the grip.

Saturday Specials

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Women's Fancy Outing Flannel Skirts at.....29c
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Children's Angora Tam-o-shanter Hats, regular price 50c and 75c, now at.....39c each

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The Girl and the Governor.

The Jefferson De Angelis Opera Company, under Frank McKee's direction, opens at the Manhattan theatre Monday night in "The Girl and the Governor," which has achieved out of town success for the past three months. This house has not offered a musical show since the famous all season run of Anna Held in "Papa's Wife." Julian Edwards is the composer and S. M. Brenner the librettist of "The Girl and the Governor," which is a return to the legitimate and wholesome comic opera style, elbowed aside by flippant musical comedy frivolity. The period is the sixteenth century and the story that of a foppish Spanish governor at a South American port, who is eluded by the clever, quick witted English girl whom he has taken captive and wishes to marry. He employs as her official tamer, her own sweetheart, a dashing sailor of her own country and is fooled by the pair after no end of comic complication. Among the twenty odd song hits are a droll serenade by seven sighing lovers who have assembled quite accidentally; De Angelis' topical songs "In the Land of the Free" and "Did You Ever Hear It Told That Way Before?" "The Amorous Pigeon," and a quaint ditty "The Musical Bullfrog" sung by the Indian medicine man and his tribal followers. The company has been selected with a view to singing strength. There are seventy people, including Estelle Wentworth, Anna Boyd, Lillian Rhoades, Richie Ling, Roland Carter, Arthur Barry, Andrew Bryant and the buffo-basso J. C. Miron, who personates Tamanee, the Indian fakir. The scenes show a part overlooking the harbor of La Guayra, Donna Isabella's garden and a banquet room in the governor's palace.

The Great Divide.

"The Great Divide's" remarkable success at the Princes theatre, New York, with Margaret Anglin and Henry Miller as joint stars, continues unabated. No other drama in years has been hailed with such acclaim as that with which this stirring play by William Vaugh Moody has met. The mere fact that it will last this entire season, and probably all of next, in New York, is not the real proof of its qualities. "The Great Divide" presents that curious phenomenon—a big popular success which is at the same time an artistic success. The two do not usually go together. It not only has all the features of absorbing entertainment, but it also possesses an inherent merit which pronounces it an epoch making play. "A new mark in American drama" is the way in which the New York Sun speaks of it, while the New York Evening Mail declares that it is the "long awaited 'Great American Play.'" The Evening World focussed public and critical opinion when it said, "In 'The Great Divide' the little Princess theatre is holding one of the biggest plays in years." Miss Anglin again proves her right to be ranked as the leading American emotional actress, and Mr. Miller has all the more strongly entrenched himself in the forefront of American actors. Mr. Miller has won a double triumph in "The Great Divide," for, besides acting in the play, he is also its producer and manager. Seats for "The Great Divide" may be reserved by mail eight weeks in advance. Tickets for four weeks are constantly on sale at the box office. An extra matinee is announced for Lincoln's Birthday.

W. W. Springman Buried.

The funeral of W. W. Springman, former owner of the barber shop on Somerset street now conducted by Lafayette Rosenstiehl, was held last night from his late home on East 124th street, New York. A delegation of members from Plainfield Lodge, I. O. O. F., including Noble Grand W. Rudy, Vice Grand William Trembath, Secretary John Williams and Roy Woolley attended the service. The dead man is survived by his wife and a grown daughter.

Fun and Mystery.

The amusement loving public will have an opportunity to enjoy an afternoon of fun and mystery in the Y. M. C. A. Hall, Tuesday afternoon, February 12, at 3:30 o'clock, when Miss May Colyer, of New York, impersonator, and H. Warren Rankin, magician, will appear.

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SUNDAY IN THE CHURCHES

Baptist.

First—Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss, pastor—10:30, preaching; 3:00, Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching.

Park Avenue—Rev. A. E. Finn, pastor—10:30, subject, "The Man We Want;" 2:45, Bible school; 7:45, evangelistic service, subject, "A Famous Quartette."

Faith chapel—Rev. J. W. Musson, pastor—10:45, subject, "The Winning of An Early Disciple;" 2:30, Sunday-school; 3:00, Baraca Class; 7:00, Christian Endeavor; 7:45, subject, "Achan's Sin."

Mt. Olive Baptist—Rev. A. M. Alexander, pastor—11:00, preaching; 2:00, Sunday-school; 7:30, preaching.

Calvary Baptist—Rev. G. W. Bailey, pastor—1:30, preaching; 3:30, Sunday-school; 6:30, missionary meeting; 7:45, preaching.

Ebenezer—Rev. P. T. Morris, pastor—11:00, subject, "Love One Another;" 3:00, Sunday-school; 7:45, subject, "Stand Fast in the Faith."

Reformed.

Trinity—Rev. Dr. Cornelius Schenck, pastor—10:30, preaching by Rev. E. P. Johnson, D. D., of New Brunswick, subject, "The Test of True Greatness;" 2:30, Sunday-school; 6:45, Y. P. S. C. E.; 7:45, preaching by Mr. Johnson, subject, "The Good Fight of Faith."

German—Rev. C. H. Schneegas, pastor—10:45, preaching in German; 8:00, preaching by pastor in English.

Marconnier chapel—Rev. J. Tucker Lansdale, pastor—11:00, preaching; 3:00, Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching.

Presbyterian.

First Presbyterian—Rev. Charles E. Herring, pastor—10:00, preaching; 11:00, Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching.

Crescent Avenue—Rev. Dr. John Sheridan Zelie, pastor—10:30, preaching; 7:45, preaching.

Hope chapel—Rev. L. R. Howard, pastor—Services 10:30 and 8:00, preaching.

Warren chapel—Rev. J. O. McKelvey, pastor—10:30 a. m., preaching; Sunday-school at 2:30; regular evening service at 8:00 p. m.

Bethel chapel—Rev. F. D. Tildon, pastor—Services 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Episcopal.

Grace church—Rector, Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson; rector-emeritus, Rev. E. M. Rodman—7:30 a. m., holy communion; 10:30, holy communion and sermon; 3:00, Sunday-school; 4:15, organ recital; 4:45, evening prayer.

Mission Church of the Heavenly Rest—Rev. Charles L. Short, rector—9:45, Sunday-school; 11, morning service.

St. Stephen's—Aev. Arthur S. Peck, pastor—7:30, low celebration; 9:45, Sunday-school; 11:00, matins, litany and sermon; 4:00, evensong.

Holy Cross—Rector, Rev. George A. Warner—7:30 a. m., holy communion; 9:45 a. m., Sunday-school meets in parish house (except first Sunday in the month); 10:00 a. m., rector's Bible class for young men and women in the parish house; 11:00 a. m., morning prayer and sermon (except first Sunday in month); 7:45 p. m., evensong and sermon.

Grace Church Colored Mission—Rev. E. E. Miller, curate—11:00 a. m., morning prayer and sermon; 8:00 p. m., evensong and sermon.

Methodist Episcopal.

First—Rev. A. C. McCrea, pastor—10:30, sermon by pastor; 12:00, Sunday-school; 7:00, Epworth League; topic, "The Blessings of Helpfulness;" leader, Mrs. David Dunavan; 7:45, subject, "A Question of Conscience," second in a series for young folks.

Grace M. E.—Rev. Charles Wesley Parsons, pastor—10:30, preaching, fifteenth anniversary of the church, Rev. Herbert Randolph; 2:30, Sunday-school, addresses by William J. Conroy and Miss Nettie Beeching; 6:45, Epworth League; 7:45, addresses by Dr. H. K. Carroll, S. S. Swackhamer, Esq., and Dr. Parsons.

Monroe Avenue M. E.—Rev. Dr. E. E. Roberson, pastor—11:00, preaching; 7:15, Epworth League; 8:00, preaching.

Mt. Zion A. M. E.—Rev. H. C. Ashley, pastor—11:00, preaching; 3:00, Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching.

Roman Catholics.

St. Mary's—Rev. Bernard M. Bogan, rector—Masses, 6:30, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school at 2:30; vespers at 3:30.

St. Joseph's—Rev. William H. Miller, rector—Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 3:00; benediction of the blessed sacrament at 3:30.

Congregational.

Congregational church—Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor—10:30, preaching; 12:00, Sunday-school; 7:30, Christian Endeavor.

Swedish Evangelical Pilbrim church—Rev. Theodore Englund, pastor—10:30, preaching; 4:00, Young People's meeting; 8:00, preaching service.

Friends.

Meeting house, Watchung avenue and Third street—Meeting First-day at 11:00 a. m.

Unitarian.

All Souls'—Rev. A. C. Nickerson, pastor—10:30, preaching 12:00, Sunday-school.

Lutheran.

German Lutheran—Swedish service, 8 p. m., preaching.

St. Peter's German Lutheran—Rev. J. Duerschner, pastor—Grove street—9:30, Sunday-school; 10:30, preaching, service in German; 4:30, Cathetical Instruction; 8:00, preaching in Swedish.

Christian Science.

Services 11 a. m., in room 323, Babcock building.

Disciples of Christ.

Christian Church—Rev. Phil A. Parsons, pastor—11:00, Prayer and communion; 2:30, Sunday-school; 7:45, subject, "Who Art Thou, Lord?"

Not Classified.

Gospel Mission, East Front street and Bank place—7:30 p. m.

Grove Street Rescue Mission—4:00.

W. C. T. U.—4:00, J. W. Gavett will lead.

Y. M. C. A.—4:00.

Salvation Army—11:00, Holiness meeting; 3:00, Sunday-school; 8:00, Salvation meeting.

Hunter Avenue Tabernacle (C. E. Union)—3:00, Sunday-school.

NEWS IN THE SUBURBS

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

The regular services at the Baptist church will be conducted by the pastor as follows: 10:30 a. m., subject, "Present in the Mind the Absent in the Body;" 7:45 p. m., subject, "The Light of the Body Is the Eye." Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m., topic will be, "Noah," leader, Miss Nellie B. Manning.

Almost all the money needed for the electric lights to be put in the Baptist church has been collected and they will be installted within the next few weeks. Mrs. Attlee and Mrs. Allen have done c reditable work and deserve a vote of thanks for their good work.

The members of the Young People's Club enjoyed a sleighride last evening. Their trip took in Plainfield, Westfield, Fanwood, Scotch Plains and last South Plainfield.

As Tuesday of next week is Lincoln's Birthday, all the local schools will be closed.

Mrs. Milton Major has returned from Newark after a visit with relatives there.

Mr. and Mrs. Klinger, of Newark, are visiting relatives here.

(Additional suburban news on page 2).

Planning Second Subscription Opera.

The Plainfield Operatic Association will meet Monday night and receive a financial report concerning the performance of "The Chimes of Normandy." Arrangements will also be made for commencing the rehearsals for "H. M. S. Pinafore," to be given at the Casino on May 2. This will be the second subscription performance.

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CHARITIES AID FAVORS CIVIL SERVICE MEASURE.

Approve the Bill Which Is Fathered By Senator Everett Colby.

The members of the States Charities Aid Association of New Jersey are working hard to secure the passage of the civil service bill fathered by State Senator Everett Colby which provides for the appointment of a commission by the Governor for the examination under civil service rules of all State and county employes.

Another civil service bill, introduced by Assemblyman Thompson, of Mercer county, provides for the appointment of a commission by the Chief Justice and removal for cause by the Governor. This transfer of jurisdiction is believed to be one of the principal objections against the Thompson bill by the State Charities Aid Association. In addition to this the bill is held objectionable because it provides for a civil service examination for all officials of State institutions and leaves such an examination open to the choice of the people through a referendum vote in the case of county institutions, where civil service regulations are most needed.

Senator Colby's bill provides for the approval of the appointments by the Senate, and leaves their removal for cause in the hands of the Governor.

The State Charities Aid is looking also for the passage of a bill that will put the supervision of all children placed in this State by societies or individuals from other States into the hands of the Commissioner of Charities and Corrections, and provide for a bond of $1,000 from all such societies for their adherence to all of the laws of the State.

Every One Raised But the Chief.

Montclair, Feb. 9.—The salary of Montclair police officers has bee increased by the Town Council. The one exception is the chief of police, whose salary will remain at $1,500. A peculiar ruling was made by Robert M. Boyd, Jr., the town attorney, in considering a proposition to raise Chief Gallagher's salary to $1,800. He held that the chief was a town officer. Under the provisions of the town charter "no town officer shall have his salary increased during his term of office," the town attorney ruled that the chief's term of office was indefinite and that it would be illegal to give him an increase.

Editor To Preach.

Dr. James M. Whiton, of the editorial staff of "The Outlook," will preach the All Souls' church tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock, in the absence of the pastor, Rev. A. C. Nickerson, who is one of the preachers chosen by the "State Conference of Charities and Corrections" to preach in Paterson tomorrow morning. The conference opens there in the Lyceum theatre tomorrow afternoon. Dr. Whiton's subject is "Self Realization."

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ARMSTRONG—At her late residence, Prospect place, North Plainfield, on Saturday, Feb. 9, 1907, Ellen, wife of James Armstrong.

Funeral private.

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Help Wanted.

CHAMBERMAIDS wanted at once; $25 per month; also kitchenmaids and waitresses. Swedish Intelligence Office, 22 Somerset place. 2 9 2

WANTED—An experienced saleswoman for millinery; a permanent and excellent position for a capable person. Apply to Bonn's millinery store. 2 9 3

WANTED—Tutor for evening lessons in German. Answer stating terms and experience, X. Y. Z., care Daily Press. 2 9 tf

WANTED—Young white girl to assist with housework and care of baby; references required. Mrs. Case, 917 Madison Ave. 2 7 3

GIRL wanted for general housework; no washing. 129 Grove, corner Park place. 2 6 tf

FIRST-CLASS patternmaker wanted on machine work. Apply Watson Stillman Co., Aldene, N. J. 2 6 4

WANTED—A nurse. 915 Hillside avenue. 1 26 tf

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at once at Mrs. Keller's Intelligence Office, 22 Somerset place. 12 29 tf

WANTED—White girl for general housework; no washing. Call afternoons, 955 West Sixth St. 1 24 tf

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. 678 West Seventh street. 2 4 tf

MACHINISTS—First class vise, lathe and boring mill hands wanted at the Watson Stillman Co., Aldene, N. J. 2 4 12

WANTED—Man around 50 years old to look after our trade in this county; special inducements; permanent. C. R. Burr & Co., Nurserymen, Hartford, Conn. 2 8 3

WANTED—Large first-class house of twenty-five years' standing, manufacturing staple line of goods in constant daily use, wants good man to manage branch wholesale business; salary $1,800 per year and all expenses, payable monthly; also extra commissions, which should amount to more than the salary; applicant must furnish good references and $1,000 cash, which is satisfactorily secured. Address, President, 612 South Sixth St., St. Louis, Mo. 2 2 2s

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Call 113 Park place, corner Mercer avenue. 2 8 3

WANTED—White girl for general housework in family of three; no washing. 329 Franklin place. 2 7 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework; in family of two. Apply 62 Westervelt Ave. 2 7 3

Help Wanted.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework; no washing or ironing; references required. Mrs. William Taylor, 814 Kensington avenue. 2 8 2

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at once at Mrs. Day's Intelligence Office, South Plainfield, N. J. 2 9 tf

WANTED—Experienced girl for dressmaking; also apprentice. Call after 7 p. m., 234 East Fifth St. 2 8 2

WANTED—FIFTY EXTRA MEN. NATURAL ICE CO. 2 8 2

WANTED — Experienced cook; white; reference required. Apply 1060 Central Ave. 2 4 tf

GIRL wanted to cook, wash and iron; references required. Apply 526 West Seventh St. 1 29 tf

WANTED—Good cook, white; references. Call 441 West 8th street. 1 4 tf

Rooms and Board.

COMFORTABLE, well heated rooms, with excellent board; also table board; evening dinners a specialty. For terms call or address Mrs. A. L. Waldorf, 132 and 134 Crescent Ave. 2 8 tf

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FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping; all conveniences; moderate rent. 445 Orchard place. 2 8 tf

TWO large rooms to rent with board; five minutes' walk to station. Mrs. Barrien, 110 East Fifth St. 2 8 tf

TO LET—Furnished house, ten rooms and bath; all improvements; central location. E. L. Adams, 104 East Ninth street. 2 4 3

FURNISHED rooms for gentlemen in refined neighborhood. 402 Grant avenue. 12 6 tf

GOOD accommodations; low rates. Boyce's Hotel, 97 Somerset St. tf

Chickens and Eggs.

FOR SALE—Two pens of thoroughbred fowls, 1 of 17 Barred Plymouth Rocks, Hawkins and Bradley's strain; 1 of 8 White Plymouth Rocks, Chambers' strain; no finer. W. M. Demler, Watchung, N. J.

FOR SALE—One Cyphers incubator and three out-door brooders practically new. Address G. G., care Press. 2 2 tf

BLACK ORPINGTON COCKERELS AND PULLETS—A few choice ones for sale; fine shape and color; good enough to show; brothers to first prize winners at the late large shows; write for prices; eggs $5 per setting. Oak Tree Poultry and Game Farm, Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J. 1 21 tf

Wanted—Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Loan of $7,000 on fine property; buildings alone cost $14,000. Address Mortgage Loan, care Press. 2 8 2

WANTED—House 8 rooms, all improvements; convenient to North Avenue or Grant Avenue stations; cash price $4,000 to $4,500. Address F. P. K., care Daily Press. 2 4 6

WILL care for good horse for the winter for use of same. Address Good Care, care Press. 10 6 tf

UPRIGHT piano wanted cheap for cash; any condition. Address Box 605, Plainfield. 11 8 tf

Situations Wanted.

SWEDISH girl would like position with small family. Call at 454 West Fourth St., City. 2 8 2

POLISH girl wants position to do general housework. Call 941 West Third street.

WHITE woman would like position at general housework. Call 213 West Front street. 2 8 2

WANTED—Position as bookkeeper or cashier by experienced young lady. Address M., care Press. 2 7 3

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FOR SALE—Fine new 10-room house situate on a high terraced lot, 100x250, in the best section of Netherwood; hard wood floors and trim; 2 tiled bath rooms, 3 fireplaces, steam heat; occupancy April 1; will finish to suit purchaser. Plans can be seen at the office of William H. Abbott, 163 North avenue; also have plans for several houses which I am erecting in other parts of the city; prices from $7,500 to $12,000. 1 29 1m

ASK Manning or McIntyre, 163 North avenue, to show you the plans of the two new houses they are building on West Eighth street; each house contains 11 rooms, three baths, with every modern improvement; open sanitary plumbing, tiled bath rooms, steam heat, large open fire-places, hardwood floors and cabinet trim; large porch, lot 100x240; numerous shade trees and nearly opposite the beautiful residence of Mr Robert Rushmore and adjoining the house of Elliot T. Barrows. 1 31 1m

THOSE desiring to own a farm should consult one who has been selling farms for years, and he is yours truly, William Henry Rogers, 136 Park avenue, Plainfield; telephone 44. tf

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For Rent.

TO LET—Three large office rooms, steam heated; suitable for dental parlors or lawyer's offices at No. 202 West Front street. Enquire of John P. Emmons, 197 North Ave. 2 9 3

SIX-ROOM house on Somerset place for sale cheap. Inquire 68 Westervelt Ave. 2 9 tf

TO LET—April 1, house and store with city water; West End; rent $20. U. B. Crane. 1 26 4 s

THREE-ROOM apartment to let, centrally located; rent $10. E. M. French, 171 North Ave. 2 5 tf

TO LET—Large, new store, No. 407 Watchung avenue. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin building. 9 24 tf

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Lost and Found.

LOST—Saturday morning, February 9, a Penny Provident Bank Book, No. 78, owner, Dorothy Thornton. Finder kindly leave at Press office.

LOST—Waterman's Ideal Fountain Pen. Reward Miller's Pharmacy, Park avenue, Fourth St.

LOST—In Woodhull & Martin's or between there and Peck's, pair of eye glasses, gold bowed. Please leave at Press office. 2 9 2

LOST—Yesterday afternoon, black ¾ coat, trimmed with black and white braid. Reward if left at this office or returned to 1018 Field avenue. 2 9 2

LOST—By poor woman, lady's black pocketbook, containing sum of money. Finder rewarded at this office.

LOST—Today, an automobile tire chain, from Spooner avenue and Seventh street to Plainfield station. Reward at Daily Press office.

LOST—Lady's pocketbook on Front street. Reward if left at this office. 2 8 2

LOST—Wednesday afternoon, a silver watch and black leather fob with gold G. G. monogram attached. Reward if returned to 313 Franklin place. 2 7 3

For Sale.

FOR SALE—New house on West Sixth street, near Monroe avenue; seven rooms and bath; butler's pantry and reception hall; extra toilet in cellar. Apply 222 Madison avenue, or 63 Summit avenue; telephone 396-L. 2 9 6

FOR SALE—Automobile, another fine side entrance Elmore touring car, black cape top, etc., new tires, new bearings, newly painted dark green, car looks, runs and is equal to new; guaranteed right; exceptional opportunity to quick buyer; $650. Thompson, 315 West Front. 2 9 3

FOR SALE—A fine lot between Park and Watchung avenues, on Second street. M. F. Gano, 221 Park avenue. 2 5 tf

FOR SALE—Party about to move, will sell 30 pair mated homer pigeons to highest bidder. Address R., care Press. 2 4 6

FOR SALE—Westfield hotel and several tracts of land, two stables, etc., adjoining. W. G. Peckham, Westfield.

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HORSE for sale. Call or address Lemuel A. Tunison, Mt. Horeb, P. O., Martinville, N. J. 2 2 12

TWO-SEATED light sleigh for sale. Apply at 740 Belvidere Ave. 2 5 5

FARM, 24 acres, for sale, near Somerville, on macadam road; good buildings. McNabb, lawyer, 209 North avenue. 1 28 1m

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He came to Dresden and procured the necessary license. He then secured the services of Squire W. W. House, a bosom friend of his, and posted him near the roadside where the wagon was to pass. At the hour of ten the wagon came rolling along, and sure enough the young woman was in it, sitting on the front seat between her two brothers. As it passed Grief came out of the bushes, halted it and reached for his sweetheart.

The brothers, seeing what was about to happen, whipped the mules, but Grief had taken the precaution to build a rail fence across the road just in front. He swung on the wagon with all his strength, and the team soon came to a standstill. He seized Miss Francis with both arms around the waist, while the brothers hung on to her feet, but like all lovers in such cases he pulled her loose, and they struck across the open field to find the justice. He was not very far away, and the knot was tied before you could say "Jack Robinson."

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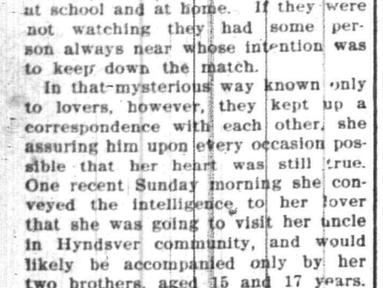

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might carry out his often-expressed desire to thrash the life out of both of them if ever this important event which had just occurred did occur, got in the justice's buggy and drove to his house for dinner, where they could at the same time have the protection of the law.

The boys in the meantime had gotten out of their notion to visit their uncle and had struck for home and told the story. Francis, finding his daughter had beaten him, rode one of the mules back, looking for the fleeing couple. He learned that they were at the justice's residence and called with the voice of a roaring lion.

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"Abner, after yer chores is done you jest put th' sheep in fold."

"Yes, zir," replied Ab, in his soprano drawl. Toward sundown the farmer, going around to see that everything was secure, heard the plaintive bleating of a lamb. He located the sound, and ran caross Ab with a ewe across his knee, doing his best to break it in two.

"Confound yer!" roared the farmer, "what yer doin'?"

Ab dropped the bleating lamb and staggered a few feet away from his irate master.

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In Old Egypt.

The camel express had come and gone and still Mark Anthony had not arrived.

"Four long months since he was here," sobbed Cleopatra, "and he promised to return in a few weeks. I wonder if anything has happened to him. Can it be possible—"

"Can what be possible, your majesty?" asked one of the court ladies.

The great queen turned deathly pale.

"Can—can it be possible that he smoked some of those Egyptian cigarettes he bought at the pyramids? If so, his doom is sealed."

Calling the swiftest Egyptian runner she dispatched him to Rome to find out the truth.

Awakening Him.

The honeymoon was over and the cupboard was bare.

"Don't worry, darling,' said the romantic husband, as he opened the piano; "remember, music is the food of love."

The practical little wife shook her head.

"But if you really think music is the food of love," she responded, "perhaps you can step around and get the butcher to give you a beefsteak for a mere song."

Then the long-haired genius woke up.

Representation Not Growing.

The first British parliament, consisting of its present number of members (670), was elected in 1885.

Two of Life's Tasks.

It takes us half our lives to learn who our friends are, and the other half to keep them.

We came out presently upon a gravelly beach, and Bates stamped suddenly on planking.

"This is the Glenarm dock, sir; and that's the boat house."

He waved his lantern toward a low structure that rose dark beside us. As we stood silent, peering out into the starlight, I heard distinctly the dip of a paddle and the soft gliding motion of a canoe.

"It's a boat, sir," whispered Bates, hiding the lantern under his coat.

I brushed past him and crept to the end of the dock. The paddle dipped on silently and evenly in the still water but the sound grew fainter. A canoe is the most graceful, the most sensitive, the most inexplicable contrivance of man. With its paddle you may dip up stars along quiet shores or steal into the very harbor of dreams. I knew that furtive splash instantly, and knew that a trained hand wielded the paddle. My boyhood summers in the Maine woods were not, I find, wholly wasted.

The owner of the canoe had evidently stolen close to the Glenarm dock, but had made off when alarmed by the noise of our approach through the wood.

"Have you a boat near here, Bates?" I asked.

"The boat house is locked and I haven't the key with me, sir," he replied, without excitement.

"Of course you haven't it," I rejoined, full of anger at his tone of irreproachable respect, and at my own helpfulness. I had not even seen the place by daylight, and the woodland behind me and the lake at my feet were things of shadow and mystery. In my rage I stamped my foot.

"Lead the way back," I roared.

I had turned toward the woodland when suddenly there stole across the water a voice,—a woman's voice, deep, musical and deliberate.

"Really, I shouldn't be so angry if I were you!" it said, with a lingering note on the word angry.

"Who are you? What are you doing there?" I bawled.

"Just enjoying a little tranquil thought!" was the drawling, mocking reply.

Far out upon the water I heard the dip and glide of the canoe, and saw faintly its outline for a moment; then it was gone. The lake, the surrounding wood, were an unknown world,—the canoe, a boat of dreams. Then again came the voice:

"Good night, merry gentlemen!"

"It was a lady, sir," remarked Bates, after we had waited silently for a full minute.

"How clever you are!" I sneered. "I suppose ladies prowl about here at night, shooting ducks or into people's houses."

"It would seem quite likely, sir."

I should have liked to cast him into the lake, but he was already moving away, the lantern swinging at his side. I followed him, back through the woodland to the house.

My spirits quickly responded to the cheering influence of the great library. I stirred the fire on the hearth into life and sat down before it, tired from my tramp. I was mystified and perplexed by the incident that had already marked my coming. It was possible, to be sure, that the bullet which narrowly missed my head in the little dining room had been a wild shot that carried no evil intent. I dismissed at once the idea that it might have been fired from the lake; it had crashed through the glass with too much force to have come so far; and, moreover, I could hardly imagine even a rifle ball finding an unimpeded right of way through so dense a strip of wood. I found it difficult to get rid of the idea that some one had taken a pot shot at me.

The woman's mocking voice from the lake added to my perplexity. It was not, I reflected, such a voice as one might expect to hear from a country girl; nor could I imagine any errand that would justify a woman's presence abroad on an October night whose cool air inspired first confidences with fire and lamp. There was something haunting in that last cry across the water; it kept repeating itself over and over in my ears. It was a voice of quality, of breeding and charm.

"Good night, merry gentlemen!"

In Indiana, I reflected, rustics, young or old, men or women, were probably not greatly given to salutations of just this temper.

Bates now appeared.

"Beg pardon, sir; but your room's ready whenever you wish to retire."

I looked about in search of a clock.

"There are no timepieces in the house, Mr. Glenarm. Your grandfather was quite opposed to them. He had a theory, sir, that they were conducive, as he said, to idleness. He considered that a man should work by his conscience, sir, and not by the clock,—the one being more exacting than the other."

I smiled as I drew out my watch,—as much at Bates' solemn tone and grim, lean visage as at his quotation from my grandsire. But the fellow puzzled and annoyed me. His unobtrusive black clothes, his smoothly-brushed hair, his shaven face, awakened an antagonism in me.

"Bates, if you didn't fire that shot through the window, who did—will you answer me that?"

"Yes, sir; if I didn't do it, it's quite a large question who did. I'll grant you that, sir."

I stared at him. He met my gaze without flinching; nor was there anything insolent in his tone or attitude. He continued:

"I didn't do it, sir. I was in the pantry when I heard the crash in the refectory window. The bullet came from out of doors, as I should judge, sir."

The facts and conclusions were undoubtedly with Bates, and I felt that I had not acquitted myself creditably in my effort to fix the crime on him. My abuse of him had been tactless, to say the least, and I now tried another line of attack.

"Of course, Bates, I was merely joking. What's your own theory of the matter?"

"I have no theory, sir. Mr. Glenarm always warned me against theories. He said—if you will pardon me—there was great danger in the speculative mind."

The man spoke with a slight Irish accent, which in itself puzzled me. I have always been attentive to the peculiarities of speech, and his was not the brogue of the Irish servant class. Larry Donovan, who was English born, affected at times an exaggerated Irish dialect that was wholly different from the smooth liquid tones of Bates. But more things than his speech were to puzzle me in this man.

"The person in the canoe? How do you account for her?" I asked.

"I haven't accounted for her, sir. There's no women on these grounds, or any sort of person except ourselves."

"But there are neighbors,—farmers, people of some kind must live along the lake."

"A few, sir; and then there's the school quite a bit beyond your own west wall."

His slight reference to my proprietorship, my own wall, as he put it, pleased me.

"Oh, yes; there is a school—girls?—yes: Mr. Pickering mentioned it. But the girls hardly paddle on the lake at night, at this season—hunting ducks—should you say, Bates?"

"I don't believe they do any shooting, Mr. Glenarm. It's a pretty strict school, I judge, sir, from all accounts."

"And the teachers—they are all women?"

"They're the Sisters of St. Agatha, I believe they call them. I sometimes see them walking abroad. They're very quiet neighbors, and they go away in the summer usually, except Sister Theresa. The school's her regular home, sir. And there's the little chapel just beyond the wall; the young minister lives there; and the gardener's the only other man on the grounds."

"Show me my cell," I said, rising, "and I'll go to bed."

He brought from somewhere a great brass candelabrum that held a dozen lights, and explained:

"This was Mr. Glenarm's habit. He always used this one to go to bed with. I'm sure he'd wish you to have it, sir."

He led the way, holding the cluster of lights high for my guidance up the broad stairway.

The hall above shared the generous lines of the whole house, but the walls were white and hard to the eye. Rough planks had been laid down for a floor, and beyond the light of the candles lay a dark region that gave out ghostly echoes as the loose boards rattled under our feet.

"I hope you'll not be too much disappointed, sir," said Bates, pausing a moment before opening a door. "It's all quite unfinished, but comfortable, I should say, quite comfortable."

"Open the door!"

He was not my host and I did not relish his apology. I walked past him into a small sitting-room that was, in a way, a miniature of the great library below. Open shelves filled with books lined the apartment to the ceiling on every hand, save where a small fireplace and a cabinet broke the line of shelving. In the center of the room was a long table with writing materials in nice order. I opened a handsome case and found that it contained a set of draftsman's instruments.

I groaned aloud.

"Mr. Glenarm preferred this room for working. The instruments were his very own, sir!"

"The devil they were!" I exclaimed, irascibly. I snatched a book from the nearest shelf and threw it open on the table. It was "The Tower: Its Early Use for Purposes of Defense. London: 1816."

I closed it with a slam.

"The sleeping-room is beyond, sir. I hope—"

"Don't you hope any more!" I growled; "and it doesn't make any difference whether I'm disappointed or not."

"Certainly not, sir!" he replied in a tone that made me ashamed of my anger.

The adjoining bedroom was small and meagerly furnished. The walls were untinted and were relieved only by prints of the English cathedrals, French chateaux, and like suggestions of the best things known to architecture. The bed was of the commonest iron type; and the other articles of furniture were chosen with a strict regard for utility. My trunks and bags had been carried in, and Bates asked my commands.

"Mr. Glenarm always breakfasted at seven-thirty, sir, as near as he could hit it without a timepiece; and he was quite punctual."

"My grandfather's breakfast hour will suit me exactly, Bates."

"If there's nothing further, sir—"

"That's all;—and Bates—"

"Yes, Mr. Glenarm."

"Of course you understand that I didn't really mean to imply that you had fired that shot at me?"

"I beg you not to mention it, Mr. Glenarm."

"But it was a little queer. If you should gain any light on the subject, let me know."

"Certainly, sir."

"And I believe, Bates, that we'd better keep the blinds down at night. These duck hunters hereabouts are apparently reckless. You might attend to them now,—and every evening hereafter."

He gravely bade me good night and I followed him to the outer door and watched his departing figure, lighted by a single candle that he had produced from his pocket.

I stood for several minutes listening to his step, tracing it through the hall below—as far as my knowledge of the house would permit. Then, in unknown regions, I could hear the closing of doors and drawing of bolts. Verily, my jailer was a person of painstaking habits.

I opened my traveling case and distributed its contents on the dressing table. I had carried through all my adventures a folding leather photograph holder, containing portraits of my father and mother and of John Marshall Glenarm, my grandfather, and this I set up on the mantel in the little sitting-room. It was with a new and curious interest that I peered into my grandfather's shrewd old eyes. He used to come and go fitfully at my father's house; but my father had displeased him in various ways that I need not recite, and my father's death had left me with an estrangement which I had widened by my own acts.

Now that I had reached Glenarm, my mind reverted to Pickering's estimate of the value of my grandfather's estate. Although John Marshall Glenarm was an eccentric man, he had been able to accumulate a large fortune; and yet I had tamely permitted the executor to tell me that he had died comparatively poor. In so readily accepting the terms of the will and burying myself in a region of which I knew nothing, I had cut myself off from the usual channels of counsel. If I left the place to return to New York I should simply disinherit myself. At Glenarm I was, and there I must remain to the end of the year. I grew bitter against Pickering as I reflected upon the ease with which he had got rid of me. I had always satisfied myself that my wits were as keen as his, but I felt now that I had stupidly put myself in his power.

CHAPTER V.
A Red Tam-o'Shanter.

I looked out on the bright October morning with a renewed sense of isolation. Trees crowded about my windows, many of them still wearing their festal colors, scarlet and brown and gold, with the bright green of some stubborn companion standing out here and there with startling vividness. I put on an old corduroy outing suit and heavy shoes, ready for a tramp abroad and went below.

The great library seemed larger than ever when I beheld it in the morning light. I opened one of the French windows and stepped out on a stone terrace, where I gained a fair view of the exterior of the house, which proved to be a modified Tudor, with battlements and two towers. One of the latter was only half-finished, and to it and to other parts of the house the workmen's scaffolding still clung. Heaps of stone and piles of lumber were scattered about in great disorder. The house extended partly along the edge of a ravine, through which a slender creek ran toward the lake. The terrace became a broad balcony immediately outside the library, and beneath it the water bubbled pleasantly around heavy stone pillars. Two pretty rustic bridges spanned the ravine, one near the front entrance, the other at the rear. My grandfather had projected his house on a generous plan, but buried as it was among the trees, it suffered the lack of perspective. However, on one side toward the lake was a fair meadow, broken by a water-tower, and just beyond the west dividing wall I saw a little chapel; and still farther, in the same direction, the outlines of the buildings of St. Agatha's were vaguely perceptible in another strip of woodland.

The thought of gentle nuns and schoolgirls as neighbors amused me. All I asked was that they should keep to their own side of the wall.

I heard behind me the careful step of Bates.

"Good morning, Mr. Glenarm. I trust you rested quite well, sir."

His figure was as austere, his tone as respectful and colorless as by night. The morning light gave him a pallid cast. He suffered my examination coolly enough; his eyes were, indeed, the best thing about him.

"You may breakfast when you like, sir,"—and thus admonished I went into the refectory.

A newspaper lay at my plate; it was the morning's issue of a Chicago daily. I was, then, not wholly out of the world, I reflected, scanning the headlines.

Bates had placed me so that I faced the windows, an attention to my comfort and safety that I appreciated. The broken pane told the tale of the shot that had so narrowly missed me the night before.

"I'll repair that to-day, sir," Bates remarked, seeing my eyes upon the window.

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Bowling and General Sports

HAD A TIGHT SQUEEE.

Radin and Ackor Get a Game By a Single Pin.

Radin and Ackor and Skelly and Nash were the only contestants in McLaughlin's bowling tourney last night, and the former team won two games out of three. One of them was by the narrow margin of a single pin but as Nash and Skelly did the same trick to Mullen and Conklin last week the sting was taken out of the loss. All the games were close and the tallies showed a good average for all hands.

The scores:

Radin	199	197	156
Ackor	150	166	174
	349	363	330
vs.			
Skelly	159	173	194
Nash	175	189	191
	334	362	385

HOPE BOYS WIN AGAIN.

Take the N. P. H. S. Five Into Camp By Score of 34 to 24.

The Hope chapel Boys' Club basketball team added another victory to its long string, last night, by taking the N. P. H. S. five into camp by a score of 34 to 24. The Hope boys played a snappy game from the instant the start was made and though their opponents were by no means out of form they had too much of an up-hill fight. At the end of the first half the score stood 24 to 16 in favor of Hope. The team lined up as follows:

BOYS' CLUB.		N. P. H. S.
Mortimer	left forward.	Conroy
Hunter	right forward.	Steiner
Snyder	centre.	McClintock
Rimmer	left guard.	Powlison
Meade	right guard.	Day

Goals from the field—Mortimer 3, Snyder 2, Rimmer 2, Conroy 8, Steiner 3; goals from centre (foul) Rimmer 6, Steiner 1, McClintock 1; referee, George McComb; umpire, Smith; scorer, Kenney; timekeeper, Firstbrook.

P. H. S. GIRLS' TEAM WINS.

Bayonne Loses on the Local Court—Score 35 to 3.

The girls' basketball team from the Bayonne High School was defeated yesterday by the girls' team of the Plainfield High School by the score of 35 to 3. The game was played on the Plainfield High School court and was one-sided from start to finish. Although the Bayonne girls played with an effort at team work they were outclassed at every turn and found difficulty in locating the ball until after it had gone through the basket.

With some delay but without serious difficulty P. H. S. kept the ball moving with a variety of original passes. The goal shooting was not up to the teams' standard. Miss Louise Andrews deserves special credit for her clever playing. Fouls were frequent on both sides.

The line-up:

BAYONNE.		P. H. S.
M. Frank	forwards.	B. Fleming
M. Faulkner	forwards.	G. Moody
E. Smith	centre.	L. Andrews
S. Durant	guards.	E. Crampton
F. Beling	guards.	B. Alpaugh

BASKETBALL LEAGUES.

Standing of the Teams in the Three Local Groups.

The standing of the teams in the three local basketball leagues is as follows:

INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	Per.
P. H. S.	4	0	1000
Leal's	1	3	.250
N. P. H. S.	1	3	.250

LOCAL LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	Per.
Mohicans	3	0	1000
Apaches	2	1	.666
Sioux	1	2	.333
Cherokees	0	3	.000

BOYS' LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	Per.
Storks	4	1	.800
Hawks	3	2	.600
Crows	3	3	.500
Eagles	1	5	.166

DUAL MEET EVENTS.

Programme of the Contest Between Plainfield and Passaic.

Candidates for the team to meet the Passaic Y. M. C. A. in the dual meet here February 21, will be tried out by Physical Director Listman at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium next Wednesday and Friday nights. The best in the ranks of the association athletes against Passaic, the aim being to pulverize Passaic so thoroughly that none of the visitors will be able to sleep for a week.

The following programme of events has been decided upon: Standing broad jump, running high jump, shot put, running high dive, potato race. First place will count five points, second place three points, third place one point. There will be prizes for individual winners and the winning team will get a shield.

COMPETITION STANDINGS.

Of Y. M. C. A. Seniors, Juniors and High School Boys to Date.

The revised standing of the contestants in the three championship athletic competitions at the Y. M. C. A., up to date, was announced by Physical Director Listman. Banks has a slim lead in the senior competitions, Morris is at the head of the High School boys, and Conroy is setting the pace hotly in the junior contest. The standing of contestants with over 100 points is as follows:

Seniors—Banks, 514; Burgess, 507; Rumsey, 428; Douglass, 398; Viebrock, 387; Lueder, 377; Odell, 326; Collier, 268; Line, 231; Hoagland, 206; Templin, 197; Manning, 186 Spear, 165; Slocum, 160; Wattrous, 142.

High School—Morris, 196; Freeman, 139; D. Wilcox, 126.

Juniors—Conroy, 266; Cowperthwait, 196; Vail, 190; R. Miller, 175; Richardson, 166; Lindzey, 130; Carson, 122.

BOWLING.

The Park Club bowling team will wind up its series in the Central Journal Bowling League tournament on Thursday night, February 14, when it will roll the Cranford Casino at Cranford.

Bayonne Teams Disbands.

Because the basketball team of the Bayonne High School has been disbanded, the management has cancelled the game scheduled with Plainfield High School for next Wednesday in this city. The members of the Bayonne team were back in their studies and the school authorities compelled the disbandment.

Frederick Sears, of North avenue, has been detained at home during the past week with throat trouble.

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CHRISTIAN FIELD.

Communion services will be held at the Christian church on Sunday morning, February 17.

The Holy Cross Club will meet at the parish house at 7:30 o'clock tonight to make preparations for a play to be given in the near future.

There will be a special meeting of the Boys' Mission Band of Trinity Reformed church tomorrow afternoon in the church parlor at four o'clock.

The names of two faithful workers were omitted in yesterday's account of the Trinity Reformed church supper. They are Miss Leonora Miller, waitress, and Miss Sophia Dencklau in the kitchen.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Christian church will institute a sewing circle at the church on Thursday night. All the women of the church are invited to attend. The entertainment planned for Thursday night by the society has been postponed to Thursday night, February 21.

The Men's Club, of the First Baptist church, invites the women of the church and congregation to attend the illustrated lecture to be given Monday night by Dr. Corbusier, of Watchung, on "China and the Boxer Uprising." He will display a number of fine views. There will also be a musical programme.

CLOSED PORTALS.

Plainfield Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., will meet Monday night and adopt the new by-laws.

Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum, has issued invitations for a "ladies' night" entertainment to be held in the lodge rooms on Thursday night. A fine programme has been prepared.

The Potter Printing Press Mutual Aid Society will hold a special meeting on Thursday night in Columbus Hall, East Front street, to adopt the new by-laws. An entertainment by local talent and a smoker will be enjoyed after the business session.

Court Plainfield, No. 1144, Independent Order Foresters, at its meeting last night received four applications, accepted five and initiated one candidate. The members will visit Court Dunellen, No. 1123 on Monday night, leaving the Watchung avenue trolley stand at 8 o'clock.

CITY JOTTINGS.

—The Y. M. C. A. automobile school began its sessions last night, with fourteen pupils. The course will last three months.

—Charles H. Lyman, Jr., has given up his position with the Ingersoll-Rand Company, and is now associated with his father in the real estate business.

—Edwin J. Combs, of Bound Brook, was arrested last night on a charge of drunkenness, preferred by an oyster saloon proprietor. The complainant was not in court this morning, and the prisoner was released.

INDICTED FOR LOUD TALKING.

Because his neighbors said his loud voice disturbed them, Louis Prott, of No. 22 Prospect street, Elizabeth, was indicted and his case was tried Thursday before Judge Atwater and a jury in the Court of Quarter Sessions. The jury retired at 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon, and as no agreement had been reached when the court adjourned the jury was locked up for the night. When court opened yesterday the jury reported that it could not agree, and it was discharged. The case will be retried.

About fifteen of Mr. Prott's neighbors said that their sleep had been seriously disturbed by his loud talking in the early hours of the morning. They said he would frequently have a friend or two at his home, and they would be aroused from their slumbers by the host's stentorian tones. This had become such a nuisance that they had been compelled to present a petition to Prosecutor English asking him to stop it.

Harvesting Fine Crop of Ice.

The Natural Ice Company has a full force of men at work at Watchung harvesting a fine crop of ice which now averages ten and twelve inches in thickness. The heavy snow early in the week delayed the cutting, as the men were obliged to stop and clear the pond. Cutting was resumed Wednesday night and has been continued ever since. The force will work all day tomorrow in an effort to fill the ice houses.

Writing Up Mining Tour.

William S. Bullock, of East Second street, is at Ely, Navada, a mining town, gathering material for a write-up on the mines of the district. He reached the place just a bit too late to witness what the White Pine News, of Ely, delicately describes as "a shooting match in the Thirst Parlor." Mr. Bullock has been engaged in mining reporting for some time.

Somerset County Hotel Sold.

Hotel Cawley, Somerville, one of the leading hostelries in Somerset county, which has been owned and operated for a number of years by William H. Cawley, was sold Thursday to G. J. Weinmann, of Denmark, N. J., who, several years ago, was successful as the manager of the business here. Mr. Weinmann will take possession on Monday.

No. 2243.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF The City National Bank.

at Plainfield, in the State of New Jersey, at the close of business,

Jan. 26, 1907.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$1,021,518 77
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		46 92
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		150,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		5,150 00
Bonds, securities, etc.		490,537 79
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		71,202 50
Interest Paid		6,352 20
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		14,799 56
Due from State Banks and Bankers		2,198 49
Due from approved reserve agents		156,236 49
Checks and other cash items.		6,683 67
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents		465 76
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz.:		
Specie	$55,017 00	
Legal-tender notes	33,764 00	88,781 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)		7,500 00
Total		$2,021,503 15

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 150,000 00
Surplus fund	50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	176,998 76
National Bank notes outstanding	147,800 00
Accrued Interest	779 84
Due to other National Banks.	14,393 84
Due to State Banks and Bankers	1,098 75
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	20,863 39
Dividends unpaid	64 00
Individual deposits subject to check	1,372,965 18
Demand certificates of deposit	12,693 62
Time certificates of deposit	72,385 67
Certified checks	1,132 55
Cashier's checks outstanding	327 25
Total	$2,021,503 15

State of New Jersey, County of Union, ss:

I, William F. Arnold, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

William F. Arnold, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this first day of February, 1907.
fifteenth day of November, 1906.
J. C. Pope, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
Louis K. Hyde,
Jas. T. Closson,
F. de L. Hyde,
Directors.

DIVIDEND NO. 60.

CITY NATIONAL BANK,

PLAINFIELD, N. J.

The Board of Directors have this day declared the usual semi-annual dividend of four per cent. on the capital stock of this bank out of the earnings of the past six months, and an extra dividend of one per cent. upon the capital stock of said bank, payable on and after Tuesday, February 5, 1907.

Wm. F. Arnold, Cashier.

Dated, Plainfield, Jan. 30, 1907.

The City National Bank of Plainfield, N. J., since its organization has paid to its stockholders in dividends on their capital stock ..... $ 324,750 00
and now has a surplus of 50,000 00
and undivided profits after paying dividends 158,400 00
with deposits of $1,500,000 00

The above shows that the bank is increasing its business, and is one of the strongest institutions in the State.

BOMB KILLS JUSTICE AND HURTS HIS SON.

Deadly Machine Sent by Express Ends Life of Robert Cortese, of Paterson.

Robert Cortese, a Justice of the Peace of Paterson, was mortally and shockingly wounded in his office there yesterday evening by a bomb sent to him by express. His seventeen-year-old son, Robert, who was standing beside him when he opened the deadly machine, was injured seriously.

The explosion tore a hole five feet deep and ten feet in circumference through the floor of Cortese's office. The room was shattered and buildings for two blocks around were shaken as by an earthquake.

Cortese, as he lay dying in St. Joseph's Hospital, furnished the Paterson police with clews as to the identity of the possible sender of the bomb. The Justice of late had been the recipient of many threatening letters.

SPANISH PRISONER ONCE MORE.

Writes to Morristown Man to Take His Daughter and $175,000.

Morristown, Feb. 9.—Mrs. Samuel C. Weller, of Jackson Valley, has received a letter alleged to have been written in a Spanish prison last September and addressed to Mr. Weller, who died a few weeks ago. The writer says he is a Spaniard and that he married Mary Weller, a near relative of the Morristown man. The writer says he is serving eighteen years in a Spanish prison because he took up arms against the Spanish government in the late Cuban war.

After the war he learned, says the letter, that his wife had died and that his daughter was friendless. He determined to get her to this country, and in order to do so found it necessary to go to Spain. He was arrested and imprisoned there. He writes that he had a fortune of $175,000, and that he took the precaution, before going to Spain, of putting this money in a bank in England. The writer wants Mr. Weller to act as guardian for his daughter, and in return he says he will turn over to him the documents necessary to get the money.

Mrs. Alice Charteris, of Easton, Pa., is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Emma Voorhees, of Westervelt avenue.

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$6.90 Overcoats.

Choice of any of our $10, $12, $15 and $18 Coats at this price. Materials are oxford, kersey, gray cheviots black vicunas, etc.

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Choice of our best imported cloths in the newest shaped back Overcoats, some sizes missing, but yet a few to pick.

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Extra! Child's Overcoats **$1.19.** from 3½ to 10 years.

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These are some of the best cheviots, cassimeres and worsteds, also blue and black thibets.

$8.90 Suits.

Newest creations of this season's make, all new models, these are fancy dress suits, in small mixtures and excellent overplaids.

Don't neglect to come in and get one of these remarkable bargains; really a chance of a lifetime. There are very few left, but still there is one for you.

SPECIAL—We have a number of Youths' Suits and Overcoats in sizes 16-17-18-19 years. They are worth $10, $12, $15, $16.50, in double and single breasted, in fine all wool goods, mixtures and blue and black. **To be sold at $4.98.**

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Prime Rib Roast	12c	Pork Sausage	14c
Pot Roast	10c	Round Steak	16c
Blade Roast	12c	Home Dressed Jersey Fowl	16c
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ATTACKS PUBLIC SCHOOL

In Letter Read in St. Joseph's Bishop Says American System is a Failure.

HE CALLS IT UNFAIR

Bishop James A. McFaul Alleges That Non-Catholics See Danger In Present School System.

The Right Rev. James A. McFaul, Roman Catholic Bishop of Trenton, sent a pastoral letter to Rev. Father Miller, rector of St. Joseph's church, which was read yesterday to the congregation. A similar letter was read in all the churches of the diocese. In it he says that the present public school is a failure because it educates the head alone and not the heart. He denounces the present tax system as unfair and unconstitutional, because it taxes Catholics for maintenance of educational institutions which they cannot use without sacrificing their religious convictions.

The Bishop has been contending for years that the Catholic church was entitled to a division of the State school moneys for the Catholic parochial schools, and the denunciatory letter sent out for reading in Catholic churches means that some one of the legislators has a bill for partition of school moneys. Politicians have been expecting such a measure at this session, and are sorry that the church issue is about to be injected in State politics.

The Bishop says Catholics are beginning to see the evil resulting from not giving their children religious education, and he holds it almost confiscation of property to tax Catholics for the support of a public school system they cannot avail themselves of, he says:

"The State may furnish education providing it does not infringe on the parents. It may not, however, legitimately select a system of public education which many of its citizens are unable conscientiously to patronize. The rule of the majority may be as unjust as that of the greatest despot. The minority, even as a minority, has inalienable rights. It is undeniable that the State breaks its law, for it does not supply sufficient class room, not only for the Catholics now in the parish schools, but for the non-Catholic population.

"There is not room for our children in the public schools, and we could not patronze them if there was. We cannot use a system which bars religious instruction. It is certainly unjust to tax people for what they cannot conscientiously use."

He goes on to show that the maintenance of parochial schools by the Catholics saves the nation $181,099,962.39 per year in its educational outlay, New Jersey's share of this being $9,614,083.03. Then he continues by declaring that the State should be willing to pay for the secular education Catholic children receive in the parochial schools, saying that no pay was expected for the religious part of the training. He adds: "Let our children be examined by the State authorities, and if they are receiving the proper secular education let the State pay for it."

He concludes by deploring the country's evident drift from things religious, says that many parents fail to educate their children in religion, that many children do not go to Sunday school, and that because of this it is necessary that religion be taught in the schools if the country is to remain a Christian nation. He ends by saying:

"Many non-Catholic citizens see danger in the present school system. They perceive clearly that if the head alone is educated and the heart left fallow injury is done both to the individual and to society."

A Heart Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bennett, of the New Madison, gave a party at their home Friday night for their son and daughter, Henry Bennett and Miss May Bennett. The evening was spent in playing hearts and at the conclusion prizes were presented. Miss Ethel Runyon received first prize for the girls, Miss Alice Drake second and Miss Helen George booby prize. Allen Diman received the first prize for the boys, Malcomb Krewson second and Andrew Stiglitz the booby prize. The girls' prizes were a burned wood handkerchief box, a Teddy bear and a pig pin cushion. The prizes for the boys were a penknife, a stickpin of hearts and a peacock. The home was decorated with red and white colors. After the game refreshments were served. Those present were the Misses Ethel Runyon, Lois Diman, Alice Drake, Helen Gorge, Ruth Wean, Edith Lyons, May Bennett, and Ralph Martin, Malcomb Krewson, Andrew Stiglitz, Pierson Bailey, Allen Diman and Henry Bennett.

—Albert Barber is in Boston, on business for the Scott Press Company.

S. P. C. A. STARTS OFF

Gets Charter and Begins Planning Benefits For Dumb Beasts.

FOUNTAINS SUGGESTED

Dr. Knott Warns Against Old Fashioned Horse Trough and Advocates Bucket Service As More Sanitary.

Active work was outlined by the newly-organized S. P. C. A. at a meeting in Judge W. A. Coddington's office this morning. The society's charter was received in due form, and plans were considered for immediate unlimbering of all the ordinance with which the society is armed for the rescue of suffering beasts. It is hoped to extend the work to North Plainfield, South Plainfield, Dunellen, Fanwood, Scotch Plains and Westfield. Steps have been taken to conduct the crusade in conjunction with the society at Somerville.

President L. V. F. Randolph was in the chair this morning. Dr. M. O'M. Knott, a veterinary well known among the owners of thoroughbred dogs and horses here, attended the meeting and spoke on the necessity of furnishing protection for dogs. Some method of saving dogs from quick condemnation to death, under suspicion of rabies, should be devised, he said. Dogs suffering only from acute indigestion were often called mad and hunted to death.

The subject of a drinking fountain for horses and dogs in the centre of the city was discussed. Dr. Knott warned the members against a fountain, as unsanitary. A bucket stand would be better, he said. The need of a drinking place for dogs was said to be urgent as humane societies look on such things. Dogs are thirsty animals and suffer much from lack of water.

Several letters were received asking if the statutes made no provision for putting dogs or cats to death on request by citizens. The society knew of no such law; the householder was expected to act as his own executioner. As a matter of fact, the police of this city have, for years, gone after and shot any animal condemned to death by its owner, arranging for the removal of the carcass by a knacker after the execution.

The society hopes to reach a membership of 300 shortly. The memberships are of two sorts—life, costing $10; and annual, costing $1 a year. It is hoped to get 100 life members and 200 of the others. Subscriptions may be sent to Mrs. G. W. Bunnell, Berkeley avenue, the treasurer, who will forward membership cards promptly in return.

The executive committee of the society is made up of L. V. F. Randolph, Mrs. Knox Taylor, Mrs. D. Rapalje, Miss Edith Smalley and Dr. T. S. Davis.

Exchanged Pulpits.

Rev. Dr. John H. Raven, of the Theological Seminary, New Brunswick, occupied at the pulpit at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church yesterday morning in the absence of the pastor, Rev. Dr. J. S. Zelie, who preached at the opening of the New Jersey Conference of Charities and Corrections at Paterson. In the evening Rev. L. R. Howard, of Hope chapel, preached for him.

Senator Briggs Will Speak.

United States Senator-elect Frank O. Briggs has been secured as one of the chief speakers at teh annual dinner to be given in Elizabeth by St. Patrick's Alliance, of that place, on St. Patrick's Day. His acceptance has been received by the committee in charge of the arrangements.

GRACE M.E. ANNIVERSARY

Congregation Holds Special Services to Celebrate Completion of 15th Year.

CLEARED CHURCH DEBT

Ready Response to Dr. Parsons' Appeal and $1,800 Is Pledged By the Members.

With a long standing debt of $1,700 removed and a substantial amount added to the treasury, the members of Grace M. E. church ended their fifteenth anniversary celebration in a happy frame of mind, last night. It was one of the most

Rev. Dr. C. W. Parsons.

eventful days in the history of the congregation and the members displayed an enthusiasm that had in no wise been anticipated. The money needed to free the church from its financial obligation within a few dollars was pledged at the first service held in the morning, and more than enough was secured at night. Dr. Parsons was most agreeably surprised and there is no one connected with the church who appreciated the result to any greatre degree.

The first service of the day was held at the usual hour in the morning and was in charge of the pastor. Rev. Herbert H. Randolph, of Hoboken, who was the first conference pastor of the church, preached the sermon, taking as his subject, "Faith, the Ideal and Real of Life." It was filled with wholesome truths and was enjoyed by his hearers in a double sense. When Mr. Randolph concluded, Dr. Parsons presented the financial statement of the church and made an appeal for the wiping out of the indebtedness. The response came very quickly and almost $1,700 was soon tallied up. Dr. H. K. Carroll, who was really the first pastor of the church, having been appointed by the elder until the conference acted, was an interested spectator.

In the afternoon the Sunday-school held special exercises in connection with the anniversary and the attendance was very large. A feature of the programme was the reading of a historical sketch of the department by Superintendent W. J. Conroy, while Miss Nettie Beeching, who has been prominent in State Sunday-school work, gave an address on "Our Sunday-school." A debt of $100 in the department account was pledged during the session.

The final service of the day was held at night with an attendance larger than was noted either morning or afternoon. There were several speakers announced by Dr. Parsons, the first of whom was Dr. Carroll. He related in a concise manner "The Birth of the Enterprise," telling how the plans to establish the North Plainfield branch of the M. E. church had been formulated and how it had quickly grown into a reality and then became an independent organization. Former Assemblyman S. S. Swackhamer followed with an address, "The Value of the Church of Christ in the Community," and Dr. G. H. Whitney, president emeritus of the Centenary Institute, gave a reminiscent talk. In conclusion Dr. Parsons spoke briefly on "The Outlook and Hope for the Future." An additional $100 was secured for the church fund at this service, putting the total amount for the day well over $1,800.

The music during all three of the services was excellent and formed no small part of the programmes. E. C. Martin was solist morning and evening and rendered several selections.

—The Rasores Club, which was to have met tomorrow morning at the home of Mrs. I. C. Pierson, of Watchung avenue, has postponed the meeting for one week on account of the holiday.

STRICKEN ON SAME DAY; DEATH BUT LITTLE APART

UNUSUAL CIRCUMSTANCES IN DEMISE OF MR. AND MRS. JAMES ARMSTRONG

Surviving his wife by little more than twelve hours, James Armstrong, of Prospect place, passed away at his home Saturday evening. Mrs. Armstrong had died earlier in the day, pneumonia being the cause in both instances.

Husband and wife were out on a shopping trip one week ago Saturday and on returning home were taken ill. Pneumonia developed and both were in a serious condition before they fully realized it. When Mrs. Armstrong died in the morning the fact could not be kept from the husband and he began to sink immediately.

Mr. Armstrong was sixty years of age and had resided in Plainfield for many years. Until a short time ago he lived on West Fifth street near Plainfield avenue and the acquaintance of both himself and wife in that section of the city was very wide. He was a member of Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, K. of P., and both he and his wife were members of Grace P. E. church. At the time his illness began Mr. Armstrong was employed by J. W. Gavet, of West Front street. The only surviving relatives are a brother and sister to Mr. Armstrong: Robert Armstrong, of East Fourth street, and Miss Mary Armstrong, of West Seventh street, and a sister of Mrs. Armstrong who lives in New England. The latter is ill at the present time and is unable to come to this city.

The funeral of husband and wife will be held at the late home tomorrow afternoon and will be private.

SERVANT FAILS IN A SUIT AGAINST EMPLOYER

OTHER CASES DECIDED IN THE DISTRICT COURT THE MORNING.

Helmuth Lampe, a gardner and man-of-allwork, failed in his suit against Simeon A. Cruikshank for a month's wages and board at $1 a day in the District Court this morning. He contended that he had been illegally discharged. Mr. Cruikshank showed that the man had been insubordinate and rude, and then left of his own volition. Judge Newcorn rendered a verdict of no cause of action. W. A. Coddington appeared for the defendant.

In the suit of Scheerer & Crown, an installment firm, against Ellen Woodson, in replevin, title to the goods was found to the plaintiff, to the value of $12.67, and damages to the amount of six cents was awarded for unlawful detention. W. L. Hetfield, Jr., appeared for the plaintiff.

D. A. de Lima & Co., of New York, received a verdict for $67 against H. Fartonte, on a note. F. J. Blatz appeared for the plaintiff.

The decision in the case of the Sunlight Gas Co. against Jasper Cadmus, in which counsel had submitted lengthy briefs, was rendered. The court found for the plaintiff in the sum of $3.83, for the cost of burners used in the gas machine in dispute. The title of the machine remains in the company and the verdict throws the costs on the defendant. H. C. Runyon was the company's lawyer.

MARTINE FOR GOVERNOR.

Democrats View Him as Logical Candidate.

The Democrats believe that a Democratic Governor may be the outcome of these contentions on the other side, and are looking about carefully for their most available man. The friends of James F. Martine, of Union county, who received the minority caucus nomination for the Senatorship against Briggs, believe that he has thus been put in line for the nomination; and there are others who think that his title of "Farmer-Orator" will go a long way toward making him popular in the rural districts of the State. Charles C. Black and Colonel Edwin A. Stevens, of Hudson, also have hopes in that direction; but both are regarded as impossibilities, as the land lies today. —New York Times.

—An afternoon of fun and mystery in the Y. M. C. A. Hall on Lincoln's Birthday, Tuesday, February 12, at 3:30 p. m. Miss May Colger, of New York, impersonator; H. Warren Rankin, magician. Silver collection. Time of your life. Come. **

—Neuman Brothers are making a specialty of fancy fruits this week. They have an especially fine lot of Indian River oranges, tangierines, Florida grape fruit, California naval oranges, fancy Oregon Spitzenberg apples, Kings, greenings and Baldwins.

CHURCH TEN YEARS OLD

Monroe Ave. Methodists Celebrate Decade of United Christian Effort.

A PROSPEROUS FLOCK

Review of Work of Sunday-school and Various Church Auxiliaries —Sermon By the Pastor.

The tenth anniversary services of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church were concluded yesterday, with special meetings in the morning and evening. It was expected that Rev. Dr. John Hamilton Howard, of the Summerfield M. E. church, Staten Island, would preach the anniversary sermon in the morning, but he was unable to do so, and the pastor, Rev. E. E. Roberson, delivered the sermon. It was an interesting and impressive discourse, in which he recited briefly important features of the work performed by the church.

N. Mansfield Smith, secretary to the Board of Trustees, at the evening service presented an extended historical sketch of the church covering the past ten years. The report notes an increase in the membership of the Sunday-school under the direction of Superintendent Walter M. McGee. The total enrollment for the year was 367, with an average attendance of 192, divided as follows: Main school, 183; primary, 65; kindergarten, 59; home department, 40; cradle roll, 20. Largest attendance, Children's Day, June 10, 352; smallest attendance, October 21, 73. Total receipts for the year, $435.26; disbursements, $435.26.

The work of the Ladies' Aid Society shows an increase in membership and much good accomplished. Socials and entertainments have been well attended. The principal item in the disbursements was the donation of $100 to the church. The receipts for the year were $206.83 and disbursements $194.22, leaving a balance of $12.71.

The Epworth League was reported to be in good condition, spiritually and otherwise. The receipts for the year were $106.47, disbursements, $82.71, leaving a balance of $23.76. The work of Epworth House Library continues to progress, having now over 1,700 volumes and during the year a new catalogue was issued. A feature of the work of the Junior Epworth League has been the study of the catechism and regular attendance of children.

The Men's Association, an important factor in the church work, has accomplished much work. Receipts for the year were $58.06, disbursements, $41.69, leaving a balance of $16.37. The Mercy and Help Society reported receipts of $27.06, disbursements of $22.75 and a balance of $4.31.

Considerable space is devoted in the sketch to the work of the missionary societies of the church, consisting of home, foreign and Standard Bearers. The Women's Home Auxiliary reported receipts of membership dues at $18.93, contingent fund $1.60, from entertainment, $18.50; silver offering contributions by members, $42.66, a total of $81.69.

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society has sixteen members in good standing and its receipts for the year were $17.50, in addition to paying for the schooling of a girl in India. The Standard Bearers reported receipts of $17.15. The total receipts of the church were reported to be $2,511.46, disbursements $2,471.42, with a balance on December 31, 1906, of $40.04.

The sketch also pays deserving tribute to the earnest work of Rev. E. E. Roberson, the present pastor, who succeeded Rev. George Mooney, and states that under his pastorate many new members have been received during the past year as the result of special efforts.

Following the historical sketch, an excellent address was delivered by Rev. Frank Fletcher, formerly pastor of the Baptist church at New Market. Mr. Fletch congratulated the church on its substantial growth and increasing interest and then made remarks of a general character bearing on Christian work, which were of great help and encouragement. This closed the series of anniversary services held during the week and which were fruitful of many blessings.

John Doud's Funeral.

The funeral of Jomn McBain Doud, the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Doud, of Duer street, who died Saturday noon, will be held in St. Joseph's church tomorrow morning at 9:30. A solemn mass of requiem will be said by Rev. Father Miller. The interment will be in St. Mary's cemetery.

Will Close at 5:30 o'Clock.

From the present time "The White Store" will close every afternoon, except Saturday, at 5:30 o'clock in the afternoon. Saturday night the store will remain open until 10 o'clock.

GREET MRS. R.S. ROWLAND

Reception and Tea Given in Her Honor by Mrs. D. H. Rowland.

A BRILLIANT FUNCTION

Many Friends From New York, Pittsburg, Brooklyn, Orange, Bergent Point and St. Louis Attend the Affair.

Without doubt the most brilliant society function of the season was the reception and tea given Saturday afternoon by Mrs. David Hill Rowland, of West Seventh street, in honor of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Rufus Story Rowland, for the purpose of introducing her to the society people of Plainfield and North Plainfield. During the hours from four to seven o'clock, more than four hundred guests called and enjoyed the delightful features. There were guests from New York, Pittsburg, Brooklyn, Orange, Bergen Point, St. Louis, and this city, the charming home of Mr. and Mrs. Rowland, presenting an attractive picture thronged with handsomely gowned women.

Mrs. David Hill Rowland and Mrs. Rufus Story Rowland were assisted in receiving by Mrs. Charles C. Marshall, of New York, and Mrs. Frederick Goodhue Mead, of this city. Mrs. David Hill Rowland was gowned in heliotrope satin, while her daughter-in-law wore her wedding gown of white satin, trimmed with point lace and orange blossoms. Mrs. Marshall's gown was of red velvet and that of Mrs. Mead was black velvet.

Those in the dining room who poured were Mrs. Lewis E. Waring, Mrs. Daniel Runkle, Mrs. DeWitt C. Ivins, Mrs. Thomas Mills Day, Mrs. Edward A. Stevenson, Mrs. William M. Wherry, Jr., Mrs. Duncan W. Taylor and Mrs. Edward Vermelye Cox, all of this city.

The young women who assisted were Miss Matie Wadsworth, Miss Georgianna Smith, Miss Valiant, the Misses Harman, Miss Grace Kaufman, Miss Margaret McCutchen, Miss Margaret Mead, of this city; Miss Painter, of Pittsburg, who was a bridesmaid at Mrs. Rowland's wedding, and Miss Lackland, of St. Louis.

The home was lavishly decorated with palms, ferns, southern smilax and flowers. In the reception room pink roses were used almost exclusively, while in the library yellow jonquils made a most effective arrangement. The decorations in the dining room were all white and there was a profusion of roses of that color to garnish the table. Throughout the smilax combined to make the general decoration a pleasing one.

A feature that added to the brilliancy of the affair was the music by Austin's stringed orchestra. The programme was a delightful one. Following the reception which lasted until 7 o'clock, an informal supper was given for relatives and intimate friends of the young couple. In addition to Miss Painter, of Pittsburg, Miss Dorthy Morgan, of New Haven; Mortimer Adams, of New York, and J. Whitney Baker, of this city, the last two named ushers, members of the bridal party present.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Story Rowland were married in Pittsburg several weeks ago, and recently returned from their honeymoon. Mrs. Rowland and Miss Margarita Frew, daughter of William N. Frew, of Pittsburg, the personal representative of Andrew Carnegie, in that city. She was socially prominent in Pittsburg, being a leader among the younger set. Mr. Rowland is equally prominent in social circles both here and in New York. He is engaged in the banking business in New York with his father. He was graduated from Yale last year.

There is now in course of construction and almost completed a handsome dwelling on Stelle avenue, where Mr. and Mrs. Rowland will reside. They expect to occupy their home about March 1.

Entertained at East Orange.

Society notes of the Oranges recorded a dinner given last Thursday night by Misses Emma, Helen and Susan Dill, daughters of Judge and Mrs. James R. Dill, of East Orange, to Miss Ottalie H. Lohrke, of East Orange, and her fiance, the Rev. George H. Warner, rector of Holy Cross Episcopal church, of this city. The dinner was given at the Essex County Country Club and covers were laid for twenty.

Mrs. B. A. Brown Breaks Her Arm.

Mrs. B. A. Brown, of Orchard place, is detained at home, the result of an accident on Saturday, when she sustained a double break of the left arm, between the wrist and elbow. The accident happened in front of The Plainfield Trust Company building on Park avenue, where Mrs. Brown slipped on some ice. She was assisted to her home and Dr. Lufburrow was called and set the breaks.

—Big circus matinee, Y. M. C. A. Wednesday afternoon, 2:30. ***

ACKERMAN FOR VOORHEES

Union Co.'s Senator Assures "Uncle Dan" He Will Support Him For Treasurership.

OTHERS BOOM MR. REED

Senator Frelinghuysen Said to Be Supporting North Plainfielder—Briggs Has Resigned.

Despite the fact that State Senator Ackerman and other North Jersey leaders in the Legislature have promised to vote for "Uncle Dan" Voorhees for the place, it is said that former State Senator Charles A. Reed still has excellent chances of succeeding Frank O. Briggs as State Treasurer. Senator Joseph Frelinghuysen, of Somerset county, is reported to be working in Mr. Reed's interests and some tall electioneering is being done in a quiet but effective way. In Plainfield, with the exception of City Clark MacMurray, all the Republican leaders are said to be solid for the North Plainfielder, and some arguments are being brought to bear by them on friendly legislators.

United States Senator-elect Frank O. Briggs has sent to President of the Senate Bloomfield H. Minch, as chairman of the joint session, his resignation as State Treasurer, to take effect March 1.

Because of the fact that tomorrow is Lincoln's Birthday, the customary Monday night and Tuesday morning sessions of the Legislature will be dispensed with. Instead, the Legislature will meet Wednesday afternoon. Assemblyman Alfred M. Barber, minority leader of the House, stated last night that while no call had been sent out as yet for a caucus to nominate a State Treasurer, it is likely that the matter will be discussed in a conference sometime this week and possibly Wednesday afternoon, either preceding or after the regular session.

Others who have been mentioned in connection with the treasurership are State Assessor David Baird, the reputed "boss" of Camden, Senator Edmund W. Wakelee, of Bergen, and Assemblyman Elvins, of Atlantic county.

It is possible that the Democratic assemblymen may interefer with the plans of the Republicans by refusing to enter a joint meeting, and inasmuch as the Democrats are in control of the house, their refusal to participate would make a joint meeting impossible. Nothing more potent than talk, however, has been indulged in on this possibility and the indications are that the Democrats will not follow the precedent set by the Republicans some 20 years ago, when the possibilities of direct and immediate gain are rather remote.

Coming as it does almost immediately after a contest which consumed several weeks of the present session, the selection of a state treasurer will tend to further interfere with the real work of the Legislature. While it is not likely that the contest over the treasurership will be so prolonged as was he senatorial fight, it will probably extend over this week and at least a part of next.

SARTORIAL CRITIC PINCHED.

Kruger Smashed Show Case While Kicking on Clothes Fit.

Theodore Kruger, twenty-eight years old, a night watchman living in Westfield, was arrested at a Front street clothing store Saturday night for acting in a disorderly manner. He bought a suit there and didn't like the way it fitted. While emphasizing the sartorial shortcomings of the alleged hand-me-down he banged his fist through a showecase.

The proprietor could bear up under the strictures on the hang of the "nobby," "swell" and "dressy" garments, but he wouldn't stand for a broken case. He gave the police the distress signal and Patrolman McGinley took the clothes critic to the coop. The clothing store man refused to appear in court this morning and Kruger was released.

A Straw Ride.

A straw ride to Westfield was enjoyed Saturday evening by members of St. Faith's Guild and St. Stephen's Juniors and their friends. Refreshments were served at the parish house on their return. Those in the party were the Misses Blanche Miller, Edith Lacey, Emily Lacey, Carrie Mulford, Laura Christiansen, Christine Sorensen, Mamie Erickson, Lizzie Currin, Rachael Currin, Mrs. Herbert Guinn, Misses Sullivan, Breakey, Slorah, Helen Borrup, Eleanor Gudberg, Edna Willis, and Messrs. F. Brooks, Herbert Guinn, George Bowe, Herbert Dobbs, George Dobbs, John King, S. Guttridge, Louis Clark, Lewis Willis, Fred Cook, Evan Peterson and George Bennett.

Robert A. Suffern, of the borough, is registered at the Chalfonte, Atlantic City.

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Here's the story—We bought the entire lot of Shirt Waists from a manufacturer retiring from business at a rediculously low price—we give you the benefit—Ladies' White Shirts and Shirt Waists of mercerized madras and linen finish material, pleated back and front, with pockets and detachable collars, beautifully made. These Waists are valued up to $2.25, but in order to put one day's business into half a day—being closed in the afternoon—we will sell them Tuesday morning for, ... **69c**

The magnificent response to our Coat and Suit ad in last week's papers prompts us to do even better for you this week. We must have more room in this department for our spring goods.

Ladies' Black Tailored Suits, valued $16.50 ..... for $13.00
Ladies' Black Tailored Suits, value $23.00, ... for $16.50
Ladies' Tweed Suits, value $15.00, ... for $10.00
Ladies' Brown and Blue Suits, value $20.00, ... for $15.00
Ladies' Coats, made of English Tweed, with velvet collars, value $6.50, for $3.98
Ladies' Black and Mixed Coats, full length, value $12.00, for $7.98

Ladies' Heatherbloom Skirts (colored) with deep corded ruffle flounce, value $2.00, for ..... .98

White Mercerized Madras in a variety of pretty designs, embracing stripes, checks, small dotts and floral designs, suitable for shirt waists and shirt waist suits for spring, 25c value, for yard ..... .20

More good news from the Housefurnishing Department in Basement.

We have bought lavishly of the lines quoted below, the result being the lowest prices in our history. These goods are sold with slight factory imperfections, but does not impair their wearing qualities. The prices are less than half regular price.

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Double Coated Enamel Dish Pans, 10 quart, 59c value, for ..... .29
Double Coated Enamel Foot Tubs, large size, 69c value, for ..... .43
Double Coated Enamel Pudding Pans, 3 quart, 15c value, for 9
Double Coated Enamel Coffee Pots, 3 pint, 29c value for ..... .19
Double Coated Enamel Rice Boilers, 3 pint size, 59c value, for ..... .29

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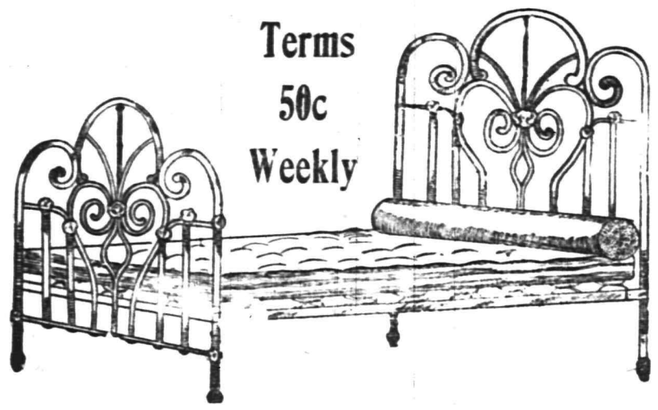

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

WHITEHOUSE.

The following comprise the cast of characters in "Down in Maine," which is being rehearsed at Whitehouse Station and will be presented for the benefit of the Reformed church: Zeph Cummings, Jacob C. Voorhees; Ralph, his brother, Andrew J. Shamapanore; Neil Wentworth, a young inventor, Frederick R. Shamapanore; Bingle, the old fisherman, William J. Strykjr; Tomps, the hired man, John Stone; Mr. Holden, a lawyer, G. Herden; Jimpsey, a fresh-air kid, Leon Clark; Mose Gossein, a stuttering lover, William Shafer; Susie Cummings, Ralph's daughter, Mrs. William Y. Pickell; Mrs. Cummings, Zeph's wife, Miss Helen Cook; Zeziah, forty-three and desperate, Miss Elizabeth Lindsley; Betsey Tomps, Miss Eugenia Park.

Word has been received in Whitehouse of the marriage of Charles A. Harsel, son of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Harsel, of this place, and Miss May Christofferson, daughter of Waldemar Christofferson, of Plainfield. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride by Rev. J. O. McKelvey and only immediate relatives attended.

Mrs. Jane Teats, who has been spending some time with her daughter at New Germantown, has returned to High Bridge.

The weekly prayer meeting of the Centreville Methodist church was held last evening at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Dalley.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Leake and son, of Newark, are spending some time with Mrs. Ann Crater, at New Germantown.

BERNARDSVILLE.

At the recent social of the Bernards Tennis Club Miss Sadie Ballentine won the woman's prize in whist, while Charles Barker carried off the man's trophy.

A service was held at the Somerset Inn Schoolhouse yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock and at the home of John Lowery, on Mine Mount, at 4 p. m.

Miss S. Louise Sanders, a teacher in the public school, took her pupils on a sleighride to Morristown, Saturday afternoon.

Miss Edith A. Kimball has resigned her position in the postoffice, where she had been employed during the last year.

Mrs. C. H. von Glahn has been spending a few days, last week with her aunt, Mrs. S. C. Lewis, of Newark.

J. Forbes Guerin has been appointed fire warden, to succeed Sanford W. Tunison.

James W. Lent is entertaining John J. Corson, of New Springville, Staten Island.

Miss Clara Schweikhardt was a recent guest of relatives in South Orange.

The Bernardsville Public School will be closed today and tomorrow.

BOUND BROOK.

The Junior Auxiliary of St. Paul's Episcopal church of Bound Brook gave an entertainment for the benefit of missions at the home of Mrs. Winthrop Tappan, in Church street, Saturday afternoon.

After spending several days at the home of her niece, Miss Allie Pierce, of Keyport, Mrs. Louis C. Prall has returned to her home in Elizabeth street, South Bound Brook.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Campbell, of Washington Crossing, were recent guests at the home of Mrs. Campbell's mother, Mrs. David McCure, of Rocky Hill.

Miss Gladys Wohtman, of Esopus, N. Y., is being entertained at the home of Miss Mary Lamble, in Madison street, South Bound Brook.

Mrs Edward Wyckoff, of Millstone, is entertaining her sister, Miss Bechtold, of Harlingen.

WESTFIELD.

The Board of Freeholders has taken into consideration the straightening of South avenue where it crosses South Broad street, in Westfield. Irving I. Ross offers to sell to the county the land necessary. The turn at this point has long been a danger spot.

Twenty residents of Westfield have been summoned to appear at the Town Court on February 14 to explain why they did not remove the snow from their sidewalks after the recent storm.

Funeral services of John Goode were held yesterday afternoon at his residence. The services were attended by Westfield Lodge of Odd Fellows.

Garwood's Board of Education will ask the voters for an appropriation of $5,300 at the annual school meeting to be held next month.

Rev. Frederick Wright conducted the services at the Westfield Methodist church last evening.

The trustees of Fairview cemetery, Westfield, will hold a meeting tonight.

SOMERVILLE.

The Amusement Club was entertained Friday afternoon by Miss Chambers and Mrs. William Dilts, at the home of Miss Chambers, on West End avenue.

Mrs. George Sanborn left Saturday for a four months' trip through the Holy Land and parts of Europe.

Miss Etta Craig, of North Bridge street, is a guest of her sister, Mrs. William Gaston, in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Harvey, of Newark, are spending this week in Somerville.

Miss Vincent, of Newark, is visiting Mrs. Austin Moore, on West End avenue.

Miss Emma Porter, of West Cliff street, is the guest of friends in Newark.

Mrs. Lewis A. Thompson has been spending two days in Trenton.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

A thanksgiving and praise service, to mark the wiping out of all debt in the church was held by the Methodists yesterday morning.

No date has been set for the institute postponed on account of the big storm. It will probably not be held until next month.

The Epworth League held a song service at the Methodist Episcopal church last evening.

J. Y. Ruppel is about as usual; very little of the effects of his illness remains.

Several parties have been planned for Thursday night by borough young people.

Miss Loretta Thornton has returned home from a visit to relatives in Caldwell.

John Fleming has bought the David Frazee place of Isaac J. Stites.

Mrs. Frank Wynkoop has recovered from an attack of rheumatism.

The Sunshine Guild will hold a business meeting Thursday night.

Mayor Wyckoff is still acting as borough recorder.

Harry Hummer has been ill for several days.

W. L. McCauley has been ill with the grip.

'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Although convalescent from a severe attack of the grip, the deacons of the Baptist church would not hear of Rev. T. Moore-Smith occupying his pulpit yesterday, as they believed he needed another week before assuming his regular pastoral work. Rev. Frank Fletcher, of New Market, preached the sermon at the morning service. No evening preaching was held, the day's services ending with the B. Y. P. U. meeting at 7:15.

The Farther Lights Society of the Baptist church held a successful cake and apron sale, Saturday night, in the church parlors. Everything in the apron line, from the gingham kitchen to the finest creations, were found on sale and found ready purchasers. Those who had a sweet tooth could indulge in their taste as long as their money lasted. Between the two attractions the society realized a neat little sum.

A special meeting of Excelsior Hook and Ladder Company has been called for tonight. As business of importance is to be brought before the meeting Foreman Philip Jahn desires a full attendance of the members.

John H. Collier, of the Anti-Saloon League, addressed a large audience last night in the Methodist church. Mr. Collier is an earnest as well as forceful advocate for the abolishment of the saloon traffic.

Mrs. William Woods and child, who have been spending several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Buckley, of Park avenue, have returned to their home at Taunton, Mass.

"Honest Abe's" birthday will only be partly observed tomorrow by the residents. The commuter element and school children will be the only ones to enjoy a full holiday.

Sleighing was unusually fine yesterday and it seemed as though everyone who owned anything that looked like a sleigh was out enjoying it while it lasted.

The members of the Epworth League held an interesting weekly meeting last night in the Methodist church.

The Farther Lights Society held its monthly meeting yesterday afternoon in the Baptist church.

Daniel T. Hendrickson spent the week's end at his home at Port Monmouth, N. J.

Tomorrow being Lincoln's Birthday, no session of the public school will be held.

Miss Josephine Ingram has returned from a visit at her home at Trenton.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

Miss Florence Johnson, who has been attending the Newark High School for the past two years, has left there and will remain at home for the rest of the winter. She will enter the Drake Business College in the spring.

The regular Tuesday evening prayer meeting will be held in the Baptist church tomorrow night. The topic will be Psalm 25. The pastor will lead the meeting.

Madame Jarley's Wax Works will be given in Washington Hall, Thursday evening, February 21, by the Young People's Social Club. Dancing will follow.

A valentine social will be held in the Baptist church Thursday evening under the auspices of the Y. P. S. C. E. The evening will be spent in playing games.

Thomas Muir's Gold Medal minstrel troupe will visit the village again on Wednesday, February 27.

Mrs. Henry Treple is in Trenton visiting her son, Benjamin Treple, who will soon move to the west.

Salaam Temple, Ancient Arabic Order Nobles Mystic Shrine, of Newark, will hold a "ladies' night" entertainment on Friday night. A number of members will attend from this city.

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4c yard—2,500 yards White Crash Toweling, good width and quality; regular value 6c yard.

6c yard—500 yards Crash Toweling, extra heavy weight and good value at 8c yard.

25c yard—Special lot of Dress Goods Remnants, all different lengths; regular price of these goods was 50c yard.

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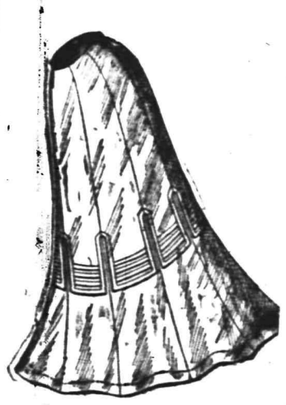

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LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

Maclyn Arbuckle, the Hon. Jim Hackler, of George Ade's best comedy, "The County Chairman," says that all he has to do in this comedy is to be himself. And whosoever knows the big-hearted American actor from Texas, who is starring in George Ade's splendid character drama, knows that he says the truth. It is natural for him to play the big-hearted, good-natured political boss, as he is big-hearted and good-hearted himself, and used to be mixed up in the politics of his county way down in Texas in the early eighties. He knows those interesting types of the small middle-western village just as well as George Ade, who is such a close observer of the human heart. Maclyn Arbuckle will return with his splendid production of "The County Chairman" to the New Plainfield theatre tonight.

Wilton Lackaye in his own dramatization of "Les Miserables" called "The Law and the Man," will be the attraction at the New Plainfield theatre tomorrow afternoon and night. The company numbers forty people and includes a dozen of New York's best known and most versatile artists.

What is considered to be the acme of stage production, both from a scenic and dramatic view point, will be the offering at the New Plainfield theatre next Saturday afternoon and night. The play to be presented will be "The Shoemaker," with Joe Welch as the star. Few comedians and character actors have risen to the highest pinnacle of their profession in so short a time as has Mr. Welch. As the exponent of a certain type of Hebrew this young Thespian is acknowledged to be without a rival. In his latest play he is provided with a part that gives him rare opportunities to display his peculiar talent and skill. As Morris Goldberg, a poor, misguided mender and maker of shoes, Mr. Welch is invested with a role that reflects his personality, genius and capabilities as an actor and comedian to a remarkable degree of perfection.

In "A Marriage of Reason," which comes to the New Plainfield theatre next week, Kyrle Bellew is said to have quite the happiest role in his career. As an English Earl who is the essence of good fellowship and good form, opulent and high spirited, but bankrupt in purse, who marries an American girl, beautiful and of course wealthy, and then falls desperately in love with her, the star has a thousand opportunities to display that finesse and elegance of artistry which caused the terms "matinee idol" and "Apollo of the stage" to be coined in his honor when he first became popular in America. There is an American girl for the heroine who will win the hearts of playgoers quite as completely as she grows to dominate that of her noble husband. Miss Fannie Ward plays this role of Rita Forrest, the Chicago heiress. The company is remarkably strong, including Miss Julia Dean, Miss Margaret Fuller, Miss Maud Ream Stover, Frederic de Belleville, Conway Tearle, J. K. Adams and Master Richard Storey.

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FINDS OLD ENEMY IN COURT.

Gypsy Has Man Arrested for Alleged Theft Two Years Ago.

George Nickol, a gypsy, was held as a fugitive from justice Friday by Judge McCarthy in the Second Criminal Court, Jersey City. The complainant, Louis Mitchell, also a gypsy, said that Nickol stole $4,000 from him in Jackson county, Mass., two years ago, and produced papers to show that a warrant had been issued for his arrest in that State.

A hearing is in progress in Jersey City in the case of a gypsy chief who is accused of extorting money from members of other tribes. Mitchell was at the hearing, was surprised to find Nickol one of the spectators, and promptly had him arrested.

Mayor Shakes Up Railroad.

Vineland, Feb. 11.—Mayor Sawyer shook up the Jersey Central Railroad Thursday afternoon by arresting W. H. Warner, conductor, and the crew of his freight train, on the charge of obstructing street crossings longer than the five minutes allowed by the borough ordinance. The hearing was set for this morning, before Justice of the Peace Browne. It is said the railroad will be in court with an array of the best counsel to fight the ordinance.

CLOSED PORTALS.

Plainfield Lodge, Jr. O. U. A. M. will meet tonight and in addition to acting upon the new by-laws will receive several propositions for membership.

Rev. T. E. Davis, formerly of this city, but now of Washington, where he is pastor of a Presbyterian church, was given the third degree in Masonry in Lebanon Lodge, Washington, a few days ago, the work being conducted by Rev. Mr. Skellinger, formerly of Dunellen.

The Newark Lodge of Elks has had prepared for introduction in the Legislature, next week, a bill which is intended to prevent any unauthorized person or persons from using the name or emblem of that or any other incorporated fraternal organization, directly or indirectly, to advertise any public gathering which the public might be led to infer was conducted under the auspices of the organization. Last year a similar law was enacted, making it a misdemeanor for any person to use the insignia or emblem of a fraternal organization to obtain recognition, aid or assistance of members. The reason given for preparing the bill is that individuals not connected with the organization have recently placarded entertainments by means of posters and hangers with the word "elk" in large letters and that of a "club or association" underneath in small type, and used the elk's head, the insignia of the order. The bill, which will be a further supplement to the crimes act, has been prepared and will be introduced by one of the several legislators who are members of the organization.

Louis Klopsch Elopes.

South Norwalk, Conn., Feb. 11.—Louis Klopsch, son of Louis Klopsch, editor of the Christian Herald, and Miss Hattie DeKlyn, one of the prettiest society women of Norwalk, eloped yesterday and were married in Port Chester, N. Y. The bride-room is but seventeen years of age and his bride is considerably older. Young Klopsch was a student at the Harrison School, in Norwalk. He had given up his studies with the intention of entering business and supporting his wife.

Pays $6,000 Anonymously.

New Haven, Conn., Feb. 11.—Some conscience stricken person has paid to the city of New Haven $6,000. Why he did it cannot be ascertained, and the money has been added to the city's sinking fund, making it $119,000. Leonard M. Daggett, Corporation Counsel, today said an intermediary recently handed him the $6,000 in bank notes and declined to tell for whom he was acting.

—There will be a regular inspection of Co. K. at the armory on West Front street, tomorrow night.

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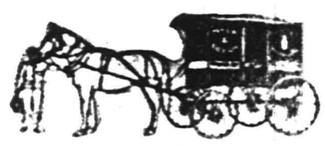

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RIDGWAY'S NO MORE.

The Weekly Stops Publication and Its Owner Tells Why.

Ridgway's Weekly is no more. Yesterday's issue contains its valedictory. In it the editor tells frankly why he stops the publication. The substance of the explanation is that he found it impossible to get out fourteen magazines in as many cities on a newspaper basis.

Mr. Ridgway began his venture nineteen weeks ago by publishing a weekly simultaneously in fourteen of the largest cities in the country. After two months he stopped all of them but four. Later he got out only the New York edition.

He says that the people wouldn't buy a poorly printed magazine—and Ridgway's, being printed very quickly to be right up to the minute, didn't have the gloss and brilliance of color that people were accustomed to in magazines.

On the first page of yesterday's issue the announcement is made thus: "Ridgway's stops publication—for the present."

LITERALLY GROUND TO PIECES.

Horrible Mutilated Body of Unidentified Man Found at Rahway.

Rahway, Feb. 11.—The body of an unidentified man, literally ground to pieces, was found at the Pennsylvania Railroad Junction, below Rahway, Thursday night, at about 10 o'clock, and brought to this city, where it now is at Ryno & High's undertaking rooms.

The man, who was well dressed, was apparently about forty years of age, and had light brown hair and mustache. On his right arm was tattooed a five-pointed star, on the left an American eagle, with the national coat of arms. In his possession were found a Lehigh Valley Railroad Duplex ticket, H 64,326, with no name of station, also a duplex ticket, R 95,620, P. R. R., Elizabeth to Rahway. Lying by his side was $126 in cash. No other marks or papers were found to aid identification.

For Peace in Central America.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 11.—If the good offices of the United States and Mexico can prevent war in Central America over boundary troubles there will be no war; for each country has ordered its representatives to exert their influence to that end and to represent to the countries involved that they are expected to observe to the letter the treaties recently signed, which provide for the settlement by arbitration of all such difficulties. Just the exact cause of the difficulty is not known at the State Department, but there is no question that the feeling between Honduras and Nicaragua is very bitter and strong and is likely to result in hostilities. The boundary question is one which has been running for many years and involves the question whether or not any of the countries may mass troops near the line which divides it from another. This measure is regarded as one which is taken as a precaution against activity on the part of one country when its neighbor is in the throes of revolution and the forwarding of filibustering parties across the line.

Press Agent Splits Family.

New York, Feb. 11.—No one can tell how many family quarrels the press agent of a Broadway show has caused by sending out postal cards as if they were personal communications and telling what a good show it is, but he is indirectly responsible for a divorce action which John Fitz, a hotel proprietor in Maspeth, L. I., has brought against Mary Fitz. Mrs. Fitz was away from home on January 17 when a postal card arrived, signed "Frank," saying that he was seeing New York and how he wished she could see this particular show. Mr. Fitz saw this card, and when his wife returned the next day demanded an explanation. The one she gave was not satisfactory, although she denied being in New York, and he started an investigation. This resulted in his divorce action.

Trust Evidence Disappears.

Albany, N. Y., Feb. 11.—Practically all of the State's evidence in its suit against the American Ice Trust has disappeared from the Attorney General's office. The evidence, in the form of copies of books, contracts, &c., in the office of the trust, was enough to fill a good hized truck. How it ever got out of the Attorney General's office is a mystery, but one supposition is that it was carried away piecemeal. Another theory is that most of the papers never reached the Albany office of the Attorney General, but disappeared either from the New York city office or while in transit between those two offices. The disappearance of the papers occurred during the administration of Julius M. Mayer as Attorney General, according to statements made at Attorney General Jackson's office.

Henpecked Man Lies in a Coop.

Meridan, Conn., Feb. 11.—Ordered by his wife to leave the home of her parents, where they were living, Peter St. Martin, of South Manchester, took up his abode in a chicken coop. There he lived undisturbed for weeks until yesterday, when he was arrested on suspicion of having stolen tableware from his father-in-law.

Five Killed at Crossing.

Birmingham, Ala., Feb. 11.—Five persons are reported killed and many injured by a train which ran into a crowded East Lake trolley car at seven o'clock last evening.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The Men's Club of the Seventh-Day Baptist church, will give a dinner at the church tomorrow night.

The Sunday-school of the Park Avenue Baptist church began the rehearsal of Easter carols yesterday. Charles L. Lewis is in charge.

The Young Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will hold a colonial supper at the church on Tuesday, February 19.

Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss and S. S. Swackhamer will be the speakers at the dinner to be given by the Men's Club of the First Presbyterian church tomorrow night.

The entertainment committee of the Park Avenue Baptist church Sunday-school has decided to hold Easter exercises on Sunday night, March 31, in the church auditorium.

The annual reception of Rev. and Mrs. A. E. Finn will be given by the members of the Park Avenue Baptist church Thursday night. An attractive programme has been prepared.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Park Avenue Baptist church will meet tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. T. Ostrom, on Carlton avenue, to transact important business.

"A Cherry Tree Social" will be held at the Park Avenue Baptist church, Thursday night, February 21, under the auspices of the Bible classes taught by Rev. and Mrs. A. E. Finn.

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will meet tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. This is the meeting postponed from last week. Mrs. M. B. Whitney and Miss Ella Serrell will present the programme.

Dr. Harold Corbusier, of Watchung avenue, will give his illustrated lecture on "China and the Boxer Uprising," before the Men's Club of the First Baptist church tonight. Lantern slides from photos taken by Dr. Corbusier will be shown. There will also be phonograph selections. The women of the church are invited.

PERSONAL.

Captaint Stuart, of Grove street, is detained at home by illness.

W. E. Bartle, of this city, has been visiting relatives at Martinsville.

Walter Clark, of West Front street, has returned from a western business trip.

John Peeke Reynolds, of Westervelt avenue, who has been quite ill, has about recovered.

Mrs. Harry Auten, of Somerville, has been visiting relatives in Plainfield for several days.

Mrs. Henry C. VanName, of Madison avenue, has been visiting relatives on Staten Island.

President of the Common Council Leslie M. Daniel has about recovered from a recent illness.

Mrs. William VanWinkle, of Martinsville, is visiting her brother, Martin Way, of Stone street.

R. W. Smith, of this city, who has been visiting T. L. Abbott, of Martinsville, has returned home.

Mrs. Kirk Wiggins, of this city, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Staats, of Bound Brook.

H. H. Shepard, of Bound Brook, has been spending several days with his brother, B. H. Shepard, of this city.

Henry Talford, formerly proprietor of The Evening Star, but late of Bridgeport, Conn., has been visiting in town.

Howard Willett, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Willett, of Craig place, has entirely recovered from a recent operation.

Councilman William L. Gloak, of East Second street, is much improved from a recent illness and is able to be out again.

Councilman Frank Randolph, of West Front street, has recovered from a recent illness and is able to be out again.

William F. Richards, of East Third street, who has been detained at home with an attack of pneumonia, has recovered.

Mrs. George Zimmerman and Mrs. John Zimmerman, of Martinsville, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. William E. Bartle, of the borough.

Mrs. James Murray, of New York, sister-in-law of Mrs. Joseph Webster Sandford, of West Seventh street, is greatly improved from a severe illness.

James Maybury, of Passaic, has been spending a few days in town. He formerly held a contract for the building of an extension to the sewer system.

—The Board of Governors of the Muhlenberg Hospital will hold the February meeting at the Casino tonight.

—A bachelor's dance will be held at the Casino tonight under the patronage of a number of well-known society people.

—Miss Alice May Ross, of 403 East Seventh street, gave an informal dance to about fifty friends at her home on Friday night last. The affair was a highly enjoyable one. Refreshments were served by Day, of Newark.

—On account of the bachelors' ball to be given at the Casino tonight it will be impossible for the Plainfield Operatic Association to meet at that time. Rehearsals for "Pinafore" will probably commence on Monday night, February 18.

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MARTINE FOR GOVERNOR.

The fair and frank press of New Jersey, regardless of political leanings, is paying handsome tributes these days to James E. Martine in connection with his boom for the the Democratic gubernatorial nomination. Martine, himself, says he doesn't want the nomination, declaring that his sole ambition has been to go to the National Legislature, but the "farmer orator" has said those things before and his friends count on again pursuading him to become a candidate. The marvellous run he made against Charles N. Fowler for Congress coupled with the united support given him by the Democrats in the State Legislature for the United States Senatorship brings him to the fore as the most likely one for gubernatorial honors.

Among the countless tributes paid to him during the last week or so, the editorial in yesterday's Newark Call is a good sample. The Call says:

"The nomination of James E. Martine, the 'farmer orator,' for United States Senator by the Democratic caucus last week, is supposed to indicate his candidacy for Governor next fall. Mr. Martine seems to be one of those plain people who often succeed very well in politics and who do very fair service to the public as well. His chances of success would certainly be better than those of any Democratic nominee for the last dozen years. The Republicans have worked pretty hard to throw away their big majority in this State, and they will have to present a candidate who will have support more than local to retain their control. The macrine has been a failure. It is bad enough to be wrong, but even the machinist in politics despises a blunderer."

MR. REED'S CANDIDACY.

The logical candidate for State Treasurer is Charles Arthur Reed, although it is rather doubtful whether the honor will come to him. Politics is a funny thing. Not infrequently the most deserving and best qualified are stood aside to reward those of markedly inferior ability. Were it otherwise, Frank O. Briggs would not have been elected United States Senator for who would think of placing him in the same cl... with such brilliant men as John W. Griggs, Mahlon Pitney and Edward C. Stokes.

In the present contest that Mr. Reed would be a better choice than "Uncle Dan" Voorhees, known to fame as the boss of Morris county, can hardly be gainsaid. The former Senator from Somerset county has had much experience in State affairs. As president of the Senate he showed himself to be a man of exceptional ability. He is a lawyer of high rank and is altogether a broad, level-headed and intellectual personage. Five years ago he came within one vote of being chosen to fill an unexpired term for the treasurership, the honor at that time going to Mr. Briggs. His services to the party have been valuable and today he is still without doubt the strongest figure in the Republican party in Somerset county. Mr. Reed is the man for the place.

FREE HEALTH.

In his address "The Safety, Honor and Welfare of the People," Hugh F. Fox, at the Charities Conference, discussed at length "free health," which he referred to as a new idea. By this is meant the right of every child to nourishment, decency, education, play and the development of the body, mind and soul. The Plainfielder declares that the subject is just as important from a civic standpoint as free education and very rightly says "to insure the physical fitness of these future citizens it requires the careful and constant medical inspection of all school children. It implies the prohibition of child labor, improving housing conditions among the poor; and the abolition of sweatshops; the establishment of public playgrounds and recreation centres, and, of course, pure food, pure milk, pure water and proper drainage."

The subject, "free health" is certainly one that requires careful and mature consideration and action on the part of the State authorities and Mr. Fox is doing a noble work in advocating it in such an intelligent manner.

An exchange says that John F. Dryden will enter the lists with John Kean for the Senatorial plum when the latter's term expires. Little early to discuss the subject; probably neither one will be in the running when the time comes.

JOURNALISTIC OPINIONS

Blow to Newspapers.

"The new code prepared by the Postal Commission, which is being pressed to passage as a rider upon the general appropriation bill, is a blow at the newspapers in general and at the most liberal and successful of them in particular. Under the proposed new rules fiction is barred, because it does not involve periodicity. Advertising is restricted to fifty per cent. of the superficial area of the paper. Supplements of publications cannot contain any advertising, and must not be printed on anything but paper. Sections of newspapers must conform in size, form and weight of paper; clubbing arrangements and premium offers are forbidden. Not more than ten per cent. of the actual paid subscriptions can be sent out a specimen copies by mail.

"These are samples of the changes proposed in the new code; others refer to the rates of postage, manner of folding, wrapping, registering, etc. There are fifty-two sections to the code and about 7,000 words, and practically all of them are to the positive disadvantage of the newspapers and their readers. Nearly, if not quite, 30,000 papers, magazines, etc., will be adversely affected by the recommendations of the Postal Commission if they are adopted by Congress.

"The Sunday papers, which publish an immense amount of fiction, will be barred from the mails at the usual newspaper rates, and if no more advertising than fifty per cent. of the superficial area of the periodical is allowed, then all such papers as the Evening News and all the popular magazines and all trade publications will have to pay exorbitant rates or be deprived of mail privileges.

"This latter provision is a blow at successful newspapers everywhere. It is more; it is an unwarranted interference with the rights and privileges of all citizens who may wish to advertise in papers that are valuable to them. If the papers of their choice, the papers that bring them the best returns for their money, have already fifty per cent. of space devoted to advertising, not another line can be taken without increasing the mail rates or abandoning altogether this method of distributing papers.

"Tis is a ban on legitimate newspaper enterprise. If an editor or publisher works hard, makes his paper valuable, secures for it a large circulation, and thus commands a heavy advertising business, he is penalized by having his business restricted within certain limits. It is doubtful if such a rule would stand the test if carried into the United States courts. It is a regulation in restraint of legitimate trade.

"The proposed changes are burdensome, harassing and hostile to the development and extension of newspapers and other periodicals. They undertake to curb newspaper expansion by dictating what and how much shall be printed, and by refusing the privileges of the mails to those that cannot comply with arbitrary terms. That the postal privileges have at times been abused is certainly true, but this is no reason why honest newspapers should suffer or their readers be deprived of the daily news. The proposed new code needs revising more than did the old one, for it is more arbitrary, inquisitorial, dogmatic and unjust."—Newark News.

New York Indians' Rampage.

Malone, N. Y., Feb. 11.—Indians from the St. Regis reservation, crazed with liquor, have kept the residents of Hogansburg, Franklin county, in fear and peril for several days. Conditions became so serious yesterday that scores of families remained indoors for fear of encountering the redskins. The St. Regis reservation is only a few miles from Hogansburg, and when the Indians go to the village and drink firewater it is about as safe to be out on the plains among a tribe of savages as to try to live in safety in Hogansburg. The Franklin county sheriff has exerted himself in behalf of the village folk, but the business of serving papers on the fiery tempered Indians is so dangerous that he finds it absolutely impossible to engage a deputy who has nerve enough for the work. About thirty Indians went to Hogansburg last week for a spree—and they had it. Despite the law which says no liquor shall be sold to Indians they found no difficulty in getting all they were willing to pay for, and by midnight most of them were wildly intoxicated. The smashing of hundreds of windows was the commencement, and it was followed by the caving in of an entire store from and the demolishing of a building in course of erection. In their wanton destruction of property the Indians were wholly undistrubed, as the town has no policemen.

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Axminster Carpets, 98c, $1.15, $1.25 and $1. 35 a yard.

Ingrain Carpets, from 49c to 95c a yard.

The above prices include making, laying and lining.

Wilton Velvet Carpets, 98c, $1.25, $1.30 and $1.65 a yard.

Kurdistan Brussels Rugs, size 9x12, sale price, $11.98.

Brussels Rugs, size 9x12, $15.00, $16.50, $19.98 and $27.50.

Oriental Rugs, size 9x12, sale price $28.98.

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SCRAP BASKETS, IMPORTERS SAMPLES.
Regular price 50c, sale price 29c
Regular price $1.00, sale price 59c
Regular price $1.50, sale price 78c

CLOTHES BASKETS.
Small size, regular 59c, sale price 43c
Medium size, regular 78c, sale price 58c
Large size, regular 98c, sale price 69c

ROUND WASH BOILERS.
Small size, regular 35c, sale price 29c
Medium size, regular 45c, sale price 35c

HEAVY GALVANIZED PAILS.
10-quart size, regular 25c, sale price 18c
12-quart size, regular 30c, sale price 23c
14-quart size, regular 35c, sale price 29c

GALVANIZED CHAMBER PAILS.
Medium size, regular 39c, sale price 32c
Large size, regular 49c, sale price 39c

GALVANIZED ASH CANS.
Full size, with iron drop handles, regular $1.48, sale price 98c

HEAVY DISH PANS.
IX tin 14-quart size, regular price 35c, sale price 23c

GALVANIZED WASH TUBS.
No. 1 size, regular 59c, sale price 53c
No. 2 size, regular 69c, sale price 63c
No. 3 size, regular 79c, sale price 73c

HEAVY POLISHED TINWARE.
4 and 6 quart sizes in covered long handle Sauce Pans, regular price 98c, sale price 48c
4 and 6 quart sizes in covered Batter Kettles, regular price 98c, sale price 48c
Bread Boxes, Japanned and stenciled, regular price 59c, sale price 43c
Cake Boxes, round shape, Japanned, regular price 59c, sale price 39c

HEAVY STEEL SPIDERS.
Ground and polished, No. 8 size, regular price 35c, sale price 23c

ENAMELED SLOP JARS.
With side handles, white outside, regular 50c, sale price 38c

GREY ENAMELED WARE.
Regular 50c goods for 29c.
Your choice for any of the following: Tea and Coffee Pots, Berlin Saucepans, Dish Pans, Colenders, Fry Pans, Pudding Pans and Lipped Saucepans.

The Woodhull & Martin Store

Peck's Goods

are worth what they are marked and marked what they are worth.

DON'T MISS THIS SPECIAL SALE OF COUCHES.

Those who come early will secure Remarkable Values. We have bought a sample line of these Handsome, Comfortable Couches they are Well Made, Strong and Durable. In order to sell them quickly and make room for other goods, we have marked them way below the usual price. Our large assortment of New Spring Goods is now complete. Very desirable Furniture, Carpets, Bedding, Mattresses, etc., at tempting prices. Now is a good time to make your selection.

SHIRLEY & JOHNSTON,
BABCOCK BUILDING, PLAINFIELD, N. J.

THE PLAINFIELD SAVINGS BANK

PAYS 3½ PER CENT.

ON DEPOSITS.

INTEREST BEGINNING

FIRST OF EVERY MONTH.

THIRTY-EIGHT YEARS AS A P. H. S. PEDAGOGUE

RECEPTION FOR MISS NILES AT ALUMNI'S ANNUAL GATHERING.

Two features will mark the annual gathering of the Plainfield High School alumni, to be held at the new High School building, Friday evening, February 22. There is no member of the High School faculty more widely known among the gradnates than Miss Ellen E. Niles, who will this year complete her thirty-eighth year in this service. The social end of the gathering will centre about a reception which has been arranged in Miss Niles' honor. Then there will be the usual dance for the members of the alumni and their invited guests.

With the idea of offering something of interest to the general public as well the alumni, it has been decided to precede the annual meeting of the association with an open public meeting which will be addressed by Frank Moss, well known as counsel for Dr. Parkhurst's society for the prevention of crime and a prominent member of the New York bar. His topic has not yet been announced. This meeting will be held in the school hall at 8 o'clock and will be open to the public without further invitation.

Following the address, the public will have an opportunity to depart, after which the business session of the Alumni Association will be held. The reception to Miss Niles will follow in the school library and the floor of the main hall will be cleared for dancing.

President W. D. Murray has appointed the following committee of arrangements: Charles B. Morse, chairman, Miss Ellen L. Osgood, Miss Dorothy Fleming, Franklin S. Smith, Vincent B. Miner and Theodore O. Cavett. The committee has laid out its plan of campaign and the details are being rapidly completed.

S. S. REPORT.

Trinity Has 814 Pupils According to Annual Statement.

Annual reports were presented at the adjourned meeting of the officers and teachers of the Trinity Reformed church Sunday-school, yesterday afternoon. The meeting was to have been held last Monday, but the storm prevented. H. E. Gayle, treasurer, reported receipts for the past year of $954.96 and disbursements of $638.09, leaving a balance of $316.87.

The annual report of Secretary Elias H. Bird follows:

The total membership of the school for the year ending December 31, 1905, was 806. The membership December 31, 1906, was 814, divided as follows: Officers and assistants, 14; teachers, 42; home department, 201; Bible classes, 159; main school, 124; junior department, 60; primary department, 140; beginners' department, 74. During the year twenty-four members of the school joined the church. The total average attendance was 331. The largest attendance for the year was on Sunday, September 16, when 437 members of the school were present. The smallest attendance, 119, was on October 21.

Liquor Men Fined $400.

Hackensack, Feb. 11.—Munzer Brothers, wholesale liquor dealers, of Paterson, were fined here Saturday $400 by Judge David D. Zabriskie for selling liquor in various Bergen county towns without a license.

MARRIED ?

Carnival Benefit!

Plainfield Band

Central Hall, North & Park Ave.

Saturday, Feb. 9-16.

Vaudeville Acts, Dancing, Moving Pictures, Band Concerts, Midway. $50 to any parties that agree to be married on stage. Doors open at 7 p. m. Admission 15c. 2 8 6

Musicale and Vaudeville

Given By

THE COMEDY CLUB

at St. Stephen's Parish House, Netherwood,

Monday Evening, February 11,

at 8 o'clock

For the benefit of the parish house maintenance fund.

ADMISSION FIFTY CENTS.

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WEEKS' Break Up a Cold TABLETS

25C PER BOX.

Guaraniee No Cure No Pay.

POWERS' Pharmacy Co.

New Plainfield Theatre.

Plainfield's Popular Play House.
Playing all the Leading Attractions.
W. J. COUNIHAN Proprietor and Manager

Tonight at 8:15

Malcum Arbuckle in
George Ade's Quaint Comedy,

THE COUNTY CHAIRMAN.

PRICES—25c, 50c, 75c, $1, $1.50

Lincoln's Birthday, Mat. and Night—Feb. 12—
WILTON LACKAYE In
THE LAW AND THE MAN.
Matinee price, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, $1
Night prices, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1, $1.50

Saturday, Mat. and Night, Feb. 16—
JOE WELSH, IN
THE SHOEMAKER.
Prices—Matinee 25c and 35c.
Night 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c.

Monday Night Feb. 11. Y. M. C. A. Hall.

Special engagement of D. W. Robertson's

Famous Moving Picture Co.

Everything New, Novel and Interesting.

Admission 25c, seats 35c. Now on sale at Hodge's drug store. td

Annual Entertainment of
THE SAGAMORE MUSICAL CLUB
AT THE CASINO
Plainfield, February 18, 1907

Assisted By
Aimee Louise Emmons, Reader,
Malcolm Shackleford, Humorist,
Fred F. VanEps, Banjoist.

DANCING

Concert at 8:15. Admission 75 cts.
ALL SEATS RESERVED.
Tickets can be exchanged at Schreiner's Drug Store on and after February 12.

PLAINFIELD EXCHANGE FOR WOMAN'S WORK.
502 Watchung Ave.

Sale of Infants' and Children's Knitted "Hoods and Sacques," Work Bags and Aprons. Burned wood fruit bowls, glove boxes, etc.
Come in and visit us.

We will quote daily any listed stock you may be interested in, on request, among our regular quotations which we publish daily.
The average price of railroads stocks is over ten points lower than this time last year, with earnings and dividends much higher.

MILLS BROS. & CO.
Members New York Stock Exchange,
Sterling Building.
W. de LaR. Anderson, Manager.
Direct private wire and ticker.

PUTNAM & DEGRAW.

Children's 50c Toques for **39c.** Men's black ½ Hose at **15c,** 2 pr, **25c**
Special sale of Back and Side Combs. Special sale of Table Linen and Towels.

The First National Bank of Plainfield

Capital and Surplus, $250,000.00.
Deposits, $1,500,000.00.

Officers and Directors:
A. J. Brunson, President.
J. A. Smith, Vice-Prest.
D. M. Runyon, Cashier.
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Accounts of Corporations, Firms and Individuals Solicited.

Two Lots

Opposite Netherwood Hotel, eighty-eight feet frontage, will be sold cheap for desirable improvement.

Lots, Rock Ave. and West Fourth Street, high ground overlooking new factory on Rock Avenue.

EASY TERMS.

William Jeffery,

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Plainfield, N. J.

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12-room house, all improvements, very central location; just the house for a doctor, dentist or boarding house. Price only $4,500.

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152 North Avenue,

Next to the Station and next to bargain.

CANARIES ALL SINGERS Seeds, Cages, etc
Kurzhal's, THEATRE BUILDING.
Barber) WEST SECOND STREET

Annual meeting

The Union Building & Loan Association.

Office, No. 146 Park Avenue.

Monday, February 11,

at 8 p. m.

Election of Officers, Directors and Auditors.

A few shares left of the series opened last month will be offered for sale. 2 8 3

ARE WE GETTING YOUR BUNDLE ?

Our Domestic Finish on Shirts, Collars and Cuffs cannot be approached by any other laundry in Plainfield.

American Steam Laundry

H. W. MARSHALL' Proprietor.
'Phone 820-R. 122 East Front St.

When need attention consult
Your Dr. D. G. Atwood,
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Tel. 448-R.

"GLYCEROLE OF ARNICA"

For Chapped Hands.

There is no preparation which has given such general satisfaction as Randolph's "Glycerole of Arnica." It has successfully "stood the test" for many years and is a very healing remedy, perfectly absorbed by the skin, without any greasy after effect. Delightfully perfumed with Extract of White Rose.

25c per bottle.

L. W. RANDOLPH,
The City Pharmacy,
143 W. Front St.

NEWS IN THE SUBURBS

RARITAN.

Miss Margaret Farmer has been the guest of friends in Califon during the past week.

Miss Helen Hickey was a recent guest of her sister, Mrs. F. J. Smith, at Bayonne.

Miss Lizzie Frech and Anna Galuska have gone to Bloomfield to reside.

J. J. Bourke has been spending part of this week in Jersey City.

Fred Conklin lead the Epworth League meeting last evening.

(Additional suburban news on page 2).

CARPENTER'S ABSENCE CAUSES MUCH WORRY.

Still No Clue to Whereabouts of Liberty Corner Man Who Disappeared February 1.

Bernardsville, Feb. 11.—The disappearance of William A. Burd, of Liberty Corner, on Friday, February 1, and his failure to return, has caused much anxiety among his friends of that place. Burd was driven to the railroad station at Millington by two daughters of Lee Thompson, of Liberty Corner, with whom he boarded.

He took the train leaving Millington at 9:37 a. m. to go to Newark to transact some business. He was expected to return on an evening train, but failed to do so, and has not yet put in an appearance. His continued absence, his friends say, is entirely without cause, so far as is known, and it is feared that he may have met with foul play. He had about $60 with him when he left Liberty Corner.

Burd is a carpenter and builder by occupation, and had considerable unfinished work on hand. He had the carpentry contract to make alterations and additions to the house recently purchased by former Assemblyman William J. Kearns, a Newark lawyer, between Liberty Corner and Lyons, and several men were in his employ on this work, which is yet in an incompleted condition.

Burd was born near here about thirty-eight years ago, and is unmarried. He is well known throughout the township, and is a man of steady habits. He is five feet three inches in height, weighs about 125 pounds, has brown hair and blue eyes—the left eye is blind and partly closed. When he disappeared he wore a mixed suit, dark brown overcoat and a black derby hat.

Turned In Alarm To Rob.

New York, Feb. 11.—Burglars turned in a false alarm of fire from the "Bellevue box," at First avenue and Twenty-sixth street, at 2 o'clock yesterday morning so they could rob the fire house of Hook and Ladder Company No. 7, in Twenty-eighth street, near Third avenue. Captain Graham says the company responded to an alarm for fire, and laid hose preparatory to turning on water, when they found no fire anywhere in the vicinity. On his return he went to his locker to get a cigar and found that the docker had been pried open. One of the men found a bundle near the back door of the fire house, and investigation disclosed all missing clothing, a watch and other articles. The burglars had been frightened away before they could get their booty out of the place.

ADVOCATES FREE HEALTH

Hugh F. Fox Addresses State Charities Conference on Standard of Living.

IMMIGRANTS NEEDED

Room For All Foreigners Says Plainfielder Who Talks On "Safety, Honor and Welfare of the People."

An audience that filled the Lyceum theatre at Paterson yesterday afternoon took part in the opening meeting of the State Conference of Charities and Corrections. From all over the State came men and women prominent in the movement to improve the social conditions in this State. Hugh F. Fox, of this city, acted as president of the conference.

Mr. Fox spoke on "The Safety, Honor and Welfare of the People."

"We cannot establish a high standard of citizenship unless we secure to every child the right to nourishment, decency, to education, to play and to develop its body, mind and soul freely and naturally," he said. "If necessary, the State must interfere with an invade the family to secure these rights for the child. This means a clean and healthful standard of living; it means adequate facilities for an all round education and the rigid enforcement of truancy laws.

"To insure the physical fitness of these future citizens it requires the careful and constant medical inspection of all school children. It implies the prohibition of child labor, improving housing conditions among the poor, and the abolition of sweatshops; the establishment of public play-grounds and recreation centres, and, of course, pure food, pure milk, pure water and proper drainage.

"Free health is a new idea to us, though it is just as important from the civic standpoint as free education. The people are beginning to demand that this part of our system of government be taken out of politics."

Referring to the corrective institutions of the State, Mr. Fox contended that all of them should be taken out of politics.

"But what can we say of our common jails?" he continued. "Could any devil's factory for wickedness be more ingeniously contrived than the jails of these United States? We send men there to loaf in idleness, allowing them to gather together during the daytime in the corridors which surround their cells. There is often little or no discipline. The moral atmosphere of the jail is in incitement to crime and a provocation to vice. We have talked about it long enough. Let us see if we cannot find a remedy."

Mr. Fox has introduced the subject of immigration for the first time into the conference. On this subject he remarked: "I have yet to learn of any body of facts which justify the conclusion that any class or race of white men are a menace to our civilization. On the contrary, I believe that practically every able-bodied European immigrant is a national asset, and that the demand is even greater than the supply."

Mrs. Emily E. Williamson discussed the subject of "Probation in New Jersey." She told of the efforts to establish juvenile courts in this State, and declared that the New Jersey Probation Juvenile Court law is the best in the world. She cited the benefits that had come from the law among the people in Union countyy and other counties.

"Child Labor in the Glass Factories of the United States" was discussed by Owen Lovejoy, assistant secretary of the National Child Labor Committee. He advanced the passage of a law prohibiting the employment in factories at night of children under sixteen years old.

The Rev. Dr. Stephen S. Wise, of New York, spoke on "Our Social Salvation."

The conference will end tomorrow afternoon.

Back To Boston.

Thomas Osment, of New street, went to Boston, Mass., today to attend the convention of the Painters' and Paperhangers' Union, as the representative of the Plainfield local. Boston is Mr. Osment's old home, but this is the first time he has headed that way in thirty years. He will probably spend the week renewing his acquaintance with the baked bean in its native habitat.

THE CELEBRATED

"WHITE LABEL" CANNED GOODS.

TOMATOES—Nice solid meaty Tomatoes—Canned when they were ripe and right.

CORN—The ripest, sweetest and juiciest of all.

PEAS—Grown where the soil favors the vegetable and therefore has a delicious flavor.

LIMA BEANS—Small, extra fine.

ASPARAGUS and fancy **MAINE CORN** a specialty.

NEUMAN BROS.
WATCHUNG AVE. and FIFTH ST.

FAIR YOUNG WOMEN AS P. S. C. CANVASSERS

THREE BRIGHT MAIDENS TO SELL ELECTRICAL DEVICES IN PLAINFIELD.

Three pretty young women, blondes and brunettes, will on Thursday morning invade Plainfield and vicinity and will visit almost every resident in the city and borough. The fair ones will make calls for the Public Service Corporation for which concern they will solicit orders for the electrical economical turndown lamps and of course they hope to do a big business. The engagement of women to work for the Public Service is a new idea, but calculated to be advantageous.

Inquiry made known the fact that these young women come from Brooklyn where they did similar work. An official of the Public Service says that their work will cover not only Plainfield and North Plainfield but Scotch Plains and Fanwood as well. The canvassers must put up a convincing 16 to 1 argument. While its same ratio as the silver question arguments conducted unsuccessfully by William J. Bryan, the explanation to this article offered for sale is quite different and more apt to find hearers and listeners.

It might be said that the 16 to 1 comes in by way of candle power. The ordinary house light is a 16 candle power lamp. This particular economical turn-down electric lamp is a patented article making it possible to turn down the light from 16 to 1 candle power. It gives a small yet bright light and saves considerable money. Where a 16 candle power lamp roughly estimated cotss one cent per hour this lamp will cost 1-16 of one cent, a material saving.

The women solicitors will present a bunch of reasons why consumers of electricity should install such lamps. For instance a one candle power lamp is calculated to be quite sufficient for couples occupying the parlor and holding hands after pa and ma have said good night, it is bright enough to locate the bottle of "cholera drops" in case of midnight cramps, and it is plenty bright enough for hubby to take off his shoes downstairs and quietly go to his chamber. Of course there are other reasons too and the ladies ought to do a big business.

"You see we have engaged women," said a Public Service man, "because the women are at home and would rather hear the explanation of a good thing by one of their own sex than a man. In fact a man has not the opportunities to get into houses in the day time, nor can he get the attention that the woman will receive."

The lamp in question is on exhibition in the office of the Public Service Corporation.

Death of Former Plainfielder.

David Nuttall, a former well-known machinist of this city, where for a number of years he was employed at the Potter Press Works, died at the Bayonne City Hospital on Friday night. He was taken with a severe cold early in December, which did not yield to treatment. Mr. Nuttall was born in Manchester, England, and was one of the charter members of Court Plainfield, No. 1144, Independent Order Foresters, a delegation of whom attended the funeral held this afternoon from the late home, 379 Avenue C, Bayonne. A wife and daughter, Gertrude, survive him. Mrs. Nuttall is quite ill and her condition is the cause of much anxiety.

His Sorrow Mistaken.

New York, Feb. 11.—Eugene Susstrunk was on his way Saturday night to his home, in No. 670 East 156th street, where he has a wife and children, when he stepped accidentally on the foot of Pauline Wolf, two years old, daughter of Philip Wolf, of No. 204 West Forty-first street. Pauline began to cry and Susstrunk said, "Come, and I'll buy you some candy." Susstrunk was about to enter a candy store with the child when Wolf grabbed him and shouted, "You're stealing my child! Police! Help!" In the West Side Court yesterday Susstrunk was held in $1,000 bail for examination tomorrow. The bail was provided.

$100 Two Elegant Upright Piano Bargains. $115

This week only, fully guaranteed Weber, Chickering, Decker bargains. We have the goods, and save you from $50 to $200. Why pay agents enormous profit. Call and be convinced. Hadley's, 315 West Front street. Open evenings.

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200 West Second St. Telephone 153.
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Corner Central Avenue and West Front Street.
Opposite First Baptist Church.

Townsend's Granite Works,
Fourth and Richmond Streets.
Tel. 2214. Westfield trolley passes my office

DIED.

WYCKOFF—In this city, February 11, 1907, Mrs. Emma Wyckoff, of South Plainfield, aged 48 years.

Notice of funeral tomorrow.

ARMSTRONG—At her late residence, Prospect place, North Plainfield, on Saturday, Feb. 9, 1907, Ellen, wife of James Armstrong.

Funeral private.

ARMSTRONG—At his late residence, Prospect place, North Plainfield, on Saturday, Feb. 9, 1907, James Armstrong.

Funeral private.

GALBRAITH—In this city, February 10, 1907, Daniel Galbraith.

Funeral from his late residence, 506 West Fourth street, Wednesday, February 13, at 8:30 a. m. and from St. Mary's church at 9 a. m., where a requiem mass will be offered for the repose of his soul. Interment in St. Mary's cemetery. 2 11 2

DOUD—On Saturday, Feb. 9, 1907, John McBain, youngest son of Thomas and Mary E. Doud, in his 23d year.

Funeral at the late residence, 59 Duer street, North Plainfield, on Tuesday, February 12, at 9 a. m. and at St. Joseph's Roman Catholic church on Manning avenue at 9:30, where a solemn mass of requiem will be offered for the repose of his soul.

Classified Advertisements

Rates for advertisements under this heading one cent a word for first insertion, one half a cent a word for consecutive insertions of the same advertisement running for less than one month; one month, fifty cents a line (6 words to a line), double rate for advertisement set in capitals.

No advertisements received for less than ten cents.

Copy for deaths and marriage notices and classified advertising accepted up to 2:30 p. m.

THE DAILY PRESS is not at liberty to give any information regarding advertisements that require an address in care of this office. Persons answering these ads. should mail or leave answers as stated in advertisements.

Help Wanted.

CHAMBERMAIDS wanted at once; $25 per month; also kitchenmaids and waitresses. Swedish Intelligence Office, 22 Somerset place. 2 9 2

WANTED—A colored cook; must know how to do fine cooking; no washing. Call 669 West Seventh St. 2 11 4

Help Wanted.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework; family of three. 678 West Seventh St. 2 4 tf

BOY wanted. Apply Watchung Silk Factory. 2 11 3

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework; no washing or ironing; good wages; references required. 814 Kensington Ave. 2 11 2

WANTED—Bright boy as apprentice in drawing room; must be a steady and reliable worker. Walter Scott & Co. 2 11 3

WANTED—White girl for general housework; small family. 1216 Putnam avenue. 2 11 3

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at once at Mrs. Day's Intelligence Office, South Plainfield, N. J. 2 9 tf

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at once at Mrs. Keller's Intelligence Office, 22 Somerset place. 12 29 tf

WANTED—White girl for general housework; no washing. Call afternoons, 955 West Sixth St. 1 24 tf

MACHINISTS—First class vise, lathe and boring mill hands wanted at the Watson Stillman Co., Aldene, N. J. 2 4 12

WANTED—Man around 50 years old to look after our trade in this county; special inducements; permanent. C. R. Burr & Co., Nurserymen, Hartford, Conn. 2 8 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Call 113 Park place, corner Mercer avenue. 2 8 3

WANTED—White girl for general housework in family of three; no washing. 329 Franklin place. 2 7 tf

WANTED—An experienced saleswoman for millinery; a permanent and excellent position for a capable person. Apply to Bonn's millinery store. 2 9 3

WANTED—Tutor for evening lessons in German. Answer stating terms and experience, X. Y. Z., care Daily Press. 2 9 tf

GIRL wanted for general housework; no washing. 129 Grove, corner Park place. 2 6 tf

WANTED—A nurse. 915 Hillside avenue. 1 26 tf

WANTED — Experienced cook; white; reference required. Apply 1060 Central Ave. 2 4 tf

GIRL wanted to cook, wash and iron; references required. Apply 526 West Seventh St. 1 29 tf

WANTED—Good cook, white; references. Call 441 West 8th street 1 4 tf

Rooms and Board.

LARGE sunny rooms to let with board; convenient to everything; terms reasonable. 141 East Fifth St. 2 11 6

COMFORTABLE, well heated rooms, with excellent board; also table board; evening dinners a specialty. For terms call or address Mrs. A. L. Waldorf, 132 and 134 Crescent Ave. 2 8 tf

FURNISHED room with bath, for a gentleman. 445 Orchard place. 2 11 tf

FURNISHED rooms for gentlemen in refined neighborhood. 402 Grant avenue. 12 6 tf

GOOD accommodations; low rates Boyce's Hotel, 97 Somerset St. tf

Chickens and Eggs.

FOR SALE—Single comb black Minorca cockerels, hatched from eggs purchased direct from Northrup. 963 West Fourth St. 2 11 3

FOR SALE—Who wants some white leghorn pullets, laying? Also, white leghorn cockerels. Netherwood farm, Mountain Ave. 2 11 6

BLACK ORPINGTON COCKERELS AND PULLETS—A few choice ones for sale; fine shape and color; good enough to show; brothers to first prize winners at the late large shows; write for prices; eggs $5 per setting. Oak Tree Poultry and Game Farm, Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J. 1 21 tf

Wanted—Miscellaneous.

WANTED—A milk route, about 100 quarts. Address N. B. Giles, Dunellen, N. J. 2 11 6 eod

WILL care for good horse for the winter for use of same. Address Good Care, care Press. 10 6 tf

UPRIGHT piano wanted cheap for cash; any condition. Address Box 605, Plainfield. 11 8 tf

Situations Wanted.

WOMAN wants washing to take home. 924 West Third St. 2 11 6

GERMAN girl wants position at general housework. 328 East Fourth street. 2 11 3

WAITRESSES and nurse girls want positions; two years' reference. Call or address Mrs. Dey, South Plainfield, N. J. 2 11 2

RESPECTABLE German woman wants washing at home. Apply 224 Grove street. 2 11 6

WOMAN wants days' work. 207 Prescott place. 2 11 3

Miscellaneous.

I WRITE insurance of all kind. Lemuel A. Tunison, Mt. Horeb, P. O., Martinville, N. J. 2 2 12

MRS. BONY — High-class dressmaking; French models; fine work remodeling; moderate prices. 12 Stone St., North Plainfield. 1 24 1m

NEXT—We are next to station and next to bargain; bring in your bargain and be next to buyers. Ira L. LaRue, 152 North Ave. 1 8 tf

GENERAL typewriting and stenographer. Call at 33 Somerset street, N. Plainfield. A. G. Daudt. 2 2 1m

FREE! FREE! Six fine square pianos, for cost of tuning and carting only; great chance for beginners and others. Call at once, Hadley's piano salesrooms, 315 West Front St. 23 tf

DEAD animals removed. Ruckman Brothers, 204 Plainfield avenue, 'phone 415-L. 8 28 6m

P. F. LATOURETTE, auctioneer; sales promptly attended to; satisfaction guaranteed. 326 West Front St. 2 10 tf

BEFORE selling your furniture see Latourette, 326 West Front St. tf

PAINTING and paperhanging, 1907 patterns; estimates furnished. Francis Bartels, Watchung, N. J. 1 14 1m

AUTOMOBILES sold by us guaranteed right; we thoroughly overhaul every machine before selling, and still sell way below market prices; we only buy and sell late model slightly used cars of the kind we know give satisfaction; investigate before buying. Thompson Auto Co., 315 West Front. 1 12 1m

BABIES crochet sacques for sale; all prices; also ladies' knitted sweaters made to order. Mrs. Mayer, 54 Pearl street, North Plainfield. tf

THE highest cash price paid for household goods, furniture, etc. Fred W. Hand, Auctioneer, 136 East Second street, 'Phone 1722. tf

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Madrid.—Truly an amazing story is that of Senorita Esperanzi Vasquez, a wealthy merchant's daughter, who, after being missing for three months, was found masquerading as a male tramp, and it now a nun in a convent. She is only 19 and her father is a leading citizen of Santander. The senorita was carefully brought up and educated. She is a tall, good looking and well built girl, who was known as a regular dare-devil, and the heroine of many merry escapades. With men and women alike, she was intensely popular.

One night, three months ago, the Vasquez mansion was ablaze with light, as a great ball was being given to celebrate the betrothal of the Senorita Esperanzi and the Senor Pablo y Cerda of Bilboa. The next morning the senorita was missing. Day after day passed and there was no word of her; no clue by which her whereabouts could be discovered. She had simply vanished.

For several weeks the girl's disappearance was the sensation of the district. Then her discovery caused an even greater sensation. Disguised as a man, she was found in a tramps' "refuge," a type of lodging house run by the municipality of Paula Christina, in a district of Madrid. Clad in rough men's clothes, the girl had been a lodger for three days. On the night before her discovery a dispute arose between her and a burly giant, the bully and terror of the place. The bully struck her, knocking her senseless.

When the police rushed in, a doctor was sent for and thus it was found that the tall, well built, comely lad was in reality a girl. Then it came out that she was the much-sought Esperanzi Garcia Vasquez.

The girl was reconciled to her family, and her lover pleaded for an immediate marriage, but instead the senorita has just taken the veil in the Hermanas de Caridad convent in Madrid, and swears she will spend her life as a sister of mercy, tending the poor and nursing the sick.

She told a remarkable story of her wanderings in the three months. It

The Bully Knocked Her Senseless.

was because of the distasteful betrothal that she determined to leave home.

The household, in the early morning, tired out with the ball, was soundly asleep. The girl, dressed in her roughest clothes and taking only such money as she had in her purse, quietly walked to the railway station and boarded a milk train bound for Bilboa. From there she took another train to a lonely country station and began a tramp over the highway to Madrid. The first night she slept with the female servants in a cottage back of a big mansion.

On her second day she fell in with a male tramp who suggested that she assume male attire and join an adventurous band of which he was a member. She agreed and he introduced her to the chief, who gave her man's clothes, cut her hair and taught her to walk, swagger, talk from her chest and put her hands properly in her pockets.

She was treated with great consideration and finally a position was secured for her as footman in a nobleman's house. The suggestion was that she furnish plans and information of the house so that the band could rob it. The girl declares that she did not intend to do this, but seemingly agreed in order to enjoy the experience and adventure. But she only stayed the one day, for she found she had to share the sleeping accommodation of one of the other men servants.

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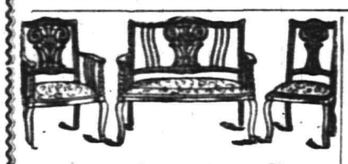

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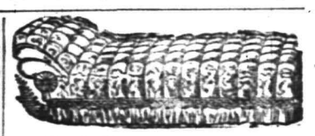

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"Let me have your ticket, please," he commanded.

"I can't," she said, turning first red and then white, "but I have one. Please let me pass. I've got to catch that train."

"You will have to show your ticket, madam," repeated the gateman sternly. Tears glistened in the lady's eyes.

"I tell you I can't, it's—it's— Well, I pinned in in my— Oh, I put it where I wouldn't lose it, and I can't get it till I have a chance to— Oh, do please let me through!" She was allowed to pass, and was heard to say as she made a dash for the train:

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The pedler looker rather astonished at this, and as soon as the captain raised his head he asked what he did that for.

Well," replied Collins, "I was just askin' him how his relatives were, out in the old ocean."

"And what did he say?" asked the pedler.

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"Do you think that they would believe you?"

"One of them would, I know."

"Ah, indeed! And why should he, pray?"

"Because he was present when I first saw her. He was at the gate when I rode up, and she stuck her head out of the second-story window and I said to her, 'How d'ye do?' and called out I'd be back to supper in half an hour. I'm no giraffe," and everybody smiled except the lawyer.

Mistake of a College Girl.

Charles Dana Hazen, head of the history department of Smith college, had excused one of his pupils from recitation on account of sickness. Shortly after the recitation hour the professor had occasion to pass through the main street of Northampton, and, much to his surprise, saw his excused student coming from the opposite direction.

This was a critical moment for the college girl, who took in the situation with a glance. Something must be done at once to escape his notice. The book store nearby was her only resort, and if she could have reached it on time she would have been all right. In her excited state of mind she got into a saloon just one door from her intended hiding place. On discovering her mistake she rushed into the street and into the arms of the professor.

Beats the Story Books.

For about 30 years Joseph Glover Southmay put off what he might have done any day. Consequently he has just reappeared at Middletown, Conn., after an absence of 36 years. Funeral services were held for him a generation ago, when he was believed to have been lost at sea. The amazing part of the story is that Southmay for 30 years has been running a farm a little more than 20 miles from Middletown. There is room enough in this world, it appears, unless a man is really trying to hide.

Terror's Effect on Hair.

It has been repeatedly affirmed that Queen Marie Antoinette's auburn hair turned white in the days of the reign of terror, and an English surgeon named Parry states that just after the Indian mutiny he actually saw the jet black hair of a rebel Sepoy, who was under examination and feared a dreadful death, turn white in the course of an hour. In the time of the commune in Paris, the dark hair of Baron Alphonse de Rothschild was blanched in a few hours.

"You know that I'm to spend a year on this place; I assume that you are acquainted with the circumstances," I said, feeling it wise that we should understand each other.

"Quite so, Mr. Glenarm."

"I'm a student, you know, and all I want is to be let alone."

This I threw in to reassure myself rather than for his information. It was just as well, I reflected, to assert a little authority, even though the fellow undoubtedly represented Pickering and received orders from him.

"In a day or two, or as soon as I have got used to the place, I shall settle down to work in the library. You may give me breakfast at seven-thirty; luncheon at one-thirty and dinner at seven."

"Those were my late master's hours, sir."

"Very well. And I'll eat anything you please, except mutton broth, meat pie and canned strawberries. Strawberries in ths, Bates, are not well calculated to lift the spirit of man."

"I quite agree with you, sir, if you will pardon my opinion."

"And the bills—"

"They are provided for by Mr. Pickering. He sends me an allowance for the household expenses."

"So you are to report to him, are you, as heretofore?"

I blew out a match with which I had lighted a cigar and watched the smoking end intently.

"I believe that's the idea, sir."

It is not pleasant to be under compulsion,—to feel your freedom curtailed, to be conscious of espionage. I arose without a word and went into the hall.

"You may like to have the keys," said Bates, following me. "There's two for the gates in the outer wall and one for the St. Agatha's gate; they're marked, as you see. And here's the hall door key and the boat house key that you asked for last night."

After an hour spent in unpacking I went out into the grounds. I thought it well to wire Pickering of my arrival, and I set out for Annandale to send him a telegram.

I found the gate through which we had entered the grounds the night before without difficulty, and started off in an amiable state of mind. My perplexity over the mysterious shot was passing away under the benign influences of blue sky and warm sunshine. A few farm folk passed me in the highway and saluted me in the fashion of the country, inspecting my knickerbockers at the same time with frank disapproval. When I reached the lake I gazed out upon its quiet waters with satisfaction. At the foot of Annandale's main street was a dock where several small steam craft and a number of catboats were being dismantled for the winter. As I passed a man approached the dock in a skiff, landed and tied his boat. He passed at a quick pace, then turned and eyed me with rustic directness.

"Good morning!" I said. "Any ducks about?"

He paused, nodded and fell into step with me.

"No,—not enough to pay for the trouble."

"I'm sorry for that. I'd hoped to pick up a few."

"I guess you're a stranger in these parts," he remarked, eyeing me again, —my knickerbockers no doubt marking me as an alien.

"Quite so. My name is Glenarm, and I've just come."

"I thought you might be him. We've rather been expecting you here in the village. I'm John Morgan, caretaker of the resorters' houses up the lake."

"I suppose you all knew my grandfather hereabouts."

"Well, yes; you might say as we did, or you might say as we didn't. He wasn't just the sort that you got next to in a hurry. He kept pretty much to himself. He built a wall there to keep us out, but he needn't have troubled himself. We're not the kind around here to meddle, and you may be sure the summer people never bothered him."

There was a tone of resentment in his voice, and I hastened to say:

"I'm sure you're mistaken about the purposes of that wall. My grandfather was a student of architecture. It was a hobby of his. The house and wall were in the line of his experiments, and to please his whims. I hope the people of the village won't hold any hard feelings against his memory or against me. Why, the labor there must have been a good thing for the people hereabouts."

"It ought to have been," said the man gruffly; "but that's where the trouble comes in. He brought a lot of queer fellows here under contract to work for him,—Italians, or Greeks, or some sort of foreigners. They built the wall, and he had 'em at work inside for half a year. He didn't even let 'em out for air; and when they finished his job he loaded 'em on to a train one day and hauled 'em away."

"That was quite like him, I'm sure," I said, remembering with amusement my grandfather's secretive ways.

"I guess he was a crank all right," said the man conclusively.

It was evident that he did not care to establish friendly relations with the resident of Glenarm. He was about 40, tight, with a yellow beard and pale blue eyes. He was dressed roughly and wore a shabby soft hat.

"Well, I suppose I'll have to assume responsibility for him and his acts," I remarked, piqued by the fellow's surliness.

We had reached the center of the village, and he left me abruptly, crossing the street to one of the shops. I continued on to the railway station, where I wrote and paid for my message. The station master inspected me carefully as I searched my pockets for change.

"You want your telegrams delivered at the house?" he asked.

"Yes, please," I answered, and he turned away to his desk of clicking instruments without looking at me again.

It seemed wise to establish relations with the postoffice, so I made myself known to the girl who stood at the delivery window.

"You already have a box," she advised me. "There's a boy carries the mail to your house; Mr. Bates hires him."

Bates had himself given me this information, but the girl seemed to find pleasure in imparting it with a certain severity. I then bought a cake of soap at the principal drug store and purchased a package of smoking tobacco, which I did not need, at a grocery.

News of my arrival had evidently reached the villagers; I was conceited enough to imagine that my presence was probably of interest to them; but the station master, the girl at the postoffice and the clerks in the shops treated me with an unmistakable cold reserve. There was a certain evenness of the chill with which they visited me, as though a particular degree of frigidity had been agreed on in advance.

I shrugged my shoulders and turned toward Glenarm. My grandfather had left me a cheerful legacy of distrust among my neighbors, the result, probably, of importing foreign labor to work on his house. The surly Morgan had intimated as much; but it did not greatly matter. I had not come to Glenarm to cultivate the rustics, but to fulfill certain obligations laid down in my grandfather's will. I was, so to speak, on duty, and I much preferred that the villagers should let me alone. Comforting myself with these reflections I reached the wharf, where I saw Morgan sitting with his feet dangling over the water, smoking a pipe.

I nodded in his direction, but he feigned not to see me. A moment later he jumped into his boat and rowed out upon the lake.

When I returned to the house Bates was at work in the kitchen. This was a large, square room with heavy timbers showing in the walls and low ceiling. There was a great fireplace in an enormous chimney, fitted with a crane and hobs, but for practical purposes a small range was provided.

Bates received me placidly.

"Yes; it's an unusual room, sir. Mr. Glenarm copied it from an old kitchen in England. He took quite a pride in it. It's a pleasant place to sit in the evening, sir."

He showed me the way below, where I found that the cellar extended under every part of the house, and was divided into large chambers. The door of one of them was of heavy oak, bound in iron, with a barred opening at the top. A great iron hasp with a heavy padlock and grilled area windows gave further the impression of a cell, and I fear that at this, as at many other things in the curious house, I swore—if I did not laugh—thinking of the money my grandfather had expended in realizing his whims. The room was used, I noted with pleasure, as a depository for potatoes.

In another of these rooms I found a curious collection of lanterns of every conceivable description, grouped on shelves; and next door to this apartment was another store-room filled with brass candle-sticks of many odd designs.

I returned to the main floor and sought the comforts of the library, where I smoked a pipe over a very tedious chapter in an exceedingly dull book on "Norman Revivals and Influences." Then I went out, assuring myself that I should get steadily to work in a day or two.

Bates was soberly chopping wood at a rough pile of timber at the rear of the house. His industry had already impressed me. He had the quiet ways of an ideal serving man.

"Well, Bates, you don't intend to let me freeze to death, do you? There must be enough wood in the pile there to last all winter."

"Yes, sir; I am just cutting a little more of the hickory, sir. Mr. Glenarm always preferred it to beech or maple."

I turned toward the unfinished tower in the meadow, from which a windmill pumped water to the house. The iron frame was not wholly covered with stone, but material for the remainder of the work lay scattered at the base. I went on through the wood to the lake and inspected the boat house; then I followed the pebbly shore to the stone wall where it marked the line of the school-grounds. The wall, I observed, was of the same solid character here as along the road. I tramped beside it, reflecting that my grandfather's estate, in the heart of the Republic, would some day give the lie to foreign complaints that we have no ruins in America.

The buildings of St. Agatha's were well hidden by the intervening wood, and I climbed upon the wall at the iron gate for an ampler view. The pillars at either side of the gate were of huge dimensions and were higher than I could reach. The little Gothic church near at hand was built of stone similar to that used in Glenarm house. As I surveyed the scene a number of young women appeared, and, forming in twos and fours, walked back and forth before the chapel. A sister clad in a brown habit lingered near or walked first with one and then another group of students. It was all very pretty and interesting and not at all the ugly school for paupers I had expected to find. The students were not the charity children I had carelessly pictured; they were not so young, for one thing, and they seemed to be appareled decently enough.

I smiled to find myself adjusting my scarf and straightening my collar as I beheld my neighbors for the first time.

As I sat thus on the wall I heard the sound of angry voices back of me on the Glenarm side, and a crash of underbrush marked a flight and pursuit. I crouched down on the wall and waited. In a moment a man plunged through the wood and stumbled over a low hanging vine and fell, not 20 feet away from me. To my great surprise it was Morgan, my acquaintance of the morning. He rose, cursed his ill luck and, hugging the wall close, ran toward the lake. Instantly the pursuer broke into view. It was Bates, evidently much excited and with an ugly cut across his forehead. He carried a heavy club, and, after listening for a moment for sounds of the enemy, he hurried after the caretaker.

It was not my row, though I must say it wakened my curiosity. I straightened myself out, threw my legs over the school side of the wall and lighted a cigar, feeling cheered by the opportunity the stone barricade offered for observing the world.

As I looked off toward the little church I found two other actors appearing on the scene. A girl stood in a little opening of the wood, talking to a man. Her hands were thrust into the pockets of her covert coat; she wore a red tam-o'-shanter, that made a bright bit of color in the wood. They were not more than a dozen yards away, but a wild growth of young maples lay between us. Their profiles were toward me, and the tones of the girl's voice reached me clearly as she addressed her companion. He wore a clergyman's high waistcoat, and I assumed that he was the chaplain whom Bates had mentioned. I am not by nature an eavesdropper, but the girl was clearly making a plea of some kind, and the chaplain's stalwart figure awake in me an antagonism that held me to the wall.

"If he comes here I shall go away, so you may as well understand it and tell him. I shan't see him under any circumstances, and I'm not going to Florida or California or anywhere else on a private car, no matter who chaperones it."

"Certainly not, unless you want to —certainly not," said the chaplain. "You understand that I'm only giving you his message. He thought it best—"

"Not to write to me or to Sister Theresa!" broke in the girl contemptuously. "What a clever person he is!"

"And how unclever I am!" said the clergyman, laughing. "Well, at any rate, I thank you for giving me the opportunity to present his message."

She smiled, nodded and turned swiftly toward the school. The chaplain looked after her for a few moments, then walked soberly away toward the lake. He was a young fellow, clean-shaven and dark, and with a pair of shoulders that gave me a twinge of envy. I could not guess how great a factor that vigorous figure was to be in my own affairs. As I swung down from the wall and walked toward Glenarm House, my thoughts were not with the athletic chaplain, but with the girl, whose youth was, I reflected, marked by her short skirt, the unconcern with which her hands were thrust into the pockets of her coat, and the irresponsible tilt of the tam-o'-shanter. There is something jaunty, a suggestion of spirit and independence, in a tam-o'-shanter, particularly a red one. If the red tam-o'-shanter expressed, so to speak, the key-note of St. Agatha's, the proximity of the school was not so bad a thing after all.

In a high good-humor and with a sharp appetite I went in to luncheon.

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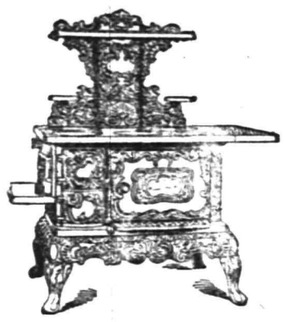

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For the Ideal Automobile.

New York, Feb. 11.—Preferring to go into partnership in the automobile business with his two young sons, George J. Grossman, president of the United States Title Guaranty and Indemnity Company, of No. 160 Broadway, has resigned from that place and will sever his connection with affairs in Wall street. His associates were surprised to hear yesterday that he would leave the company on February 18. Mr. Grossman's resignation brought out a story that to his sons, Mortimer M. and Wallace G. Grossman, he has given $100,000 to carry on experimental and manufacturing work on automobiles. He intends to supervise their work and assist them in expending the money and conducting the business in a profitable way. The sons are eighteen and twenty years old, but are already regarded as experts in automobiles.

Plan for Worn Out Horses.

Albany, N. Y., Feb. 11.—Assemblyman Robinson has a new way of disposing of the unfit horses in the Fire, Police and Street Cleaning departments of New York city. He has introduced a bill requiring the city authorities to offer them to the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. At present these horses are sold at public auction. If the society sells them after they have been transferred the proceeds shall be paid over to the city.

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Bowling and General Sports

DAAB'S TEAM.

Mike Leonard Will Be Captain Again; Old Field Retained.

Phil Daab, manager and statesman, will show his Hoboken athletes on the St. George Cricket Grounds as of yore next season. Part of the Cricket Grounds will be cut off for a park, but the field, although shortened appreciably, will be long enough for the home-run swatters to show their prowess.

Daab has not allowed his highbrow job in the halls of legislation—why, haven't you heard? He's an assemblyman, yes. Wears a Tuxedo coat all day or words to that effect, and throws a fit every time the trusts are mentioned, just like the rest of the statesmen—he hasn't allowed the glittering front game, as was about to be remarked, to interfere with the canny but unspectacular business of *building up a ball team.* As a flying start toward a good season, he signed Sergt. Mike Leonard again as captain. Mike will have under him as fast a team as that unbeatable combination that played here two years ago.

For Saturday activities, Daab has something like five fields open. Dover wants the team for one. Asbury Park and Newton are among the towns that yearn for the team that was once Plainfield's pride.

J. McGrath Goes Up.

Jack McGrath, the tumultuous baseball expert whose impetuous temperament has disturbed fans at the Oval on several Saturday and holiday afternoons, has gotten a real managerial berth. He will steer the Atlanta Club of the Southern League next season. Jack is the loving parent of the All-Nationals, and once upon a time did play with Westfield. The All-Nationals may have been a crack team in the metropolis but it was a citrus plant whenever Plainfielders sighted it. Jack may be a good manager—he always managed to get real money for a dub combination, which shows managerial acuteness—but he is pretty much of a rinky-dink at the game itself. Still, Jack was ever an earnest young man, and no one will be grudge him glory and shekels.

On the Speedway.

Owners of fast horses and cutters were out in force on the "speedway" Saturday afternoon. The speedway is Park avenue, from Ninth street to Randolph road. There was a good "bottom" to the snow, and smart brushes were the rule. Among the familiar faces on the course were those of Mayor N. B. Smalley, Edson Martin, Fred Hand, A. I. Smalley, George Conover, George Cathers, Percy Dayton, Charles Hand, Adam Blair, J. W. Johnson, D. C. Smalley, B. R. Waldron. The cutters will be out in force again this afternoon.

P. H. S. Boy Wins.

At the annual Poly Prep, meet held in the 34d Regiment, New York, Saturday, Chauncey Murphy, of the Plainfield High School, won first place in the n ovice 75 yard dash, making it in 8 2-5 seconds. He won third place in the senior 100 yard dash, lowering his own record to 10 2-5 seconds.

SUES P. S. C.

Gulick Wants $300 For Damages and Injuries Resulting from Collision.

Trial of an action in tort by Abram Gulick, of Lincoln, against the Public Service Corporation, for $300, was begun in the District Court this morning. The case was still on at 2:30, with the defense just opening.

Gulick's claim is based on a collision between his wagon and a trolley car on November 5, near De Kalb avenue. He contends that the car come on him without warning and at a high rate of speed, and so injured him that the effects of the hurts will be permanent. The wagon and horse, it is claimed, were badly damaged. The defense will endeavor to show that Gulick was negligent. W. L. Hetfield, Jr., is Gulick's lawyer.

Woolwich Arsenal Blown Up.

London, Feb. 11.—A terrific explosion at 3:30 o'clock this morning wrecked the chemical research department of the Woolwich Arsenal. All the windows in the town were broken. It is believed no lies were los.

HOPE Y. M. A. READY FOR RE-ORGANIZATION

CONSTITUTION ADOPTED AND NOMINATING COMMITTEE APPOINTED.

Over fifty of the young men active in the old Y. M. A. of Hope chapel met Saturday night at the chapel to start the work of reorganization. Substantial progress was made, and the final moves in the reanimation of the Y. M. A. will be accomplished at another meeting on February 26.

A constitution was adopted, and Rev. L. R. Howard, Charles Vincent, James Penny, Wallace Morton and Benjamin Evans were appointed a committee to nominate officers. They will report on the twenty-sixth. City Judge W. N. Runyon, long president of the Y. M. A., was chairman of the meeting and G. E. Firstbrook, secretary.

The plan to bring the Suburban A. C. nine under the wing of the Y. M. A. was broached by Mr. Penny, who manages the Suburbans. The proposed union will be decided at the coming meeting. It was practically decided that the Y. M. A. would have a team in the field, whether the Suburbans came in or not.

Miss Hartshorne Entertains.

Miss Kathryn Hartshorne, formerly of Freehold, but now of Truell Court, gave a dinner at the Park Club Saturday night for Miss Sophia Barlow and Edward Hobbie, whose engagement was announced this winter. The decorations were red and white tulips, and the menu cards were in the form of valentines. The favors were red heart-shaped satin boxes. Covers were laid for eighteen as follows: Miss Sophia Barlow, Miss Helen Hassell, Miss Mary Barlow, Miss Kathryn Hartshorne, Miss Marion McCutchen, Miss Elsie Brokaw, Miss Grace Serrell, Miss May Murray, Miss Adelaide Howard, and Welles Taylor, Edward Hobbie, William Hartshorne, William Barlow, William Smith, Langdon Howard, William Hobbie, Edward Overton and Herbert Rogers.

Told of San Francisco Disaster.

Rev. Dr. Theodore H. Haysham, formerly pastor of the First Baptist church, of Minneapolis, but later in charge of a Baptist church in San Francisco, occupied the pulpit at the First Baptist church, yesterday morning, telling of the wrecked condition of the California churches, especially those of his own denomination. He said that out of twelve Baptist churches in San Francisco, seven were totally destroyed. He is seeking assistance from churches of the east in rebuilding them. Dr. Haysham also gave a graphic description of the earthquake and fire, he being in San Francisco at the time. In his remarks he also spoke of the wickedness of the city on the Pacific Coast, and of the great efforts now being made to rebuild it.

In the Borough Court.

At a session of the borough court this morning, the following cases were disposed of by Recorder Dolliver: George Traynor, drunkenness and disorder, $5 or ten days, took the latter; Thomas Hawkins, colored, drunkenness and disorderly conduct, $5 or ten days, took the latter; Thomas Dupre, disorderly conduct, sentence suspended. The court trials in the borough have always been held in the evening but Recorder Dolliver decided to hold them in the morning hereafter whenever it is possible. In this way prosioners taken during the night will not have to wait until the next evening for a hearing and the borough will be saved the expense of a good many meals.

Balled Up Two Ways.

Peter Deliassi, laden with Chianti or something that worked like it, drew the attention of small boys on Madison avenue yesterday afternoon. The small boys thre wsnowballs, and Peter cussed. Patrolman McGinley found Peter carrying on and fracturing the Sabbath quiet. It cost Peter $5 to square things with the city judge this morning.

"Nansen's Polar Expedition."

Rev. Samuel D. Price, of Camden, will deliver his illustrated lecture, entitled "Nansen's Polar Expedition," at the Park Avenue Baptist church, Thursday night, February 28. The lecture will be given under the auspices of the Sunday-school.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore H. Hardy, of Brooklyn, are visiting at the home of A. L. Force, of Duer street.

Jap Situation Easing.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 11.—The situation regarding a settlement of the Japanese trouble seemed yesterday in every way satisfactory. The positive statement was made last night by one of those who were most opposed to temporizing with the Japanese that a very few more conferences between the San Francisco authorities and President Roosevelt would result in an adjustment of the whole question, leaving a few details to be arranged by the President and Secretary Root. It has been apparent from the time the Mayor and other officials of San Francisco consented to come to Washington for a conference that Mr. Roosevelt had the situation in his own hands. His appeal to the California delegation in Congress, which resulted in the coming of the officials from the coast, deeply stirred the Sate, and, although newspaper opposition continues in San Francisco, it is said the local government is willing to o exactly what the President requests—and Mr. Roosevelt has been very careful to request nothing which cannot be d one without loss of pride or self-respect by the Californians.

Prominent Fenian Dies.

New York, Feb. 11.—Captain John Kirwan, who fought in the Papal army against the troops of King Victor Emmanuel of Italy and was brevetted a Knight of the Order of St. Sylvester, or Golden Spur, for bravery, died in Dublin on January 30. Word of his death reached his wife and children, who live in East 105th street, yesterday. Captain Kirwan, who was one of the leading Irishmen in the United States, spent most of his life as a soldier. He was born in Dublin in 1840, and enlisted when eighteen years old in the service of Pope Pius IX. For gallantry he was promoted to the rank of brigade sergenat major, Irish brigade, under General Lamociere. In the battle of Castle Fidardo, September 18, 1859, he was the first person to cross the River Musone in the face of artillery fire. Although the Papal troops were defeated he was made a Knight of the Order of St. Sylvester, an order confined to less than one hundred and fifty members. Captain Kirwan was also active in the Fenian movement led by James Stephens.

Churches Consider Uniting.

New York, Feb. 11.—At the annual conference of the Pentecostal churches of America, to be held in the Utica Avenue Tabernacle in April, a discussion whether the Pentecostal Church shall be joined with the Church of the Nazarene will be an interesting feature. It is quite certain that delegates will come with instructions as to how they shall vote when the question is brought up. There is lively opposition to the scheme in certain quarters. Those in favor of the union urge that it would give the new church much more power both in the East and West. The Pentecostal Association has most of its churches in the East, while the Church of the Nazarene is strong in the West. Their beliefs are much the same. The main argument against the junction seems to be that the two church bodies are different in form of government. Whether this can be reconciled in the two bodies remains to be seen.

Hurt In Explosion.

New York, Feb. 11.—Seven men were burned, fire so severely that they were taken to St. Vincent's hospital, late yesterday afternoon by an explosion of a can of gasolene on the sixth floor of the building occupied by the Western Electric Company, which occupies the whole block bounded by Washington, West, Bethune and Bank streets. Because of the report of the explosion being heard for some distance and the story that several persons had been killed a large crowd gathered and increased so rapidly that it became necessary to call the reserves of the Charles street station. What caused the explosion could not be learned. In the office of the electrical company all information was refused and the police in making the report said "cause unknown."

Driver Has a Narrow Escape.

High Bridge, Feb. 11.—While driving a horse hitched to a sleigh, loaded with apples, in Centre street, Saturday, former Freeholder Frederick U. Philhower, of Mountainville, narrowly escapsed serious injury. The animal took fright at a passing locomotive, bolted and ran at a rapid clip up Centre street. Mr. Philhower was dragged seventy-five yards through the snow before the animal was caught. Neither sleigh nor animal was injured.

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PERSONAL.

Miss Pauline Denton, of Washington avenue, spent Sunday in Brooklyn with relatives.

Mrs. O'Brien, of New York, is visiting at the home of her cousin, D. W. Martin, of "Cedarbrook."

Miss Ivanna Palmer, of Hartford, Conn., has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Asa F. Randolph, of Park avenue.

Mrs. John Walton, of East Third street, is spending a week with her daughter, Mrs. W. J. Crocker, of Perth Amboy.

Edward Mundy, of the borough, who has been very ill with pneumonia, is now improving, having passed the crisis in the disease.

Among the guests at a bridge party given by Mrs. Arthur Pendleton, of Elizabeth, on Saturday afternoon, was Mrs. F. V. L. Jones, of this city.

Miss Ella Conover, of Elmwood place, a trained nurse, will leave this week for Atlantic City, accompanying a patient from this city for a stay at the shore.

Rev. Dr. E. P. Johnson, of New Brunswick, who occupied the pulpit at Trinity Reformed church, yesterday, was entertained over Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Cutter, of Sandford avenue.

Miss Maud Smith, a trained nurse, of this city, accompanied Miss Taylor, of 311 Madison avenue, today to Pennsylvania, where they will remain for a time on account of the illnees of Miss Taylor.

Mrs. Joseph G. Miller, of Union street, has returned from a week's visit with Rev. and Mrs. Charles Dunn, of Tioga, Pa. Mr. Dunn's pastorate at the Presbyterian church in Tioga has been signally successful. During the past two years over 400 new members have united with the church. Mr. Dunn is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Dunn, of Park avenue.

SMOLDERING BLAZE CAUSES DAMAGE OF $200.

Discovered By Occupants in Time to Prevent a Serious Fire.

Fire headquarters was telephoned at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon by Mrs. Jacob Vandeventer, of Woodland avenue, who informed the department that her residence was filled with smoke. Chief Doane went out in advance of a hose wagon and on his arrival discovered what promised to be a healthy blaze. A partition back of a defective chimney in the dining room had caught fire and was eating its way along to a point where it would have made a whole lot of trouble.

The chief 'phoned back for the chemical engine and on its arrival the seat of the trouble was quickly reached. The men had to do some tearing out but the damage in this way was trifling. It is possible, however, that the loss may be as high as $200.

When the fire apparatus reached the house, Mr. Vandeventer's ten-year-old son, Philip, thought there was no hope for the place and set about saving his most cherished possession. It happened to be a small dog and with the animal held fast under his arm he hustled down Woodland avenue so fast he only touched the high places. He ended up at a neighbor's house and remained there until fully convinced that his own home was still standing.

$10 Bills Stopped Bullet.

Cleveland, Ohio, Feb. 11.—A big wad of ten dollar bills saved the life of John C. Dare, a saloon keeper at No. 127 Willlow avenue yesterday. John Newcomb, employed by him, shot at the saloon keeper, but the bullet struck Dare's wallet and the fat bunch of bills stopped the leaden missle. Newcomb quarrelled with Dare over money matters. While Dare stopped to dig the bullet out of his bunch of money Newcomb was led away to the police station. "Hope these bills are still good," was all the comment Dare would make concerning the shooting.

Cobbler's Bench Over Century Old.

Phillipsburg, Feb. 11.—Howard Creveling, a shoemaker, of this place, learned Saturday that he had a relic in his shop, in a cobbler's bench, owned by John McCann, an employe. The bench is over 100 years old and was owned by the late David Parks, of Changewater, who was a prominent figure in the trial of Joe Carter and Peter Parks, who were hanged at Belvidere almost three-quarters of a century ago for the murder of the Castner family at Changewater. David Parks was the father of Peter Parks.

Rector a Biscuit Maker.

The biscuits to be served tonight at the Holy Cross church men's supper at the parish house were made this afternoon by the rector, Rev. George A. Warner. The bake consists of twelve dozen biscuits. The divine learned the culinary art at Mrs. Rorer's cooking school when he was attending the General Theological Seminary. None of the biscuits weigh more than half a pound, according to E. S. Hooley, who will be one of the ten prominent borough men to act as waiters.

Louis Franken's Funeral.

The funeral and interment of Louis Franken, who committed suicide in his room on North avenue, Thursday, was held at Gateville, yesterday. Rabbi Meyer, of this city, had charge and a gathering of friends was in attendance.

CITY JOTTINGS.

—Mr. and Mrs. Willard Martin have leased a home on East Fifth street, near Richmond street, and will soon move there.

—Thomas A. Linaberry, the Lehigh Valley Railroad agent at South Plainfield, has been appointed a notary public by the Governor.

—Stephen P. Brown has sold his residential property at Dunellen and will soon purchase a property in this city, where he will reside in the future. He is an engineer on the New Jersey Central.

—Vegetable lovers should see the splendid assortment at Neuman Brothers, strictly fresh. Low prices this week on Boston head lettuce, celery, green beans, cucumbers, fresh tomatoes, rhubarb, radishes, spinach and French andives.

—The annual meeting of the Union Biulding and Loan Association will be held tonight at the office of the association, 146 Park avenue, at 8 o'clock. There will be election of officers, directors and auditors. A few shares left of the series opened last month will be offered for sale.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Emma Wyckoff.

Mrs. Emma Wyckoff, whose home was in South Plainfield, died in Muhlenberg Hospital this morning, having been under treatment at the institution for the past week. She was forty-eight years old. The funeral arrangements have not been made.

Daniel Galbraith.

Daniel Galbraith, son of John Galbraith, and a life-long resident of the city, died at his home on West Fourth street, yesterday morning. He had been ill for a long time with kidney trouble but had been in bed only one week. He was in his thirty-fifth year and at the time of his death was proprietor of a hotel on South avenue, Graceland. He formerly conducted a saloon on West Third street near Plainfield avenue.

Beside his father there are surviving three brothers, John, of this city; Patrick, of Orange, and Martin, of New York; also one sister, Miss Mary Galbraith, of West Fourth street. The funeral will be held at St. Mary's church Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock and interment will be in St. Mary's cemetery.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

Under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society of Trinity Reformed church a lunch-box sociable will be held in the lecture room of the church Thursday night.

The Christian Endeavor Local Union will hold a congress at Faith chapel Thursday night when matters pertaining to the new mission work at the Hunter Avenue Tabernacle will be discussed.

Baraca Class Will Entertain.

The Baraca Class, of Faith chapel, will hold a business and social meeting tomorrow night, at which time Rev. Frank Anderson, pastor of the First Baptist church, Millville, and treasurer of the National Baraca Society, will give a talk on the work of the Baraca organization. The local class is now composed of twenty-three members and is rapidly growing. The women are invited to attend the meeting tomorrow night.

Nicholas Gates Injured at Scott's.

Nicholas Gates, a machinist employed at the Walter Scott Printing Machine Works, caught his arm in a wheel at the works on Saturday, receiving an extended and very painful flesh wound. He was taken to the hospital, where it was found necessary to take several stitches to close the wound. After the dressing of the arm Gates returned to his home.

Musical Entertainment at the Plains.

Under the direction of the choir of the Methodist church at Scotch Plains, a musical entertainment will be given in the church tonight. The programme will consist of vocal solos, piano solos, vocal duetts, string orchestra selections and readings. A silver offering will be taken and the proceeds will be used to meet the music expenses for the year.

Civil Service Examination.

A civil service examination for positions of clerk and carrier at the local postoffice will be held in the postoffice on Saturday, February 23. The age limit for all positions is 18 to 45 years. Mail applicants must be five feet four inches in height and weigh 125 pounds. Further information can be obtained from W. B. Sharp, at the postoffice.

Hensen—Luthman.

Miss Alma Frieda Luthman, daughter of Alfred Luthman, of Johnson avenue, and Carl Henry Hensen, son of Henry Hensen, were quietly married at the bride's home yesterday afternoon. Rev. Erskine M. Rodman, rector-emeritus of Grace church, officiated.

Mary Poland Fined.

Mary Poland, of Cottage place, arrested for drunkenness Saturday afternoon, was fined $5 or twenty days by Judge Runyon in the city court this morning. She was found asleep on a Second street porch.

Howell Division, No. 97, Sons of Temperance, will hold a dime social in its rooms on East Front street, tonight.

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Observe Lincoln's Birthday.

Lincoln's Birthday wis observed at the Plainfield High School this morning. Lindsey Best read at the morning assembly Mary Raymond Shipman Andrew's story entitled "The Perfect Tribute," which tells of Lincoln's speech at the battle of Gettysburg.

Library to Close.

Tomorrow being a legal holiday, the circulating department of the Public Library will be closed. The reading room will be open from 2 until 6 o'clock, with an assistant in charge, and the art gallery will be open from 2 until 5 o'clock.

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"BIG SHOW" A SUCCESS

Y. M. C. A. Circus Amused a Large Crowd of Visitors Last Night.

SIDE SHOW FEATURES

Champion Gymnastic Team Shows on the Bars and the Horse—Moves of the Amateur "Sawdust" Artists.

With side-shows, barkers, and a "bewildering display of daring and dazzling deeds," the Y. M. C. A. amateur circus started on its two days' career last evening. It scored a great success, and a deserved success, with a large audience. The show will be repeated this afternoon and tonight.

The barkers of the sideshows, all in the small hall at the front of the building, greeted the visitors as soon as they entered. The freaks were played as follows:

Mme. Muchweight, fat woman, weighs 569 lbs., G. F. Hall; Joco—Wonderful monkey; almost as much intelligence as a human being, Bert Tootter; wild man, captured in South Plainfield, eats 'em alive, W. Sampson; fat man, 649 pounds, eats Force, W. H. Odell; bearded lady—Mme. Harryface, from Scotch Plains, W. Spear; giant—from China, W. Lueder; educated bear—Perry, captured in Wall street, Leland Manning; strong man—Prof. Strongdow, lifts anything, R. H. Collins; midget—smallest man in existence, Percy Phillips; lion—captured in wilds of Dunellen, (absolutely irresponsible), Jerry Manning.

Before the "ring" perfomance, which took place in the gymnasium, there was a parade around the floor, and the troupe took part. The "big show" was directed by Physical Director C. L. Listman, "ring master, sole owner and trainer." H. W. Barrows was "chief announcer."

The programme included leaps over "elephants" by the Y. M. C. A. gymnastic team, on which are Walter Sampson, S. Hoagland, A. B. Rumsey, Charles Line, Horace Vail, Henry Viebrock, R. H. Collins; stunts by the bear and the strong man; William Briggs' educated dogs, Trix and Beauty; comic juggling by Tornello, a professional; work on the horizontal bars, parallel bars, and horse by the Newark Y. M. C. A. gymnastic team, champions in their field; ground tumbling by B. J. Hansen; ground and lofty tumbling, by W. E. Ranels and P. Tiere, of Newark; wire-walking by Tornello; grotesque acrobatics by B. J. Hansen; pyramids on horse and mat by the following: Horse, Walter Sampson, S. Hoagland, A. B. Rumsey, Charles Line, Horace Vail, Henry Viebrock, R. H. Collins, Leland Manning, W. H. Odell, Jerry Manning, W. Lueder; mat, S. Hoagland, R. H. Collins, Rumsey, Line, Odele Stutsman, J. Manning, L. Manning, Lueder, F. Doerrer.

There was a plentitude of funmakers. The clowns were Percy Phillips, Jerry Manning, C. N. Sebring. The following character troupe did stunts on the bars and the horse:

Tramp, M. Stutsman; Komical Koon, W. Sampson; farmer, P. Collier; Hebrew comedian, J. Loizeaux; cowboy, D. L. Ferguson; fat German, A. B. Rumsey; boy wonder, Charles Line; Clowns' Sammy Bow Legs, L. Shepard.

The ticket-sellers and barkers were Horace Vail, S. Hoagland, C. Utzinger, Stanley Karner and Charles Line.

The Plainfield gymnastic troupe will take the Newark team's numbers tonight, and Ray Ewry, world's champion kicker, will appear.

CHURCH COMEDY CLUB GIVES VAUDEVILLE SHOW.

St. Stephen's "Players" Score Another Hit in the Art of Entertaining.

The Comedy Club of St. Stephen's church held a successful amateur vaudeville show last night. The programme was much enjoyed by a large audience.

The programme was as follows:

Piano solo, selected, song, "The Wolf," Shield, L. J. Geary; La Vie De Boheme, Dupuy, Dr. George H. Dupuy; song, "Farewell to Summer," Noel Johnson, Miss Marion Rummler; a few illustions, R. H. McCready; trio, "Hail Smiling Morn," Spofford, Miss Marion Rummler, Miss Martha MacMurray, L. J. Geary; songs, "Daddy," A. Behrend, "Sing Me to Sleep," Edwin Greene, F. J. Pope; stories in character, J. Campbell Haywood; songs, "A Little While," Falter, "My Native Land," Hugo Haun, Miss Marion Rummler; song, "The Two Grenadiers," Schumann, L. J. Geary; piano solo, selected.

Mr. McCready's humor was rare and racy. The singing of Mr. Pope and of Miss Rummler and the stories of J. Campbell Haywood were particularly enjoyed.

Mrs. F. W. Iredell, of Madison avenue, has recovered from a recent illness.

COLLINS TO BE GENERAL

Colonel of 2nd Regt. to Be Promoted to Brigadier Generalship Friday Night.

COL. DUNGAN GOES UP

Somerville Man to Succeed to the Colonelcy and Forman to Take His Place.

Colonel D. F. Collins, of Elizabeth, commander of the Second Regiment of the National Guard, will, it is now quite certain, be elected Friday night as Brigadier-General, to succeed Quincy O'M. Gilmore, resigned. The election will take place at the Second Regiment Armory in Trenton.

Colonel Thomas M. S. Chambers, of Trenton, having withdrawn, there will be only two candidates, Colonel Collins and Colonel John A. Mather, of Camden, commander of the Third Regiment. On the second or third ballot the Third Regiment officers, after having given Colonel Mather the customary complimentary vote, will, it is said, go over to Colonel Collins, who, according to the present program, will then be chosen unanimously.

As a result of Colonel Collins' election, all of the officers of the Second Regiment will be promoted. Lieutenant-Colonel Nelson Y. Dungan will succeed to the colonelcy, and Major George L. Forman will become lieutenant-colonel.

LOCAL COP FIRST OVER CHINESE WALL

DR. CORBUSIER REFERS TO PATROLMAN DOBSON IN HIS LECTURE.

Dr. Harold Corbusier, of Watchung avenue, gave an illustrated lecture on "China and the Boxer Uprising," before the Men's Club, of the First Baptist church, last night. The lecturer was a U. S. Army surgeon during the troubles in China, being attached to the 15th Infantry. He gave a brief history of the Boxer troubles from its inception, it being a movement on the part of a certain element of the Chinese against all foreigners. He described the depredations of the Boxes and how they were eventually stopped by the soldiers from other nations, especially those from this country.

Dr. Corbusier's views were taken by himself while in the service. They included pictures of the various troops, the arrival of Count von Waldesee, who was nominally in command of the troops, British-Chinese soldiers, which the speaker said made good fighters; Bengal Lanciers, which made excellent cavalrymen. Pictures were also shown of troops on the march, the walled city, with its wall twenty-five miles long and forty feet high, over which the 14th Infantry scaled in Pekin with the Stars and Stripes. In this connection Dr. Corbusier mentioned the name of George Dobscon, a patrolman in this city, who was a member of the 14th Infantry and was one of the first soldiers over the wall. Mr. Dobson was present at the lecture.

A great tribute was paid by the lecturer to General Chaffee, who was in charge of Uncle Sam's troops in China, and said that in many instances he prevented looting and other depredations on the part of the Chinese and other foreigners. Other pictures shown by Dr. Corbusier included scenes in the forbidden city, the interior of the hospitals, and many public and private buildings of interest. Some of these views were among the first to be taken.

In connection with the lecture, there were a number of musical selections on a Victor talking machine by Elston M. Leonard and Henry C. Brose.

Metropolitan Men Dine.

S. J. Robertson, the new superintendent of the Plainfield office of the Metropolitan Insurance Company, gave a dinner at Truell Inn, last night, to his staff, covers being laid for eight. The dinner was the result of a contest for new business conducted by Frank Stewart and Charles DeWitt, in which the former was the winner. The defeated leader and his men were invited to the feast. Those at the dinner were Superintendent S. J. Robertson, John Manley, F. C. Burner, John Zoll, D. F. Cottel, Edward Nelson, Frank Stewart and Charles DeWitt.

Miss Grant's Recital.

A pleasing programme was rendered at the second piano recital given by the pupils of Miss F. May Grant at her residence, 320 East Seventh street, Saturday evening. Special mention should be given to little Miss Lillian Steuer, of East Sixth street, who played in a skillful manner for one so small.

STOKES PRAISES COLBY

Governor Links His Name With That of Hughes as a Reformer.

AT ALUMNI DINNER

Everett Colby and His Cousin, Gardner Colby, Also Speak at Brown Graduates' Dinner.

Governor Stokes gave high praise to Senator Colby, and linked his name with that of Governor Hughes, of New York, as a leader in political reform in a speech delivered last night at the annual dinner of the Brown University Alumni Association of New York. New Jersey was well represented at the dinner, which was held at the Hotel Astor, Manhattan.

Besides Governor Edward C. Stokes, State Senator Everett Colby, of Essex; Senator Boyd Avis, of Gloucester; Senator William J. Bradley, of Camden; Senator Oliver Brown, of Monmouth; Senator Edward S. Lee, of Atlantic; Senator Bloomfield H. Minch, of Cumberland, president of the Senate; William Cloke, State Riparian Commissioner; Walter Edge, of Atlantic City; the Rev. Dr. B. W. Borrow, of the class of '51, the oldest graduate present, and the Rev. Dr. Edward H. McGill were among the New Jersey alumni present.

It was notable that three of the six set speeches were delivered by New Jersey alumni—Gov. Stokes, Senator Colby, and the latter's brother, Gardner Colby, '87, president of the New York Alumni Association and toastmaster of the dinner.

Governor Stokes said:

I bring you greetings from New Jersey. New Jersey's reputation is well known. She needs no encomiums. She is the mother of reformers, and like the Roman matron of old, she says of Governor Hughes and former Governor Higgins and Senator Colby. "These are my jewels." Years ago she laid the foundations that made possible the intellectual development of these apostles; one to redeem Rhode Island, another to elevate the political and business ethics of New York and the other to start a movement in my own State that has become known throughout the country and that is unfortunate only in the suggestion that there could be anything wrong in New Jersey.

Brown University, like the Standard Oil, is a Jersey product. One hundred and fifty years ago the Baptists founded at Hopewell, across the Hudson, a school for the education of pious young men—a race that had run out before most of us got in college—not for politics, but for the ministry. In this school were trained, among others, the pastor of the First Baptist church in New York, James Warren, a predecessor of President Faunce, and Benjamin Howell, United States Senator from Rhode Island, before the deadlocks became fashionable.

New Jersey was not granting charters in those days, and her refusal in this case lost her this famous school that Rhode Island welcomed and that developed into Brown University, our beloved Ala Mater. New Jersey then learned the lesson that has since stood her in good stead and has never ceased to issue charters from that hour.

It was in Hopewell, the site of this famous institution of learning, that there lived a prototype of Mr. Rockefeller in Elizabeth Hobbs, who gave $1,750, at that time the largest sum ever given for the education of young men, and out of this fund aid was given to Charles Thompson, the valedictorian of the first graduating class of Rhode Island College. And so I come from a commonwealth that is the birthplace of Brown, another badge of distinction to my State.

The consistuency of today is better trained than that of half a century ago. As soon as the babe can walk it has the kindergarten. The printing press toils day and night for the diffusion of knowledge, and although it gives most of its columns to murder trials, it does chronicle the events of the day. Art makes pictures so that men without travel or expense can see distant countries and look upon the faces of the world's greatest men.

In 1860 there were only forty secondary schools in this country; today we have over seventy-five hundred high schools. The number of high school students has increased two and a half times within a decade and the number of college students doubled within a few years. In the last thirty years the number of women engaged in higher education has increased three hundred per cent.

Such a constituency is demanding a leadership other than mere political boss, and it is this intellectual spirit that has caused the awakening for which Governor Hughes and Governor Higgins and Senator Colby

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UNION CO. FOR VOORHEES

Not Only Ackerman But the Three Assemblymen as Well Favor Morris Man.

"UNCLE DAN" CERTAIN

Receives 29 Favorable Letters From Legislators Concerning His Candidacy for Treasurership.

Not only will Senator Ackerman, whose vote for him was announced in The Daily Press yesterday, but the entire Union county delegation will cast their votes for "Uncle Dan" Voorhees for State Treasurer to succeed United States Senator-elect Frank O. Briggs. It is said that a caucus will be held Wednesday and it is now practically certain that the Morris county man will land the prize. Senator Frelinghuysen as has been stated is still working hard for former State Senator Charles A. Reed. "Uncle Dan" claims that he has received twenty-nine favorable replies from legislators he had written to asking for support. Fourteen of the number pledged their votes to him. He adds that he has also received favorable assurances from Governor Stokes.

For the purpose of strengthening his fences for the coming fray "Uncle Dan" visited Trenton yesterday and held lengthy confabs with the Republican party leaders. With smiling confidence the Morris county "boss" assured a reporter that he expected to find little difficulty in landing the prize and in the opinion of many Mr. Voorhees stated a fact.

Ever since it became apparent that Mr. Briggs was to succeed John F. Dryden in the federal Senate, "Uncle Dan," as he is known among the politicians, has been conducting an active campaign for the treasureship. Hhe wrote personal letters to each of the Republican legislators asking for their support and he stated yesterday that he had received numerous favorable replies.

Friends of Mr. Voorhees' candidacy were claiming yesterday that their man would have sufficient strength in the Republican caucus to insure him the nomination on the rst ballot as they declared that, while they had been assured of the support of 30 of the 44 Republican Senators and Assemblymen.

Mr. Voorhees was at the State House nearly all day yesterday. During the morning he called upon Governor Stokes, Mr. Briggs and several of the lesser lights, while during the afternoon he spent most of the time closeted with Mr. Briggs in the treasurer's office. As one of the loungers in the corridors remarked, "It looked as though 'Uncle Dan' was familiarizing himself with the workings of the department which he expects to direct."

Mr. Colby has not stated his position in regard to Mr. Voorhees' candidacy as yet, but it is believed that he will absolutely refuse to enter the party caucus. When he bolted the Senatorial caucus last Tuesday Mr. Colby declared that he would never again participate in such an affair, and it is believed in some quarters that he will be able to persuade Assemblyman Guy L. Fake, of Bergen, to assume the same attitude.

UNION BUILDING LOAN HAD A PROSPEROUS YEAR.

Earnings Reported at the Annual Meeting to Have Been Eight Per Cent.

The annual meeting of the Union Building and Loan Association was held last night at the offices on Park avenue. The secretary's report was read and showed the association to be in an excellent condition. The earnings for last year were eight per cent. and for the past seven years averaged about seven and a half per cent. The loans made during the year on real estate to its members was about $25,000, and on shares about $5,000. The total receipts of the association for the year were $18,837.40.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Dr. M. B. Long; vice president, Eugene M. Laing, secretary, John V. E. Vanderhoef; treasurer, M. C. VanArsdale; attorney, Nelson Runyon; auditors, Harvey R. Thorn, Clarence B. Vail, Walter L. Long; directors, D. M. Runyon, A. L. Force, A. D. Edgar, William Harper and William H. Callahan.

The president apopinted the following committees: Finance, Charles H. Dunham, Samuel J. Robinson, Henry Liefke; appraisal, E. M. Laing, J. P. Emmons, J. C. Manning and J. F. MacDonald.

Assemblyman Perkins a Candidate.

Jerusalem Chapter, No. 24, R. A. M., will hold a regular convocation Thursday night and confer degrees on six candidates, among whom will be Assemblyman Randolph Perkins, of Westfield.

LENT BEGINS TOMORROW

Announcements Made by the Rectors of Local R. C. and P. E. Churches.

FORTY DAYS FAST

Penitential Season Begins With Ash Wednesday and Ends On Easter Sunday, March 31.

Lent, the season of prayer and fasting, observed generally by the Romon and Anglican churches throughout the world, begins tomorrow. In all of the Catholic and Episcopal churches, special services will be held daily for forty days, beginning tomorrow, which is known in the church calendar as Ash-Wednesday, and ending on Easter Sunday, March 31. In St. Mary's and St. Joseph's Catholic churches and in Grace, Holy Cross, Heavenly Rest and St. Stephen's Episcopal churches, special announcements have been made by the rectors. These announcements follow:

Grace Church.

The Lenten season will be observed with special services at Grace church, under the direction of the rector, Rev. E. Vicar Stevenson. The services for Ash Wednesday include Holy Communion at 7 o'clock and morning prayer and Holy Communion with sermon at 10 o'clock in the morning. At 12 o'clock noon there will be the penitential office and there will be evening prayer and sermon at 8 o'clock.

On Sundays during Lent there will be Holy Communion at 7:30; morning prayer and sermon, with Holy Communion on first Sunday, at 10:30 o'clock in the morning; Sunday-school at 3 o'clock in the afternoon and evening prayer with preaching at 4:45. Services will be held at the colored mission at 11 o'clock in the morning and 8 o'clock in the evening. On March 25 there will be Annunciation B. V. M. and Holy Communion at 10 o'clock in the morning. The week day services will include evening prayer at 5 o'clock with address to the children on Friday; Wednesday, evensong and sermon, 8 p. m., Wednesday and Friday, mid-day prayers, 12 o'clock noon; Thursday, Holy Communion, 9 a. m.

Additional services for Holy Week include Holy Communion on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday mornings at 10 o'clock; Wednesday evensong, 8 o'clock; Maundy Thursday, Holy Communion, 10 o'clock a. m. On Monday evening in Holy Week there will be the Passion service, "The Crucifixon," at 8 o'clock; Tuesday evening, The Story of the Passion; Maundy Thursday, Commemoration of the Institution at 8 o'clock in the evening. The services for Good Friday will be as follows: Antecommunion, 7 o'clock; children's service, 9 o'clock; morning prayer, litany and sermon, 10 o'clock; meditations on the Passion, 12 to 3 p. m.; evensong, 5 p. m. On Easter eve at 5 o'clock there will be evensong and public baptism. On Easter Day there will be Holy Communion at 7 and 8 o'clock; morning prayer, Holy Communion and sermon at 10:30 o'clock; children's carol service at 3 o'clock and evening prayer and sermon at 5 o'clock.

These special preachers are announced for Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock; February 13, Rev. E. Vicar Stevenson; February 20, Rev. Frederick A. Wright, Brooklyn; February 27, Rev. E. J. Knight, Christ church, Trenton; March 6, Rev. Albert Longley, Trinity church, Bayonne; March 13, Rev. E. Atherton Lyon, Christ church, Yonkers; March 20, Rev. Philip M. Kerridge, Easton, Pa.; March 27, Rev. Charles Fiske, St. John's church, Somerville; March 7, illustrated lecture, "History of the Episcopal church," Rev. Dr. Charles L. Cooder.

The Passion service to be held at 12 o'clock noon on Good Friday will be in charge of Rev. Melville K. Bailey. The church will be open daily from 9 to 5 o'clock for purposes of private prayer and meditation.

Holy Cross Church.

Rev. George A. Warner, rector of the Church of the Holy Cross, has announced the special services to be held at his church during the Lenten season. The Sunday services will include Holy Communion at 7:30 in the morning, also on the first Sunday of the month a second celebration at 11 o'clock in the morning. Sunday-school will be held at 9:45 o'clock in the morning in the parish house, except the first Sunday in the month, when the children's service is held in the church at the same hour. Morning prayer and sermon will be held at 11 o'clock and evensong and sermon at 7:45 o'clock.

Holy Day services will be held tomorrow, with Holy Communion at 7:30, morning prayer, litany and sermon at 11 o'clock and evensong and sermon at 7:45 o'clock. On Monday, February 25, Feast of St.

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BACHELORS GIVE DANCE

One Hundred and Fifty Society Folk Attend Function at the Casino.

BEAUTIFUL DECORATION

Stringed Orchestra and Quartette Furnish the Music—Refreshments Served at Midnight.

The bachelor dance at the Casino, last night, was attended by over 150 members of the younger set from the city and borough, and including a few out-of-town guests. It was the first affair of the kind held in several years and was so successful that it is likely that others will be given in the near future. The large hall was decorated attractively, the stage bing hidden from view by a mass of palms and ferns. The electric lights were covered with red crepe paper, giving additional brilliancy to the scene.

Austin's full stringed orchestra furnished the music for dancing, and a pleasing innovation was the vocal and instrumental selections by the famous Eureka Quartette, colored, which entertained at the college smoker. The quartette interspersed the dance numbers with topical selections, while the dancing by the colored men made the hit of the evening. The quartette also entertained during the supper hour.

Refreshments were served at numerous small tables placed abou the hall. Sixty-five couples sat down to supper and with the exception of four married couples, all were members of the younger society set.

The committee of young men who arranged the dance included J. Hartley Mellick, Harvey Fisk, H. Whitney Baker, Willard Wadsworth, Morris J. Dumont and Roy V. Cox. The affair was held under the patronage of these well known society women: Mrs. Benjamin Arrowsmith Hegeman, Jr., Mrs. David Hill Rowland, Mrs. Charles Joel Fisk, Mrs. William B. Wadsworth, Mrs. Chapman Fisk and Mrs. J. Edgar Corlies.

GETS $200 DAMAGES FROM TROLLEY COMPANY

ABRAM GULICK WINS SUIT FOR DAMAGES AGAINST THE P. S. C.

The jury gave Abram Gulick $200 damages in his suit against the P. S. C. in the District Court yesterday afternoon. He sued for $300, compensation claimed to be due for damages sustained, or the result of a collision between a trolley car and his wagon on West Front street, near De Kalb avenue, November 5.

Gulick was thrown from his seat and so badly hurt that he could not return to work for two weeks. Dr. Wilde, of Bound Brook, who attended him, testified to that. Dr. J. H. Buchanan, witness for the P. S. C., acknowledged that Gulick was too badly hurt to return to work after the accident.

Lawyer John Bernhard, for the P. S. C., tried to prove contributory negligence. The testimony insinuated that Gulick was not sober. The effect of it was destroyed when Walter L. Hetfield, Jr., counsel for Gulick, put the plaintiff on the stand in rebuttal.

The jury received the case at 3:40 o'clock and brought in a verdict at 4:45. It surprised the P. S. C. lawyer, who had been confident the case was going his way.

Reunion of Seneca Club.

The members of the old Seneca Social Club held a reunion last night at the home of Miss Myra C. Dunavan, on East Second street. In addition to the playing of games and listening to a fine programme of vocal and instrumental solos, a feature was the reading of the last will and testament of the club by Alfred W. Dunavan. In this document all of the property of the organization was equally divided among the members. After the programme refreshments were served. Those present were the Misses Myra C. Dunavan, Elsie Dunavan, Marie Hahn, Cornelia Hansen, Edna Dilts, Hermenia Leitheusser and Leslie Crane, Edward Honeyman, Alfred W. Dunavan, Harris Fahn and Monroe Staats.

Sleighride to Westfield.

The Misses Florence and Nellie Berkhan, of Watchung avenue, arranged a sleighing party that went to Westfield, last night. There were thirty in the conveyance and at Westfield hot chocolate was enjoyed before the return trip was commenced.

Engagement Announced.

The engagement is announced of Miss Nora Noonan, of this city, and Peter J. Delaney, of Elizabeth. No date has been set for the wedding.

BURNS WILL PROVE FATAL

Clothing of Servant at R. H. McCutcheon's Ignited From Range Searing Her Body.

NOW IN THE HOSPITAL

Heroic Efforts of William McDonough To Save Her Results In His Own Injury.

Miss Hannah Neilson, a domestic at the home of R. H. McCutchen, of Plainfield avenue, received probable fatal burns in an accident at the McCutcheon home shortly before 11 o'clock last night. She is now in Muhlenberg Hospital with her body seared from head to foot while the physicians assert that she has but very little chance of recovery.

In company with several other servants, Miss Neilson was in the kitchen of the house last night, enjoying a social talk before retiring. She stood before the range and unnoticed by herself or anyone else in the room her dress was very close to the front opening. It began to smolder from the heat and suddenly burst into flames, enveloping the woman from head to foot. She sprang from the room in a frenzy and despite the attempts of her companions ran from one hallway to another, all the time emitting piercing screams.

William McDonough, another employee of Mr. McCutcheon, was in the vicinity, and hearing the cries of Miss Neilson, ran to her assistance. She was so panic-stricken that he was compelled to grab hold of her and by main strength force her to the floor to do anything toward putting out the flames. He then secured a rug and by alternate beating with his hands and smothering, extinguished the last bit of fire. By that time nearly every bit of Miss Neilson's clothing had been burned off and she was suffering terrible agony.

The family had in the meantime telephoned fire headquarters, believing the house to be afire, and Chief Doane had started out with a hose wagon and the chemical engine. The police were also 'phoned and Chief Kiely went out in the patrol wagon, picking up Dr. Buchanan on the way. When the latter reached the McCutcheon home he found Miss Neilson in a serious condition and McDonough with two badly burned arms. Both were given immediate attention and Miss Neilson was then removed to the hospital in the ambulance. She is forty years old and has been employed by Mr. Neilson for the past fourteen months. So far as known she has no relatives in this country.

The servants who witnessed McDonough's action in trying to save Miss Neilson are loud in their praises of his bravery. He seemed absolutely fearless of the flames although they ignited his own clothing and he was in danger of inhaling them. He ignored himself until Miss Neilson had received every attention and then it was learned that his burns were almost severe enough to have him go to the hospital as well. He is the son of Peter McDonough, the horseshoer, and until a short time ago was employed by Adam Blair.

Medical Board Report.

Nothing but routine business was transacted at the February meeting of the Board of Governors of Muhlenberg Hospital, at the Casino, last night. The medical board reported the number of patients for January as follows: Patients in the hospital at date of last report, 23; admitted, 59; discharged cured, 33; improved, 6; not improved, 3; died, 5; total number of patients treated, 82; remaining, 36; hospitals days, 1,034; operations, 57. In the dispensary: Patients, 42; visits of patients, 132; operations, 10.

Brick Flats Sold.

M. Abrams and Abram Kunzman acquired possession of the row of brick flats on Central avenue at Second street, yesterday, by purchase, from James C. Manning. The consideration is not mentioned in the contract that passed. Neither Mr. Abrams nor Mr. Kunzman could be seen this morning.

Will Consider License Applications.

The Common Council will hold an adjourned meeting on Monday night, February 25, to act on the applications for liquor licenses presented at the regular February meeting. There are twelve applicants, two wholesale and ten retail, and will probably be granted.

Designed Banquet Menu.

The menu card for the Board of Trade banquet will be illuminated with designs in color. The designs are line drawings, simple but very attractive. They were drawn by Miss May Berkhan, a graduate of St. Gabriel's Academy.

Miss Bertha Brewer, of Prescott place, has recovered from an attack of the grip.

IMPORTANT.

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The first of the month we told you we had planned a campaign of values that would keep this—naturally dull month of February—a hustling, bustling month of continued activity. If the first week is any criterion of what is to come we will eclipse any previous month's business in this store's history.

Men's Outing Flannel Night Shirts.

An immense purchase of men's Night Shirts in a large variety of styles and patterns, some are trimmed with neat, fancy braids. This lot was purchased from a manufacturer's stock for about half regular price. They come in all sizes from 14 to 18. We advise early selections while the stock is yet complete. They are worth reg. $1.00. The sale price will be..... **49c**

(On bargain tables.)

The magnificent response to our Coat and Suit ad in last week's papers prompts us to do even better for you this week. We must have more room in this department for our spring goods.

Ladies' Black Tailored Suits, valued $16.50 for $13.00
Ladies' Black Tailored Suits, value $23.00, for $16.50
Ladies' Tweed Suits, value $15.00, for $10.00
Ladies' Brown and Blue Suits, value $20.00, for $15.00
Ladies' Coats, made of English Tweed, with velvet collars, value $6.50, for $3.98
Ladies' Black and Mixed Coats, full length, value $12.00, for $7.98

Ladies' Heatherbloom Skirts (colored) with deep corded ruffle flounce, value $2.00, for ..... .98

White Mercerized Madras in a variety of pretty designs, embracing stripes, checks, small dotts and floral designs, suitable for shirt waists and shirt waist suits for spring, 25c value, for yard ..... .20

More good news from the Housefurnishing Department in Basement.

We have bought lavishly of the lines quoted below, the result being the lowest prices in our history. These goods are sold with slight factory imperfections, but does not impair their wearing qualities. The prices are less than half regular price.

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Double Coated Enamel Foot Tubs, large size, 69c value, for ..... .43
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has been a guest of the Misses Cortelyou on Ross street.

Mrs. John Case, of East Cliff street, is entertaining Mrs. Edward M. Blake, of Pittsburg.

The Women's Club went to Bernardsville on Saturday on a sleigh-ride.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

Roswell Baerman, son of F. D. Baerman, is in a New York hospital, suffering from scarlet fever. He is recovering.

The contract case of C. T. Rogers & Co. against Louis Sericke in Justice Von Minden's court, was settled yesterday.

Court Dunellen entertained a large delegation of Plainfield Foresters last night. Cigars and refreshments were enjoyed.

Charles A. Morris, of Ocean County, has returned home after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Lester Meseroll.

A landlord and tenant action will be tried in Justice Von Minden's court tomorrow morning.

The usual Wednesday and Friday evening Lenten services will be held in St. John's church.

There will be an Ash Wednesday service at Holy Innocents' church tomorrow evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Ramsey have moved from Bound Brook to the borough.

Mrs. F. R. Wynkoop has entirely recovered from an attack of rheumatism.

Miss Nellie Henry, of Newark, is the guest of her uncle, Marshall Henry.

A new horse has been purchased for the Fitzsimmons farm.

A. J. Hamley has been ill for several days with grip.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will hold its postponed meeting in the church this afternoon, when the programme planned for last week will be followed.

A feature of some of the services at the Church of the Holy Cross is the singing by a girls' choir, recently organized. The choir will sing at all of the 5 o'clock services during the Lenten season.

Beginning Sunday night, Rev. Dr. J. S. Zelie, of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, will preach a course of four sermons on "Life Lessons from the Book of Proverbs."

The Epworth League of the First M. E. church will hold a picnic on Friday night in Vincent chapel. All of the young people of the church are invited to attend.

The next communion service at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will be held Sunday, March 3, at which time there will be reception of new members.

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church has postponed its meeting from tomorrow to Tuesday, February 19.

The topic of the prayer meeting at the First Baptist church tomorrow night will be "Straight Talks." Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss, the pastor, will be in charge.

The members of the Park Avenue Baptist church will hold their annual reception for the pastor, Rev. A. E. Finn, and wife, on Thursday night.

The Women's Home Missionary Society of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will hold a sewing meeting Friday afternoon.

The Men's Association of the Seventh-Day Baptist church will give a supper at the church, tonight, followed by an entertainment.

William Peterson, of Newark, is now a regular member of the First Baptist church choir, singing with the basses.

PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartshorne and daughter, Miss Hartshorne, of Freehold, are spending the winter at Truell Court.

Alden E. Moore, of Kensington avenue, who has been spending several days at home, returned to Williams College, today.

Fred Armstrong, of Duer street, who has been ill at his home for several weeks, has about recovered and is able to be about the house.

William Mack, of West Front street, is much improved from a tedious illness which has detained him at home, and hopes to be able to return to work soon.

Miss Fredricks, of Brookline, Mass., who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Martine, of "Cedar Brook Farm," has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sandford, of East Front street, and Mrs. Edward Cooley, of Watchung avenue, have returned from Lawrenceville, Virginia, where they have been spending several weeks. Mr. Cooley is still at Lawrenceville, where he will remain for an indefinite time. The change seems to have been very beneficial.

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

A special meeting was held last night by Excelsior Hook and Ladder Co. in its rooms. Business relating to the three days' fair, Feb. 21-22-23, was discussed. The committee appointed to arrange for the fair was enlarged by the appointment of several sub-committees who will look out for certain details of the work. The personal appeal made to the residents for donations and support, which are necessary to make the undertaking the success it should be, should meet with a hearty response.

The many friends of Rev. William Pringle, who occupied the pulpit at the Baptist church several times during his stay here last summer, will be pleased to learn that he has been called, by a unanimous vote, to the pastorate of the First Baptist church, of Kingston, N. Y. The selection was made from among a large number of candidates and his friends here believe the members of the Kingston church have made a wise selection. Mr. Pringle begins his work in his new pastorate at once.

Manning Frazee has resigned his position with the Hall Signal Co., of Garwood, to accept a similar one with the Walter Scott Co., of Plainfield.

Miss Nancy Wade returned to her home in Milburn yesterday after a visit of several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abram Wade.

Miss Flora Garlinghouse has returned from a stay of several weeks with Mrs. Mary E. Darby, of Plainfield.

Fanwood Council, R. A., holds its semi-monthly meeting tonight in the library rooms.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas M. Paff, Sr., have been entertaining friends from out of town.

Henry Alberts has taken a position with The Rushmore Dynamo Co., of Plainfield.

RAHWAY.

Club day was recently celebrated by the Home Reading Club of this city by a reception at the home of the president, Mrs. Joseph W. Martin, of Main street. There were nearly 200 present, including Mrs. Starr, of Roselle, president of New Jersey branch of the International Sunshine Society; Mrs. Liggett, of Elizabeth, and Mrs. J. T. Barnes, of Orange.

The Avenel Fire Company has just paid off $1,600 of the indebtedness for the new headquarters and town hall erected two years ago. The balance unpaid is but $40.88, which will be settled in March.

The funeral of William H. Hirst, of Clark Township, was held yesterday afternoon. He leaves a widow, one son, Harry, and three daughters, Mrs. Ada Russell, Misses Evelyn and Eva Hirst, of this city.

Sunday-school has reopened in Demarest chapel with B. F. Ellison as president. The neighbors have placed a new furnace in the building.

B. F. Ellison, of Demarest, will take charge of the Jersey City Railroad passenger yards March 1, according to orders recently received.

Alan Coventry, of Main street, who was operated on for appendicitis at Elizabeth General Hospital Friday, is rapidly recovering.

A sleighload of members of the Graystone Presbyterian church of Elizabeth paid Rahway a visit Saturday afternoon.

RARITAN.

Mrs. Meta Henderson, of Glen Gardner, is a guest of her brother, Milton S. Hunt, on Somerset street.

Miss Sadie Lee, of Scotch Plains, has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. James Scully, of Third street.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ramsden, of Doughty street, have been guests of their son in New York.

The Alpha Literary Society was entertained on Saturday evening at the home of F. A. Stryker.

Daniel Smith has purchased the Delehanty property on Doughty street.

BOUND BROOK.

The brotherhood of the Presbyterian church of Bound Brook has elected Rev. C. J. Culp and Herbert Lloyd as delegates and W. W. Kimbal as alternate to attend the State convention of the Presbyterian Brotherhood to be held at Trenton today.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving S. Whiting have closed their home in Watchung drive, Bound Brook, and have gone to New York, where they will spend the rest of the winter.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Reformed church of South Bound Brook will conduct a chicken and waffle supper in the chapel tonight.

Silas Dewey Drake has been laid up at his home at Prospect place and Union avenue, Beachwood Heights, with the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Radel, of Riverside Park, are at Palm Beach, Fla., where they will spend several weeks.

George Copeland, of Bound Brook, has gone to Boston, where he will spend several weeks with friends.

SOMERVILLE.

At the recent annual meeting of the Somerset County Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals the following officers were elected: President, Joseph Fitzgar; vice president, Mrs. E. W. Murray; secretary, Miss Emily Messler; treasurer, Henry Reimers; counsel, Miss Mary Steele; executive committee, Mrs. A. L. C. Hardwicke, Miss Loomis, Mrs. Tompkins, John B. Osbourn, Miss Kittie Veghte.

Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Dewey, of Toronto, Can., are guests here of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Snyder.

Miss Ida Van Camp, of Neshanic, has been a guest of the Misses Cortelyou on Ross street.

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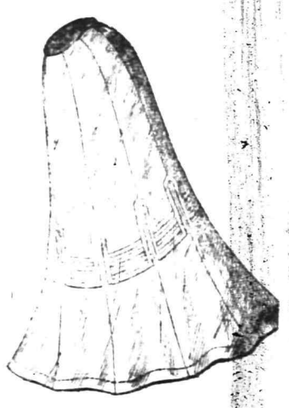

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SWIFT SWORN IN FOR FIVE-YEAR TERM.

Reappoints Edward Bauer Clerk of the District Court.

Judge C. Addison Swift took the oath of office yesterday morning before County Clerk James C. Calvert as judge of the District Court of Elizabeth. When he was appointed about a year ago it was to fill the vacancy created through the promotion of Judge Atwater. The Senate was not in session at that time, so that the appointment was only ad interim. Governor Stokes sent the name of Judge Swift to the present Senate for a full term of five years, and the nomination was approved.

One of the first acts of the judge upon being sworn in was to re-name Edward Bauer as clerk of the District Court.

Man Frozen to Lamp-Post.

New York, Feb. 12.—Policeman Schiffer in Third avenue at 8 o'clock last night noticed a man clinging to a lamp-post at the northeast corner of Thirty-fourth street. At 10 o'clock at saw that the fellow was in the same position and walked up to where he was. He found that the man was unconscious, with the fingers of both hands frozen tightly to the iron post. With his night stick the policeman pried the fingers loose and got assistance to carry the man to the East Thirty-fifth Street Police Station. There it was discovered that the men's arms and legs from the knees down were frozen. While first aid was being given an ambulance from Bellevue Hospital was summoned. Surgeon Cudderback saw at once that the man was in a critical condition. He took him to the hospital, where it was said late last night that he would not recover. At the station the sufferer regained consciousness long enough to say that his name was John Lenahan, that he was thirty-five years old and lived at No. 571 First avenue.

Would Censor Newspapers.

Washington, Feb. 12.—President Roosevelt wants to bar from the mails all the newspapers of the country which print the court proceedings of the Thaw trial. The President does not know whether or not he can do this, but he has instructed Postmaster-General Cortelyou to have the law looked up and to bar the newspapers from the mails if he can. Before conferring with the Postmaster-General the President directed Secretary Loeb to make public the following statement which he had prepared: "The President has communicated with Postmaster-General Cortelyou to know whether it is feasible to bar from the mails the papers that give the full disgusting details of the Thaw case. He does not know whether it is feasible, but if it is he wishes it done." At the White House the information was volunteered that the President had taken this action of his own initiative, without suggestion from any source.

Five Burn to Death.

Allentown, Pa., Feb. 12.—William Reidnauer, a baker, and his four children met death last night in a fire that originated in his bakery. Reidnauer had been making doughnuts or "fastnacht cakes" for today, Shrove Tuesday, when the hot fat set fire to the building. The man fought the flames alone until he saw that they had got beyond his control, when he called to his wife to summon help and then ran upstairs to rescue the children. In the hallway he was overcome by smoke and was burned to death where he lay. The charred bodies of the children were found in the second-floor rooms, where they had been sleeping.

Sixty-One and Unkissed.

Milwaukee, Feb. 12.—William Bartel, sixty-one years old, testified under oath yesterday that he had never been kissed by a woman nor had he ever kissed one. He was a witness in a case of a saloonkeeper on whose place a raid had been made. It was intimated that Bartel had hugged and kissed a young woman present. Bartel denied the implication and with dramatic pose and flashing eyes said: "I have never kissed a woman in my life, and no woman ever kissed me, and never will, so help me God."

Weakfish In An Oyster.

New York, Feb. 12.—Finding an enormous oyster in a lot of Lynbrooks received three weeks ago, L. D. Fays, a dealer at Jamaica, set it aside to show his customers. The oyster "acted uneasy." It opened and shut at frequent intervals. After a week Fay opened it. To his astonishment he found between the oyster and the lower shell a tiny weakfish, or sea- trout, two inches long. He dropped the fish into some water and it swam about as if relieved.

Miss Painter, of Pittsburg, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Story Rowland, of Central avenue.

Miss Dorothy Morgan, of New Haven, who has been visiting friends in town, has returned home.

Miss Katharine Duncan, of Newark, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. James E. Martine, of "Cedar Brook Farm."

William Smith, of New York, who has been visiting William Hartshorne, of Truell Court, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Nat Samuels, of Somerville, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Meyer Leichtentritt, of West Front street.

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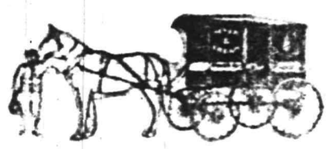

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PLAN NEW COUNTY BOARD TAX MEASURE

COMMISSION WOULD BE COMPOSED OF FIVE MEMBERS WITH LARGER SALARIES

Trenton, Feb. 12.—Assemblyman John C. Groel's bill providing for a new system of taxation in counties will soon be ready.

The proposed law provides that boards of equalization of taxes in counties of the first class, at present consisting of three members with salaries of $2,400 a year each, shall have a membership of five, each to receive $5,000. Three shall be real estate men who shall have been in business fifteen years, one an architect with a business experience of similar duration and the fifth any citizen who may be qualified to serve. One member of the board goes out of office each year, leaving four experienced men to serve in case the fifth should not be reappointed. The appointees shall devote their entire time to the work and appraise properties only on personal inspection.

"The increased expense of such a system," said Mr. Groel Friday, "would be small as compared with the increase of the revenues. Under the present system it is impossible to make a personal inspection to see that all properties are assessed at their true values. Higher salaries are provided in order that thoroughly efficient men may be procured, and because they will be required to devote their entire time to the work, a thing which the members of the present board cannot well afford to do. I had originally intended to include a contractor or boss carpenter in the appointive list, but specified an architect because requested to do so by members of the Hudson delegation. They said that an architect had been engaged to appraise Jersey City property for taxation purposes, and had proved the value of his profession for such work as this."

Criticism has been passed on Mr. Groel's bill on the ground that so large a board, drawing such high salaries, would be unnecessary as soon as the work of readjustment valuations could be carried out in all sections of the county. This would be in a very few years. It is also felt in certain quarters that the board should have at least one representative from the contractors, who are well qualified by their business experience to judge of valuations.

WOULD PROVE JERSEY MARKSMEN THE BEST.

Inspector General Spencer Adds Expert and Sharpshooter Classes in Rifle Practice.

Trenton, Feb. 12.—Orders issued Saturday to the New Jersey National Guard show that Inspector General of Rifle Practice General Burd Spencer, of Passaic, has not forgotten nor forgiven the alleged turning down of Sea Girt as the place of holding the national shooting matches, and himself as president of the national association. It is now the purpose of General Spencer to show the world that the New Jersey Marksmen are the best on the earth, as well as Sea Girt is the best rifle range in the country.

To these ends, General Spencer orders "hereafter the rifle practice of the guardsmen will include expert and sharpshooter classes, in addition to the several others exisiting in the past."

The classification is: Fourth class, all those who have not fired; third class, all who report and make an aggregate less than 40 out of a possible 100 in their two best scores; second class, all those who make an aggregate of 40 or better, but less than 50 out of a possible 100 from their two best scores; first class, all those who make an aggregate of 50 or better, but less than 60 out of a possible 100 from their two best scores; marksmen, all those who make an aggregate of 60 or better, but less than 70 out of a possible 100 from their two best score; sharpshooters, all those who make 80, but less than 90, in the same way; experts, all those who make an aggregate of 90 or better from their two best scores.

The decorations will be more costly than those given in the past, and everything possible to make New Jersey the banner State in marksmanship will be done.

Carnegie Helps Church.

At the Congregational church in Elizabeth on Sunday, a letter was read from Andrew Carnegie, through its secretary, offering to give the church $750 toward a new pipe organ. A rising vote of thanks was given, followed by the singing of the doxology. It was also announced that on the evening of February 21 Dr. Taft will be installed, this service to be followed by a reception to the pastor and his wife. The Ladies' Aid Society will have a meeting next Thursday at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. Boheneberger, 30 South Second street, to plan for the reception.

Reception to U. S. Senator-elect.

Trenton, Feb. 12.—The Republican Club of this city has fixed Tuesday evening, February 26, for the reception to United States Senator-elect Frank O. Briggs. It is planned to make the affair one of the largest of the kind held by the club, which is noted for its entertainments. Senators Kean and Dryden, Governor Stokes and all the State dignitaries are expected to be present.

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A POOR CHOICE.

"Uncle Dan" appears to have the State treasurership clinched and the reason why is plain. The truth has been told on the highways and by-ways. The Morris county man, who is a veteran at office holding, has always done the bidding of the machine and now he is to be rewarded with a $6,000 job. This does not alter the fact that former State Senator Charles A. Reed would be as much superior for the place as Mahlon Pitney or John W. Griggs would be for the berth that has been given Frank O. Briggs. Political conditions are rapidly changing, however, and it will not be long before better ideas of government will be firmly lodged in the hearts of the people of New Jersey. Then will the best men be chosen for public office.

THE THAW TRIAL.

President Roosevelt deserves praise for his speedy attempt to put a stop to the distribution through the mails of papers containing the disgusting accounts of the Thaw trial. While the rot and filth that appears as evidence in the case may be necessary in a court of law, there is no reason why the general public should have the lurid and disgusting details spread before it. The papers with such accounts in them go into the homes and are necessarily read by children of ten age. Thus incalculable harm is done. For this reason The Daily Press has from the first kept from its columns any reference to the trial.

DISFIGURED STREETS.

Just why no attention is paid by the city authorities to the dangerous and unsightly condition caused by the overhead feed wire of the P. S. C. running through Second street is indeed hard to understand. It is equally difficult to decipher why wires in general are allowed to be strung along the streets. That they are a disfigurement, no one will deny. Other matters of less moment seem to occupy the attention of those in authority, however, and it seems that it will be a long day before any attention is given this matter.

JUST A SAMPLE

HOG STILL GROWING.

"Caruso," the big hog being raised by C. T. Rogers, of New Market, whose weight and tremendous appetite were reported several weeks ago, is still growing. Mr. Rogers thinks he will be able to smash all hog raising records for this section. He believes "Caruso" will take on weight enough to dress at 1,000 pounds in February. He will be slaughtered before March 1.

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speak.

The problems of today are not emotional, but intellectual. The relation between capital and labor, the accumulation of wealth, the power of corporate enterprise, reform in administrative methods, are questions that require a trained leadership that shall settle them fearlessly, courageously, with prudence and without shock, and not leave them to be fanned to fury by demagogues who go to extremes and who exterminate the disease by killing the patient.

I have had some little to do with politics. I have heard anathemas hurled against the machine. I never yet knew the hour when the machine, if it was wrong, would not break under the attacks of intelligence when intelligence was awakened to its duty. Men want to do the right and they follow the trained leadership that in thinking makes them think and see the right.'

JOHN DOUD'S FUNERAL.

Mass in St. Joseph's Church Attended by a Large Gathering.

With a large gathering of relatives and friends in attendance, the funeral of John McBain Doud was held in St. Joseph's church this morning. A solemn mass of requiem was said by Rev. Father Miller and during the service he took occasion to speak at some length on the life of the young man, stricken down just after he had attained his majority. The gathering in the church included many companions of his own age and the words of the priest struck a responsive chord in the hearts of all, his commendable traits being known to young and old.

The display of floral tributes was one of the largest ever seen in the church and revealed as much as anything else the high regard in which he was held. The set pieces included a large pillow from the borough fire department, in which he was a call man; another from the employees of the A&P Tea Company and one from the young men who had been his closest associates.

The interment was made in St. Mary's cemetery and the pall bearers were six companions who had been named by him before his death. They were Grover Schuck, Hugh Ricketts, William Bechtle, Morris Brokaw, John McCullough and George Conover.

Y. M. H. A. BALL.

Held Last Night at Dancing Academy; a Great Success.

The Young Men's Hebrew Association held its first ball, last night, at the Plainfield Dancing Academy, West Front street. It was largely attended, and a complete success. Naylor's full orchestra played.

Out-of-town guests included delegations from the Raritan Club, the Y. M. H. A., of New York, and the Young Ladies' Social Circle, of Perth Amboy. There were special features, including shadow dances, and songs by Miss Daws, of Westfield; Harold Willard and Jacob Abrams.

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½-lb flat can 10c
RED ALASKA SALMON, 1-lb tall can 10c
SARDINES, extra quality boneless, ½'s can 30c; ¼'s 15c
Imported, ½'s, can 20c; ¼'s 10c
Domestic, ¼ oil, can 5c
Smoked, can 10c
Domestic, ¼, mustard 10c
LOBSTER, 1-lb can 35c; ½-lb 20c
SHRIMP, No. 1 pickled, can 10c; Dunbar's, 2-lb can 25c
KIPPERED HERRING, Marshall's, can 15c
MACKEREL, Soused, can 15c; Broiled, can 15c; In kits (8 lb) $1.25
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Newest creations of this season's make, all new models, these are fancy dress suits, in small mixtures and excellent overplaids.

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One lot Misses' and Children's Lace and Button Shoes, 6 to 10½ at 75c; 11 to 2 at 98c; regular 1.00, 1.25 and 1.50.

About 200 pairs Women's Welt Sole, button and lace, were 5.00, 4.50, 4.00 and 3.50, widths A to D, not all sizes in every style, but most all sizes in the lot. Sale price $2.75. Elegant bargains.

Same price—$2.75—on a lot of men's that were 3.50 to 5.00. Now is the time to get the selection.

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

The committee of arrangements from the Good Government Club having charge of the proposed play to be given, will meet tomorrow night at the home of Albert Linaberry.

Mrs. Ida Harris is arranging a leighing party for tonight. The direction of the trip has not been decided upon as yet.

A party of fifty young people from the village enjoyed a sleighing party, last night, the objective point being Scotch Plains.

Harry Hannon has taken a position as day operator for the Lehigh Valley Railroad at Easton, Pa.

A. C. Beckstein, of New York, is spending the day in town inspecting his new chicken farm.

Mrs. Wilson Day is entertaining her mother-in-law from Bangor, Pa., for a few weeks.

(Additional suburban news on page 2).

MISS LIBBEY'S PLAY PRODUCED.

"Parted On Her Bridal Tour" Gets An Enthusiastic Reception.

Laura Jean Libbey's play, "Parted On Her Bridal Tour," which comes to the New Plainfield theatre next Monday, had its premiere in Brooklyn last night. It received an enthusiastic reception as the following dispatch to the Daily Press from Manager Wall will show:

Laura Jean Libbey,
Whose Play, "Parted On Her Bridal Tour," Had Its Premiere in Brooklyn Last Night and Comes to Plainfield Next Monday Afternoon and Night.

"Charles E. Blaney produced at his Brooklyn theatre tonight Laura Jean Libbey's dramatization of her famous novel, "Parted On Her Bridal Tour," or "Miss Middleton's Lovers," and was received by a house packed from pit to dome that hugely enjoyed the performance from start to finish. After the second act the audience, arose en masse and yelled 'Libby, Libby, Laura Jean.' Miss Libbey was seated in the stage box and responded with a neat little speech in which she thanked her audience. Victory Bateman, in the lead, scored heavily. The production is one of the best and largest Mr. Blaney has offered.

"JAMES WALL."

Martine's Engagements.

James E. Martine, "the farmer-orator," will be one of the speakers at the Americus Club banquet at Camden on Monday night, February 25. On March 12 he will make a speech at the Delaware Club, Jersey City.

LENT BEGINS TOMORROW

(Continued from Page 1.)

Matthias, there will be Holy Communion at 9:30 o'clock, evensong at 5 o'clock.

Week day services will be held as follows: Daily at 9:30 o'clock in the morning, except Wednesdays and Fridays, when the service will be at 7:45 o'clock in the evening. Sermons on Monday afternoons and on Wednesday and Friday evenings. On Thursdays there will be a celebration of the Holy Communion at 9:30 o'clock in the morning. The following programme of services for Holy Week is announced:

March 24, Palm Sunday; March 28, Maundy Thursday, Holy Communion at 9:30 o'clock; March 29, Good Friday, morning prayer and ante-communion service at 9:30 o'clock, "Three Hours' Service," 12-3 p. m.; evensong at 7:45 o'clock; March 30, Easter even, Holy Baptism at 5 o'clock; March 31, Easter Day, Holy Communion at 6 and 8 o'clock in the morning; children's carol service at 9:45 o'clock; morning prayer, sermon and Holy Communion at 11 o'clock; evensong and sermon at 7:45 o'clock. The confirmation class will meet in the church after Friday evening services throughout Lent.

The subject of the Sunday morning sermons by the rector will be "Some Sins and Virtues," as follows: February 17, Pride-Humility; February 24, Covetousness-Liberality; March 10, Envy-Gentleness; March 17, Anger-Patience; March 24, Sloth-Diligence; March 31, The Power of Recovery. The subject for Sunday evenings will be the sermon on the mount.

At the children's service, Monday afternoons at 5 o'clock, the rector will give a series of addresses under the general title, "Christian Heroes and the Lessons They Have to Teach Us." These talks to the children will be illustrated and the copies of the painting may be taken home by the children. The first children's service will be held Monday, February 18. A feature of these services will be singing by the girls' choir at the 5 o'clock servicest during Lent. On Wednesday evenings the rector will preach on "The Fundamental Truths of Christianity, and on Friday evenings he will give a series of explanatory talks on "The Office of Holy Communion," as contained in The Book of Common Prayer.

St. Stephen's Church.

Rev. Arthur S. Peck, rector of St. Stephen's church, has completed his list of special services for the Lenten season, and announces the following special preachers: February 22, Rev. E. G. Bowers, Christ church, Elizabeth; March 1, Rev. Arthur S. Phelps, St. Paul's church, Bound Brook; March 8, Rev. Harris C. Rush, Grace church, Linden; March 15, Rev. E. M. Rodman, Grace church, Plainfield; March 22, Rev. S. P. Simpson, St. Clement's church, New York; March 27, Rt. Rev. John Scarborough, Bishop of New Jersey; March 29, Rev. A. S. Peck.

The Lenten schedule is as follows: Sundays, 7:30, 11 a. m. and 4 p. m., Holy Communion, matins and evensong; Wednesdays, 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., Holy Communion and evensong; Thursdays, 7 a. m., Holy Communion; Fridays, 8 p. m., penitential office, special preacher; Saturdays, 4 p. m., children's service. Instruction for confirmation will be given weekly. The services for Holy Week are as follows:

Monday, 4 p. m., evensong; Tuesday, 10 a. m., Holy Communion; Wednesday, 7 a. m., 8 p. m., Holy Communion, confirmation; Maundy Thursday, 7, 10 a. m., 4 p. m., Holy Communion, evensong; Good Friday, 10 a. m., 12-3 and 8 p. m., service of the Pro-Anaphora, Passion service and evensong; Easter even, 10 a. m., 4 p. m., Holy Communion, first service of Easter; Easter Day, 6, 7:30, 10:30, 11 a. m., and 4 p. m., low celebrations, matins, high celebration, children's festival.

On Ash-Wednesday, early communion will be celebrated at 7 o'clock, litany and communion at 10 and evening service at 7 o'clock.

St. Mary's.

The observance of the Lenten season at St. Mary's church will begin tomorrow with the blessing of the ashes at 8 o'clock in the morning. In the evening there will be a Lenten sermon, the benediction of the blessed sacrament and the distribution of ashes. Rev. B. M. Bogan, rector, will have charge of the services during Lent, assisted by Father Delehanty.

Each Friday evening there will be devotions of the way of the cross. On Sunday evenings at 8 o'clock there will be a Lenten sermon and benediction and a similar service will be held every Tuesday evening. Father Bogan has not announced his special preachers as yet. He will probably take charge of the course of instruction during Lent and the masses on Sunday will be divided between himself and Father Delehanty. During Holy Week the service of the way of the cross will be on Tuesday and the Passion service and the adoration of the cross will be on Good Friday.

St. Joseph's.

Special Lenten services will begin at St. Joseph's church tomorrow morning in charge of the rector, Rev. Father William H. Miller. The first service will be at 7:30 o'clock, which will include the blessing of the ashes. In the evening at 8 o'clock there will be the benediction and distribution of the ashes. Every Friday evening at 8 o'clock during Lent there will be "The Stations of the Cross" service and every Wednesday evening there will be a sermon and benediction by Father Miller. There will be the usual special services on Sunday in charge of the rector.

Heavenly Rest.

Lenten services will begin at the Church of the Heavenly Rest tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock, in charge of the rector, Rev. Mr. Short, of Trenton. There will be services every Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock and on Sunday mornings during Lent there will be services at 11 o'clock and the Sunday-school session will be held at 9:45 o'clock. Mr. Short will take charge of all services.

MEN'S CLUB SMOKER.

Grace Protestant Episcopal Church Organization Entertains.

The Men's Club of Grace Protestant Episcopal church held a smoker last night. Members of several other church clubs were present. All the other clubs were invited to attend.

The Eureka Quartette, which has sung at the Casino several times, furnished the music. Members of the Crescent Avenue, Congregational and Seventh-Day churches spoke of their clubs and the progress they were making.

Thermometer 4 Below.

Today is one of the coldest of the year, the thermometer registering 4 degrees below zero at 6 o'clock this morning. The low temperature continued throughout the day with no signs of going up. The weather is ideal for ice cutting and the Natural Ice Company is doing its utmost to harvest the large and available crop producted by the cold weather. Debele & Stahl commenced this morning to harvest the second crop of ice from their pond on Maple avenue. It is eight inches thick.

Fire at Hotel Waldorf.

Fire discovered beneath the flooring in the hallway at the Hotel Waldorf, today noon, resulted in about $100 damage. The fire was caused by a defective flue and evidently had been smouldering some time when detected by Henry Windham, the proprietor. He telephoned to fire headquarters and the chemical engine responded. Four extinguishers were used before the fire was put out. The greatest damage was caused by the cutting away of the flooring to reach the flames.

Elks' Minstrel Show.

Elizabeth, Feb. 12.—Before an audience which crowded Jacobs' theatre almost to the doors, Elizabeth Lodge No. 289, B. P. O. Elks, last night provided one of the most clever amateur minstrel shows ever given in this city. The entertainment had been arranged on an elaborate scale and was successfully performed in every particular.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

—Freeholder J. Hervey Doane has had the snow removed from all of the county bridges, extending from Scotch Plains to and including Plainfield.

—Indian River oranges, naval oranges and Tangierines; Florida grape fruit and fancy apples are among the features in Neuman Brothers' assortment of fine fruits. Their prices are low.

—A. E. Park has taken a three-year lease on the old Stonewall Jackson stables, on Somerset street, and Monday he put ten men at work on the property, fumigating, painting and thoroughly renovating the entire buildings. On Wednesday he expects to fill up the stable with high class horses, both heavy draft horses and coach horses.

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DIED.

WYCKOFF—In this city, February 11, 1907, Mrs. Emma Wyckoff, of South Plainfield, aged 48 years.

Services at Undertaker T. A. Moore's parlors, Watchung avenue, Wednesday, February 13, at 1 o'clock and at the Baptist church, South Plainfield, at 2 o'clock. Interment at Metuchen, N. J.

GALBRAITH—In this city, February 10, 1907, Daniel Galbraith.

Funeral from his late residence, 506 West Fourth street, Wednesday, February 13, at 8:30 a. m. and from St. Mary's church at 9 a. m., where a requiem mass will be offered for the repose of his soul. Interment in St. Mary's cemetery. 2 11 2

Classified Advertisements

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A dramatic treat is in store for all those attending the New Plainfield theatre next Monday afternoon and night, when "Parted on Her Bridal Tour" will be seen for the first time. The play is presented by Charles E. Blaney and is a dramatization of the famous Laura Jean Libbey's noted book "Miss Middleton's Lover." Nearly every one has at some time read one of Miss Libbey's novels. She has become famous for her thrilling writings and as this is the first of her wonderful stories to be produced on the stage it will no doubt be an event of the season which will be watched with great interest.

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CHAPTER VI.

The Girl and the Canoe.

Bates did not refer to his encounter with the caretaker, and I resolved to keep my knowledge of it to myself. I always prefer to let a rascal hang himself, and here was a case, I reasoned, where, if Bates was disloyal to the duties Pickering had imposed upon him, the fact of his perfidy was bound to disclose itself eventually. Glancing around at him when he was off guard I surprised a look of utter dejection upon his face as he stood with folded arms behind my chair.

He flushed and started, then put his hand to his forehead, where a strip of plaster covered his wound.

"I met with a slight accident this morning, Mr. Glenarm. The hickory's very tough, sir. A piece of wood flew up and struck me."

"Too bad!" I said with sympathy. "You'd better rest a bit this afternoon."

"Thank you, sir; but it's only a small matter,—only, you might think the cut a trifle disfiguring."

He struck a match for my cigarette, and I left without looking at him again. But as I crossed the threshold of the library I formulated this note: "Bates is a liar, for one thing, and a person with active enemies for another; watch him."

All things considered the day was passing well enough. I picked up a book, threw myself on a comfortable divan to smoke and reflect before continuing my explorations. As I lay there, Bates brought me a telegram, a reply to my message to Pickering. It read:

"Yours announcing arrival received and filed."

It was certainly a queer business, my errand to Glenarm. I lay for a couple of hours dreaming, and counted the candles in the great crystal chandelier until my eyes ached. Then I took my cap and was soon tramping toward the lake.

There were several small boats and a naphtha launch in the boat-house. I dropped a canoe into the water and paddled off toward the summer colony, whose gables and red roofs were plainly visible from the boat-house.

I landed and roamed idly over leaf-strewn walks past nearly a hundred cottages, to whose windows and verandas the winter blinds gave a dreary and inhospitable air. There was, at one point, a casino, whose broad veranda hung over the edge of the lake, while beneath, on the waterside, was a boat-house.

I walked back to the wharf, where I had left my canoe, and was about to step into it when I saw, rocking at a similar landing place near by, another slight craft of the same type as my own, but painted dark maroon. I was sure the canoe had not been there when I landed. Possibly it belonged to Morgan, the caretaker? I walked over and examined it. I even lifted it slightly to test its weight. The paddle lay on the dock beside me and it, too, I weighed critically, deciding that it was a trifle light for my own taste.

"Please—if you don't mind—"

I turned to stand face to face with the girl in the red tam-o'-shanter.

I Turned to Stand Face to Face With the Girl of the Red Tom-O'-Shanter.

"I beg your pardon," I said, stepping away from the canoe.

She did not wear the covert coat of the morning, but a red knit jacket, buttoned tight about her. She was young with every emphasis of youth. A pair of dark blue eyes examined me with good-humored curiosity. She was on good terms with the sun—I rejoiced in the brown of her cheeks, so eloquent of companionship with the outdoor world—a certificate indeed of the favor of Heaven. Show me, in October, a girl with a face of tan, whose hands have plied a paddle or driven a golf-ball or cast a fly beneath the blue arches of summer, and I will suffer her scorn in joy. She may vote me dull and refute my wisest word with laughter, for hers are the privileges of the sisterhood of Diana; and that soft bronze, those daring fugitive freckles beneath her eyes, link her to times when Pan whistled upon his reed and all the days were long.

Her rubber-soled outing shoes had made possible her silent approach, and she enjoyed, I was sure, my discomfiture at being taken unawares.

I had snatched off my cap and stood waiting beside the canoe, feeling, I must admit, a trifle guilty at being caught in the unwarrantable inspection of another person's property—particularly a person so wholly pleasing to the eye.

"I believe—I believe that is my paddle," she said, a little timidly I thought, and yet with definiteness.

I looked down and found to my annoyance that I held her paddle in my hand,—was in fact leaning upon it with a cool air of proprietorship.

"Again, I beg your pardon," I said. "I hadn't expected—"

She eyed me calmly, with the stare of the child that arrives at a drawing-room door by mistake and scrutinizes the guests without awe. I didn't know what I had expected or had not expected, and she manifested no intention of helping me to explain. Her short skirt suggested 15 or 16—not more—and such being the case there was no reason why I should not be master of the situation. As I fumbled my pipe the hot coals of tobacco burned my hand and I cast the thing from me.

She laughed a little, then caught herself and gravely watched the pipe bound from the dock into the water.

"Too bad!" she said, her eyes upon it; "but if you hurry you may get it before it floats away."

"Thank you for the suggestion," I said. But I did not relish the idea of kneeling on the dock to fish for a pipe before a strange school girl who was, I felt sure, anxious to laugh at me.

She took a step toward the line by which her boat was fastened.

"Allow me."

"If you think you can,—safely,'" she said; and the laughter that lurked in her eyes annoyed me.

"The feminine knot is designed for the confusion of man," I observed, twitching vainly at the rope, which was tied securely in unfamiliar loops.

She was singularly unresponsive. The thought that she was probably laughing at my clumsiness did not make my fingers more nimble.

"The nautical instructor at St. Agatha's is undoubtedly a woman. This knot must come in the post-graduate course. But my gallantry is equal, I trust, to your patience."

The maid in the red tam-o'-shanter continued silent. The wet rope was obdurate, the knot more and more hopeless, and my efforts to make light of the situation awakened no response in the girl. I tugged away at the rope, attacking its tangle on various theories.

"A case for surgery, I'm afraid. A truly gordian knot, but I haven't my knife."

"Oh, but you wouldn't!" she exclaimed. "I think I can manage."

She bent down—I was aware that the sleeve of her jacket brushed my shoulder—seized an end that I had ignored, gave it a sharp tug with a slim, brown hand and pulled the knot free.

"There!" she exclaimed with a little laugh; "I might have saved you all the bother."

"How dull of me! But I didn't have the combination," I said, steadying the canoe carefully to mitigate the ignominy of my failure.

She scorned the hand I extended, but embarked with light, confident step and took the paddle. It was growing late. The shadows in the wood were deepening; a chill crept over the water, and, beyond the tower of the chapel, the sky was bright with the glory of sunset.

With a few skillful strokes she brought her little craft beside my pipe, which she deftly caught on the paddle blade and tossed to the wharf.

"Perhaps you can pipe a tune upon it," she said, dipping the paddle.

"You put me under great obligations," I declared. "Are all the girls at St. Agatha's as amiable?"

"I shouldn't say so! I'm a great exception,—and—I really shouldn't be talking to you at all! It's against the rules! And we don't encourage smoking."

"The chaplain doesn't smoke, I suppose."

"Not in chapel; I believe it isn't done! And we rarely see him anywhere else."

She had idled with the paddle so far, but now she lifted her eyes and drew back the blade for a long stroke.

"But in the wood,—this morning—by the wall!"

I hate myself to this day for having so startled her. The poised blade dropped into the water with a splash; she brought the canoe a trifle nearer to the wharf with an almost imperceptible stroke, and turned toward me with wonder and dismay in her eyes.

"So you are an eavesdropper and detective, are you? I beg that you will give your master my compliments! I really owe you an apology; I thought you were a gentleman," she exclaimed with withering emphasis, and dipped her blade deep in flight.

I called, stammering incoherently, after her, but her light argosy skimmed the water steadily. The paddle rose and fell with trained precision, making scarcely a ripple as she stole softly away toward the fairy towers of the sunset. I stood looking after her, goaded with self-contempt. A glory of purple and scarlet and gold filled the west. Suddenly the wind moaned in the wood behind the line of cottages, swept over me and rippled the surface of the lake. I watched its flight until it caught her canoe and I marked the nimsy craft's quick response, as the shaken waters bore her alert figure upward on the swell, her blade still maintaining its regular dip, until she disappeared behind a little peninsula that made a harbor near the school grounds.

The red tam-o'-shanter seemed at last to merge in the red sky, and I turned cheerlessly to my canoe.

CHAPTER VII.

The Man on the Wall.

I was so thoroughly angry with myself that after idling along the shores for an hour I lost my way in the dark wood when I landed and brought up at the rear door used by Bates for communication with the villagers who supplied us with provender. I readily found my way to the kitchen and to a flight of stairs beyond, which connected the first and second floors. I stumbled up the unfamiliar way in the dark, with, I fear, a malediction upon my grandfather, who had built and left incomplete a house so utterly preposterous. My unpardonable fling at the girl still rankled; and I was cold from the quick descent of the night chill on the water and anxious to get into some comfortable clothes. Once on the second floor I was sure of the location of my room, and I was feeling my way toward it over the rough floor when I heard low voices rising apparently from my sitting-room.

It was pitch dark in the hall. I stopped short and listened. The door of my room was open and a faint light flashed once into the hall and disappeared. I heard now a sound as of a hammer tapping upon wood-work.

Then it ceased, and a voice whispered:

"He'll kill me if he finds me here. I'll try again to-morrow. I swear to God I'll help you, but no more now—"

Then the sound of a scuffle and again the tapping of the hammer. After several minutes more of this there was a whispered dialogue which I could not hear.

Whatever was occurring two or three points struck me on the instant. One of the conspirators was an unwilling party to an act as yet unknown; second, they had been unsuccessful and must wait for another opportunity; and third, the business, whatever it was, was clearly of some importance to myself, as my own apartments in my grandfather's strange house had been chosen for the investigation.

Clearly I was not prepared to close the incident, but the idea of frightening my visitors appealed to my sense of humor. I tiptoed to the front stairway, ran lightly down, found the front door, and, from the inside, opened and slammed it. I heard instantly a hurried scamper above, and the heavy fall of one who had stumbled in the dark. I grinned with real pleasure at the sound of the mishap, hastened to the great library, which was as dark as a well, and, opening one of the long windows, stepped out on the balcony. At once from the rear of the house came the sound of a stealthy step, which increased to a run at the ravine bridge. I listened to the flight of the fugitive through the wood until the sounds died away toward the lake.

Then, turning to the library window, I saw Bates, with a candle held above his head, peering about.

"Hello, Bates," I called cheerfully. "I just got home and stepped out to see if the moon had risen. I don't believe I know where to look for it in this country."

He began lighting the tapers with his usual deliberation.

"It's a trifle early, I think, sir. About eight o'clock, I should say, was the hour, Mr. Glenarm."

There was, of course, no doubt whatever that Bates had been one of the men I heard in my room. It was wholly possible that he had been compelled to assist in some lawless act against his will; but why, if he had been forced into aiding a criminal, should he not invoke my own aid to protect himself? I kicked the logs in the fireplace impatiently at my uncertainty. The man slowly lighted the many candles in the great apartment. He was certainly a deep one, and his case grew more puzzling as I studied it in relation to the rifle shot of the night before, his collision with Morgan in the wood, which I had witnessed; and now the house itself had been invaded by some one with his connivance. The rifle shot might have been innocent enough; but taken in connection with these other matters it could hardly be brushed aside.

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Bowling and General Sports

GOLF.

The chairmen of the various committees selected at the annual meeting of the Plainfield Country Club on February 5, will soon announce the remaining members of their committees.

BOWLING.

The Park Club bowling team will roll the last game in the Central Journal Bowling League tournament at Cranford Thursday night.

Junior Five Wins.

The Y. M. C. A. junior five defeated the Stillman School basketball team this morning, 24 to 16. Conroy played the whole game for Y. M. C. A., shooting ten goals from the field and two from fouls. The other two points were made by Robins, who threw a basket. Clark and Bohan divided the goas credited to the Stillman School. The line-up: Stillman, Clark, Bohan, forwards; Moran, Mantz, centre; Little, Bristol, guards. Y. M. C. A., Conroy, Vanderbeek, forwards; Vail, centre; Robins, Miller, guards.

CLOSED PORTALS.

Senate Lodge, Knights of Honor, has received a check for $2,000 on the life of the late Mayor O. L. Jenkins, and will present it to Mrs. Jenkins Saturday evening.

The Plainfield members, together with their wives, will attend the "ladies' night" entertainment to be given by Salaam Temple, Ancient Arabic Order Nobles Mystic Shrine, in Krueger's Auditorium, at Newark, Friday night. The Shriners have prepared an elaborate entertainment, which will be followed by a banquet.

Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum, will begin the new year by entertaining the members and their women friends on Thursday night, which has been set apart for a social time. Clever artists have been engaged to present the programme and in addition Grand Vice Regent Ward will make a short address. William R. Townsend, the newly, elected regent, will be in charge of the affair.

PERSONAL.

Mulford Estil, of Park avenue, is confined to his home with an attack of rheumatism.

Mrs. Matthews, of Somerset street, has been confined to the house by grip for the past two weeks.

Miss Elizabeth Kinley, of New York, formerly of this city, is visiting Mrs. C. C. Irby, of East Third street.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Sherman, of Westervelt avenue, the borough, have leased a dwelling at Netherwood and will move there April 1.

"Ladies' Night" at Salaam Temple.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

MEN OF HOLY CROSS CHEFS AND WAITERS

PARISH HOUSE TRANSFORMED INTO A FINE BIG RESTAURANT.

The long-heralded men's dinner at Holy Cross parish house, prepared by the male portion of the parish, took place, last night, and contrary to expectation no casualties have been reported. The crowd came with absolute fearlessness and so determined was it to fly in the face of fate that the head waiter was swamped with orders and had the time of his life trying to attend to the cash trade. Over 250 heroes and heroines sampled the men-u, as it was styled on the bill of fare, and the church will net $300 as a result, provided, of course, no damage suits are filed within the statute of limitations.

The men had labored hard and long to get the edibles together in proper form for serving and when they were carried to the dining room every bit of it looked like real food. There were times when the diners were a little uncertain as to what they were disposing of and the men-u did not help them a whole lot. Everything had a new name as well as a new flavor and this is the way the rations were described, starting off with a toast to the cook from "Bill Saunders" in order to keep him in good humor:

Cream of Clam (all males) Soup
NOTE.—These clams were picked entirely by men. They did not shake the tree as women do, but climbed up and gathered them.
Olives Salary (large and small)
Salted down Almonds
Toad Stools—Padded
Chicken-smothered to death
(From our Neighbors' coops)
Spanked Potatoes
Peas of Emerald Hue
Let-us have Salad
Cheese—John Bull or Camelback
Variety
Cream of Ice—In Season
Half cups of Coffee
Rolls—Dr. Warner's Hand-made,
Cure-all Biscuits
Washington Rock Sparkling Water
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February 11th, 1907.

All the committees worked hard in their respective branches to take care of the hungry folks but the response to the announcements was more than was expected. It is thought that some folks got tired of waiting, just as they do in resturants, and went away without getting a chance to sample the lay-out. For this reason the committee announces that anyone having tickets that were not redeemed can have their money back by returning them to anyone of the members.

The staff of artists that prepared the supper and saw to its proper disposal made made up as follows:

Commissary and Menu—Samuel Townsend, E. S. Hooley, J. L. Watson.

Kitchen Suuervision — Frederic Harrington, J. P. Stevens.

Head Waiters—B. A. Hegean, Jr., C. A. Reed, A. VanDeventer.

Serving Waiters—C. E. Murray, Morgan T. Townsend.

Advertising and Printing—W. L. Saunders, D. J. Randall, O. H. Voorhees.

Cloak Room—J. W. Hegeman, Paul Brakeley.

Reception—Rev. George A. Warner, Dr. J. H. Carman, George P. Dupee.

Chief of Cuisine—Geo. O. Stevens.

Mr. Saunders was unable to be at the spread because of his trip to Panama but the following telegram was received by Rector George A. Warner from him last night, dated at El Paso, Texas:

"My dear Mr. Warner: We are wishing we could be with you for the dinner tonight and in place of the sage hens down here have some of Mr. Stevens' smothered chickens. With best wishes for your success tonight. W. L. and Miss Louise Saunders."

The dinner will be continued tonight.

STATE BROTHERHOOD IN ANNUAL CONVENTION.

The first annual state convention of the Presbyterian brotherhood will be conducted today in Fourth Presbyterian church, East State and Clinton streets, Trenton. The convention will be under the auspices of the committee on Presbyterian brotherhood of the synod of New Jersey. The Rev. Frederick E. Stockwell, of Beverly, is the chairman. The session will commence at 9:30 this morning.

The Rev. Charles H. Erdman will speak on "The Brotherhood and the Spiritual Life," Waldo C. Genung on "The Brotherhood and Church Activities," and Judge John Reilstab on "The Brotherhood of Public Morality."

A recess will be taken at noon and a luncheon will be served in the chapel by the women of Fourth church.

Danish Lutheran services will be held tomorrow night at 8 o'clock in the W. C. T. U. rooms. There will be preaching by Rev. Mr. Kaier.

The Study Class of the Women's Association of the Congregational church will meet with Mrs. Bates, 243 East Sixth street, Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

GERMANS' BIG DANCE IN SAENGERBUND HALL

MASQUERADE BALL OF GESANG AND TURN VEREIN A SUCCESS.

With one of the largest crowds of merrymakers that has ever been noted at a similar affair, the eighteenth annual masquerade ball of the Plainfield Gesang and Turn Verein was held in Saengerbund Hall, last night. The floor was taxed to its capacity from early in the evening until shortly before daylight this morning and the occasion passed into the looking-backward rank as one of the most successful the society has arranged and conducted.

Only dancers in costume were allowed on the floor until midnight and the sight of the masqueraders as viewed from the gallery was one well worth braving the cold to see. Happy Hooligans linked arms with Teddy Roosevelts, sailors and princes hobnobbed in corners and milkmaids and flower girls were everywhere. When all had assembled for the grand march a very pretty picture was forme d and there were frequent bursts of applause as some of the best figures were brought out. The march was led by the members of the general committee with Charles Meyer, Jr., directing. Paroubek's orchestra furnished the music for the dancing and it was one of the features of the evening.

The committee which had charge of the affair consisted of Otto Keller, chairman; John Retzer, Charles Meyer, Jr., Fritz Schmidt and Charles Caspar.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The Baraca Class of Faith chapel, which will be addressed tonight by Rev. Frank Anderson, of Millville, pastor of the Baptist church at that place, has a membership of forty men. Mr. Anderson is the treasurer of the National Baraca Society and his talk tonight will be concerning the work of the organization in all parts of the country.

SCHOONER SINKS SOUND STEAMER IN COLLISION.

Many Passengers in Lifeboat Meet Their Death by Drowning in Zero Weather.

New York, Feb. 12.—The steamer Larchmont of the Joy Line, with many passengers on board, bound from Providence for New York, sank off the northwest side of Block Island early today after having been in collision with the three-masted schooner Harry Knowlton off Quonchontaug.

The passengers and crew from the steamer took to the boats, but many passengers are believed to have lost their lives, either by being drowned or freezing, as the temperature was below zero.

When the first boats came ashore from the steamer it was found that some of the occupants were dead. In the first confusion it was not known whether they had been pulled from the water after having been drowned or whether they were frozen to death.

Bodies are being washed ashore along the coast.

The schooner's bow was cut away and her captain ran her ashore west of Quonochontaug to prevent her sinking. The crew of seven men, including Captain Haley, reached shore safely in their own boats.

The cause of the collision it not yet known. The night was clear, but there was a strong northwest wind and the sea was rough.

The Knowlton, which hails from Eastport, Maine, was bound from South Amboy for Boston with 475 tons of coal.

NO OLIVE LEAF FOR HUDSON CO.'S G. O. P.

Fagan and Dickinson Factions Are in a Fight to a Finish.

Both George L. Record and Col. Samuel D. Dickinson, of Jersey City, denied yesterday a published statement that they had a political conference with the view of bringing together the Fagan and Dickinson factions of the Republican party in Hudson county. They admitted having met at a dinner, but insisted that politics was not discussed.

There is no chance of the two factions getting together unless Mr. Record is eliminated from the local political situation, and the Fagan forces will not agree to a proposition of that kind. Mayor Fagan will not be opposed by the Dickinson Republicans for a re-nomination, Colonel Dickinson and his followers having decided not to put up a candidate against him.

Efforts on the part of the Fagan-Record combination to prevent Col. Dickinson's re-appointment as Secretary of State, have been unsuccessful. The Colonel's term expires in March, and Gov. Stokes has let it be known that he will give the Hudson county Republican leader another term.

Milkmen Organize.

The Milkmen's Protective Association of Union county was recently organized in Elizabeth, and now has a membership of thirty-two.

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Head of Great Public Utility Concern Tells of the Difficulties It Encounters.

HE EXPLAINS ITS AIMS

Thomas N. McCarter in Speech Before Board of Trade Issues Warning Against Municipal Ownership.

The able speech made by President Thomas N. McCarter, of the Public Service Corporation, on that public

Thomas N. McCarter.

utilities' concern's aims, at the annual banquet of the Board of Trade last night, follows:

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen of Plainfield:

For the past two years, during the peak—as we say in the electrical business—of the public feeling against corporations in general, and quasi public corporations in particular, I have conceived it to be wiser, in the performance of my duty as President of Public Service, to refrain from speech-making, and devote my entire energy to the routine and arduous duties of my position. The public, rightly or wrongly, has not been in a receptive frame of mind, and anything that I, or one similarly situated might have said would have had little, if any, effect. The pendulum has swung so far, however, that the thinking men of the country are beginning to appreciate the gravity of the situation, and therefore it seemed to me, when I received the courteous invitation of my friend, your Mayor, to come here tonight and speak on this subject, that perhaps the time was ripe for me to frankly discuss before an intelligent audience of this character, the problems which confront me as the head of the large corporation over which I preside, and affect us all as citizens of the Commonwealth of New Jersey.

To begin with, at the risk of wearying you, I am going to give you a bit of my personal history, in order that you may appreciate the viewpoint from which I approach my present duties, and I am also going to tell you something of the history of Public Service, for any discussion of public utilities in New Jersey is necessarily, for the most part, a discussion of the affairs of that corporation.

I was educated as a lawyer, and I pursued my profession until the formation of Public Service and my election to its Presidency in 1903. The few years prior to 1903 had been formative or constructive years of the underlying companies now in the Public Service, and in my professional work I had been considerably employed in doing the legal work involved. In several instances I invested money in the enterprises which I was conducting legally, out of one or two of which I made money, out of others not. My point is, that I was not one of the gentlemen concerned in the original exploitation of these various enterprises. Not that I am casting any reflection upon those who were; that work was done by some of the strongest men this State has produced. It was a strenuous undertaking, and undoubtedly shortened the lives of Vice President Hobart and the late B. M. Shanley, of Newark. There is much to admire in the work of these gentlemen and their associates. They quickened the growth and development of our State, they gave employment to thousands of people, and they made living more comfortable. But from the present standpoint it is clear that they made mistakes too, in that they over-discounted the future, and over-capitalized some of the great properties they constructed. This

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TRIBUTES TO LINCOLN

Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss and Former Assemblyman Swackhamer Recite His Virtues.

NOBILITY OF CHARACTER

"If Lincoln Had Lived We Should Not Have Had to Wait So Long For Reunited Country," Says Divine.

The Men's Club, of the First Presbyterian church, appropriately observed the anniversary of Lincoln's Birthday, at a dinner given in the chapel last night. There was a large atendance of members and friends of the club and so successful was the affair that it is proposed to make it an annual one. The dinner was served at a number of tables and after enjoying an excellent menu which was served under the direction of several women of the church, the assemblage listened to two fine addresses, one by Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss, of the First Baptist church, and the other by S. S. Swackhamer, of the borough, both speaking on Lincoln. S. W. Dunning, as president of the club, presided, and first introduced Dr. Chambliss, who was General Robert E. Lee's army chaplain. Dr. Chambliss said:

"I was one of thousands of young men, and older men, who thought that they were hard hit by Providence when in 1860 Lincoln was elected President. The men of today could never know how the men of the South felt in those days—how wild they were with what they believed to be patriotic fire, kindling and blazing at the thought that they were about to be robbed of what they had been taught to regard their constitutional rights. The spirit of secession was not universal, but so nearly so that it seemed as if man, woman and child were ready to die rather than submit to the political doctrine which triumphed in the election of Lincoln. Courage, at least did not seem to be lacking.

"True it had not been tried, but the day soon came when it was tried, and the day lengthened into months and into weary suffering years for both sides, until at last the God of battle gave the victory to one side and left the other only a 'Lost Cause.' How far apart then were North and South. It seemed that nothing less than the compasses of eternity could span the chasm. But it has been spanned, bridged, filled up. And no intelligent man doubts that the awful chasm would far more quickly have been closed but for the accursed stroke of the assassin's hand which five days after the surrender fell upon that generous, broad-minded, great-souled, sweet-hearted man, whose memory we cherish this evening.

"Such sentiments concerning Lincoln were not even then uncommon in the South. He had not then, indeed, been accorded the lofty place which he has since attained in that latitude as in this as to all the elements that go to make a great man. But his kindness, his sympathy, his goodness, his honesty, his incorruptible purity of motive and purpose no honorable man questioned, and the cruel, monstrous blow which struck out that great light in the temple of freedom thrilled with horror every brave heart in the South as it did in the North.

"If Lincoln had lived, we should not have had to wait so long as we did for a re-united country. The miracle of the ages is presented in this country today. I would venture to say that never before since history began has anything appeared comparable to the union, peace, oneness of national spirit now witnessed in this land within scarcely more than a single generation after a war, the most terrible and most tremendous in cost of blood and treasure of modern times. I wonder what Lincoln would say—with what amazed, bewildered eyes he would look upon this land, if he could now awake from his sleep at Springfield and look about him—the country which was torn and bleeding at every pore, when he lay down to sleep, now lying in the calm, sweet sunshine of peace and prosperity more perfectly the home of a united people than ever before. And he would wonder to see an old Confederate chaplain at a Lincoln birthday dinner, speaking the praises of Lincoln with a heart full of reverence and love."

The genuine applause that was given throughout and at the end of the talk by Dr. Chambliss was only equalled by that accorded Mr. Swackhamer, who spoke as follows:

"Thomas Carlyle has said: 'Great men are the fire pillars in this dark pilgrimage of mankind; they stand as heavenly signs, ever living witnesses of what has been, prophetic tokens of what may yet be, the revealed, embodied possibilities of human nature.' To me one of the most charming, absorbing, fascinating themes in literature is biography. "It

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BRIGGS A ROOSEVELTIAN

United States Senator-Elect Defines His Views on Matters of National Interest.

ADMIRES PRESIDENT

He Will Stand Pat On the Constitution, Believing It To Be the Safest Guide—Favors the Panama Canal.

When Senator-elect Briggs goes to Washington he will be a Roosevelt Republican in practically everything excepting the Brownsville negro troop muddle. He will stand hard by the constitution as a guide for his political course, and will strive to do his governmental work on a strictly business basis. This was the substance of an interview had with him today.

"I am inclined to be a trifle old fashioned in my political notions," Mr. Briggs said, "and I think we have yet to find a better guide in our governmental affairs than the Constitution of the United States. It is true, of course, that new industrial and social questions have arisen and press for solution, but they are no greater nor more difficult than those which confronted the framers of the constitution."

On specific matters now pending before Congress Mr. Briggs declined to express himself, taking the position that it is not for a new man, without experience, to criticise the men who are endeavoring to solve the pending problems.

"As a business man I appreciate the very great importance that the Panama Canal is going to be to this country and I believe that work should be carried on in a business like manner, without any regard to politics. I do not believe that anywhere in the land is the importance of a protective tariff more thoroughly appreciated than in New Jersey. It is my firm belief that all laws should be rigidly enforced. If the Sherman anti-trust law is a good one to keep on the statute book it should be enforced."

"I have naturally had the interest of an active business man in all matters of national import and have formed many opinions of my own. I shall go to Washington predisposed not only in favor of the policies and work of President Roosevelt, but a warm admirer of such men as Secretary Root, Secretary Hitchcock, Secretary Taft and Attorney-General Bonaparte, whose work has excited my interest. My situation with regard to legislative matters is not changed. As the representative of the people of New Jersey it will be my duty in the future to thoroughly investigate all phases of questions that are to be passed upon by Congress in order that I may intelligently act for the best interests of both State and nation. This I propose to do.

As a West Pointer and former army officer, Mr. Briggs has taken an especial interest in matters affecting the army, and heartily indorses the President's ideas of maintaining an efficient army and strengthening the navy.

"On these matters," said Mr. Briggs, "I am in entire accord with President Roosevelt. We should, as the President says, do everything in our power at all times for the cause of honorable peace and there is no surer guarantee of peace than having a navy of sufficient size to make warlike nations hesitate."

"The army and navy should be kept up to their present strength, and this can only be done in the case of the navy by constantly replacing the worn-out and obsolete ships by good ones."

When asked as to his opinion on the Brownsville incident, Mr. Briggs replied:

"Well, that is a point upon which with my present information I am inclined to disagree with the President. I think a proper course there would have been a court-martial. If the commanding officer was unable to maintain proper disciplinen he should have been court-martialed."

Shriners Will Entertain.

The Plainfield members of Salaam Temple, Ancient Arabic Order Nobles Mystic Shrine, and their wives, will leave Plainfield Friday night on the 6:18 train from the North Avenue station for Newark, where they will attend the "ladies' night" entertainment to be given by the Shriners in Krueger's Auditorium. This will consist of a vaudeville show, supper and dance. The Plainfielders will return home in a special trolley car.

Prof. Krebs Speaks at Somerville.

Prof. H. C. Krebs, of the North Plainfield Public Schools, and Rev. Dr. Demarest, president of Rutgers College, were speakers at the Lincoln dinner given by the Men's Club of the First Reformed church, Somerville, last night. Prof. Krebs spoke on "The Obscure Hero," and Dr. Demarest's subject was "Reminiscenses of Old Rutgers."

MISS NEILSON DIES FROM EFFECTS OF BURNS

PASSED AWAY IN MUHLENBERG HOSPITAL AT 5:30 YESTERDAY.

Miss Hannah Neilson, the servant at R. H. McCutcheon's home who was terribly burned through her clothing catching fire from a range, Monday night, died in Muhlenberg Hospital at 5:30 yesterday afternoon. The woman was beyond hope when received at the institution and all that could be done for her was to alleviate her sufferings. The flames had left their effects on nearly every part of her body, the face and head alone escaping.

Although Miss Neilson had been in Mr. McCutcheon's employ for over a year, the family or the other servants did not know much about her. She came to this country from Sweden and it is thought all her relatives are there. Mr. McCutcheon is making a determined effort to locate them and pending the result the body is being held at Undertaker Casey.

William McDonough, who made a vain attempt to save Miss Neilson and who received bad burns himself in consequence, is doing very nicely. His arms were blistered from the hands to the shoulders and he will be kept from work for several weeks.

CROWTHER FOR JACKSON.

Middlesex Assemblyman Wants Defeated Senator for Treasurer.

Assemblyman Frank Crowther, of Perth Amboy, one of the speakers at the Board of Trade banquet last night, remained in the city until this morning. Before leaving for Trenton he was seen by a representative of The Daily Press and questioned concerning his opinion regarding the contest for State Treasurer.

"I don't know any more about that question than you do," replied Dr. Crowther. I am for Former Senator W. H. Jackson, of Middlesex county. You know every representative has a favorite son and I would vote for him on the first ballot. If I then learned that he did not have enough votes to elect him, I would stand by the decision of my party caucus, believing their choice to be for the best interest of all."

SECRETLY MARRIED.

Marriage Announcement of Miss Van Winkle and Ellis Emery Surprises Friends.

Announcement was made yesterday of the marriage of Miss Violet Van Winkle and Ellis H. Emery. The young people were wedded secretly on December 23, at Westfield, by Rev. C. J. Greenwood.

The families knew of the marriage several weeks ago, but announcement cards, sent out yesterday, gave their friends the first intimation of it. The couple had been formally engaged, and there was no opposition to the match. They simply took into their heads to wed quietly, it was said by the bride's family this morning. Mrs. Emery has been living with her brother, Frank Van Winkle.

Elizabeth Post Office Site.

Final selection of a site for the new post office building in Elizabeth will be made on March 13, according to a notice received this morning by Postmaster Charlock from the Postoffice Department at Washington. The communication is signed by Secretry L. M. Shaw. One of the government architects was in Elizabeth a short time ago looking over the proposed sites. His selection will doubtless be one of three: Morris avenue, near the Central Railroad station; East Grand street, near Broad, and corner of Broad and Caldwell place.

Silk Company Directors Elect.

At a meeting of the directors of the Watchung Silk Company, yesterday, the following were elected for the following year: President, J. Fred MacDonald; vice-president, E. M. Laing; secretary, Henry Fifke; treasurer, W. R. Codington. All had been serving with the exception of Mr. Liefke, who succeeds Allen B. Laing.

Finest P. O. in the District.

E. M. Norris, assistant inspector of salary and allowance division of the postal department, was in Plainfield yesterday inspecting the local post office, which includes the new quarters recently acquired. Mr. Norris said he was pleased with the office and its equipment, declaring it to be the finest one in his district.

—The next meeting of the Sesame Club will be held tomorrow morning at the residence of Mrs. M. A. Zook, 126 East Sixth street.

—Lovers of fresh fruits and vegetables should see the large display at Neuman Brothers store. Indian River oranges and grape fruit, fancy apples, Boston head lettuce, tomatoes and cucumbers are included in the list.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Guinn entertained a few friends at their home last evening.

SENATOR REED HOPEFUL

In the Race For Treasurership Provided No Deal Has Been Made.

VOORHEES' WILD CLAIMS

Somerset County Leader for the First Time Explains How He Was Made a Victim for Newspaper Criticism.

After repeated efforts a representative of The Daily Press pursuaded former State Senator Reed today to break his silence and tell whether he is a candidate for the State treasurership. That he will make an effort to land the prize provided the State leaders have not stacked the political deck, he admitted, adding that he could not believe that the great majority of the legislators would allow the office to be turned over to a favorite of the State machine as a part of a deal. His defeat for the same office five years ago by a single vote he credits to newspapermen he had unintentionally antagonized at that time.

"Your name, Senator," said the reporter, "has been prominently mentioned recently in connection with the office of State Treasurer, but there seems to be considerable doubt as to whether or not you are a candidate."

"When it was recently announced that Senator Dryden had withdrawn," said Mr. Reed, "and Senator Briggs became a candidate several of my friends from different parts of the State at once urged me to become again a candidate for the office of State Treasurer. They recalled that five years ago I had been defeated by only one vote, the tally standing thirty to thirty-one, and said they thought that I ought to try again. They promised me their hearty support."

"Did you agree to become a candidate?"

"Well, it was like this. A story was persistently circulated that a conference of four or five gentlemen had decided that after Treasurer Briggs was chosen United States Senator, Mr. Daniel Voorhees, of Morris county, should be elected State Treasurer. It was also asserted that the Governor strongly urged that this agreement should be carried out and that he would help in any way in which he coul. It was also said that Senator Ackerman would support Mr. Voorhees. Of course if all these stories are true, and all these forces united, there is very little encouragement to any one opposing Mr. Voorhees. However these stories have been denied and repeated and denied again. I do not know whether they are true or not, but will be able to determine by the events of the next few days. If I find that the cards have been dealt and the result is certain I shall not pursue the matter further. My own belief, however, is that but few members of the Senate and House of Assembly will be bound by any dea' made in advance and without their knowledge.

"In this belief I am strengthened by the fact that I have already received several assurances at support and my information convinces me that Mr. Voorhees is very much overestimating his strength. It is certain that he has nothing like the number of pledges claimed for him. There are several other candidates for the office and my name will be submitted to the Legislature with the rest, and I will highly appreciate any support which I may receive."

"How was it that you were defeated five years ago for this office when you were a member of the Senate?" asked The Daily Press man.

"Of course it was because the other fellow got the most votes," said the Senator. "As a side light upon that however it is perhaps fair to say that I had been so unfortunate as to antagonize the large crop of legislative correspondents who represent the newspapers at the State House during the session. The election of State Treasurer followed soon after the choice of John F. Dryden for United States Senator. In that contest I was with those who opposed his election. The newspaper men asked that they be admitted to the Republican caucus at which the choice for Senator was to be made. Such caucuses had always been secret and most of those opposing Mr. Dryden were apposed to having the caucus open to reporters. I was unfortunately, for me, put forward to voice this opposition and did so. Very naturally many of the newspaper men, who had always treated me well, resented my opposing them in this respect. Most of them in turn opposed my election as State Treasurer. It has always been claimed that they brought about my defeat and I believe they did. At any rate I lost by the narrow margin of one vote and I am sure that if they had been with me I would have won easily."

William Staats, of Newark, has been spending several days in town with friends.

TRADE SCHOOL AND MUNICIPAL CELEBRATION BROACHED AT THE BOARD OF TRADE BANQUET

ALBERT STEINER BADLY HURT WHILE COASTING

COLLIDES WITH A SLED AND IS GASHED ABOUT HEAD AND BRUISED.

Speeding down Hyde's hill, near the Park Golf Club, yesterday, on a bob sled in company with several young people, Albert Steiner, teller at the Plainfield Trust Company, who was steering it, ran into another sled near the bottom of the grade. He was thrown off and received several deep cuts about the head and bruises about the body. The other occupants of the bob were also thrown off into a snow bank but escaped injury.

Mr. Steiner being on the front of the bob received the full blow of the collision, his head striking the other sled, inflicting several gashes and almost closing his eye. His companions ran to his assistance and gave temporary aid until the injured man could be removed to his home. A physician was obliged to take eleven stitches to close up the cuts. It is not believed that the eye was seriously injured.

Those who witnessed the accident declare that Mr. Steiner's escape from probable fatal injury was remarkable. Charles Lee, Jr., of Grove street, had preceded Mr. Steiner and his party down the hill on his bob. Thoughtlessly, it is said, he left his sled directly in the path of the coasters, and Mr. Steiner was unable to steer clear of the obstruction in time to prevent the collison.

SIMPLE FUNERAL SERVICE OVER HUSBAND AND WIFE.

Double Obsequies of Mr. and Mrs. James Armstrong Attended By Large Gathering.

The double funeral of Mr. and Mrs. James Armstrong, who were taken ill on the same day and died within a few hours of each other, was held at their late home on Prospect place, yesterday afternoon. It was conducted by Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson, rector of Grace church, and was attended by a large gathering of relatives and friends. The service was extremely simple.

The floral tributes extended included a large wreath from Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, K. of P., and a set piece from Crescent Company, No. 13, U. R. K. of P., Mr. Armstrong being a member of both.

Interment was in the North Plainfield cemetery, the pall bearers being Asa D. Pope, Robert Jahn, William Baker, Harry L. Keen, Thomas M. Muir and Benjamin A. Moore, all members of Perseverance Lodge.

Somerset County Teachers to Meet.

The mid-winter meeting of the Somerset County Teachers' Association will be held at the North Plainfield High School on Saturday morning, February 16, commencing at 10:30 o'clock with opening exercises. The programme will include an address by W. A. Ackerman, supervising principal of the Somerville Public Schools; class exercise in beginning reading by Miss Cora P. Lyndon, of North Plainfield; "The Making of a Teacher," John Enright, county superintendent of schools of Monmouth county. Luncheon will be served at the close of the programme. C. G. Horner, president of the association, will preside, and Miss Rita S. Dailey, secretary, will act in her position.

Jersey Central Brakeman Killed.

Frank C. Thompson, aged 38 years, of Bound Brook, employed as a brakeman on the New Jersey Central, was killed in the Jersey City yards Monday night. He had just coupled cars on his train when he stepped backward onto passenger tracks in the path of an on-coming train. Thompson's brother, John Thompson, also an employe of the railroad, witnessed the fatality.

First of Three "At Homes."

Mrs. J. Edgar Corlies, of Road Ending, gave the first of a series of three "at homes" yesterday afternoon, when a large number of friends called during the appointed hours. Mrs. Corlies was assisted in receiving by her two daughter, Mrs. H. C. Adams and Mrs. W. C. DeLanoy. The second "at home" will be held Tuesday, February 19, and the third one on Tuesday, February 26.

Matinee Entertainment.

Miss May Colyer, of New York, an impersonator, and H. W. Rankin, a magician, entertained a large audience at the Y. M. C. A. yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. W. W. Rowley, of Linden avenue, is entertaining her cousin, Rev. Dr. and Mrs. A. Lincoln Moore, of New York city.

Rev. George A. Warner Pleads For a Place Where Boys May Be Trained.

CITY'S 40th BIRTHDAY

Mayor Fisk Suggests Observance of the Completion of Plainfield's Fourth Decade as a Corporate City in 1909.

Business and professional men, political lights and prominent workers in the community to the number of 150 gathered at the Board of Trade banquet at the Casino, last night. The dinner was noteworthy by reason of a carefully prepared explanation of the conditions confronting the P. S. C. by President Thomas N. McCarter, who made the chief address.

United States Senator-elect Briggs, who was expected, sent his regrets. In a special delivery letter, which the toastmaster read, he said a pressing business matter prevented his appearance.

Besides Mr. McCarter, the speakers were Assemblyman Frank Crowther, of Perth Amboy; Rev. B. M. Bogan, rector of St. Mary's R. C. church; Rev. George A. Warner, rector of Holy Cross Protestant Episcopal church; and H. I. Bowne, of East Orange. Mayor Fisk was toastmaster.

Hung profusely with shields and rosettes of red, white and blue, and broad streamers, with palms ranged at the front of the stage, the Casino auditorium was as handsome a banquet hall as might be desired. A big picture of Lincoln, with flags on either side, hung over the front of the stage. The order of the tables was the opposite to that of past dinners. The speakers' table was placed before the fireplace, instead of at the other end of the hall. A long table ran down the center of the hall, another before the stage, and three smaller ones flanked the center board on either side. At the speakers' table besides the toastmaster and the orators were Mayor N. B. Smalley, Alexander Gilbert, Charles W. McCutchen, and L. B. Woolston, president of the Board.

The dinner began late. It was set for 6:30 o'clock, but 8 o'clock was not far off when the first course came on. The menu was elaborate. The menu cards were handsome, decorated in red and black. They were designed by Miss May Berkhan and David J. Carney. During the dinner the Eureka Quartette, which has become more or less of a regular feature at Casino affairs, sang and played.

Mayor Fisk spoke briefly in starting the oratorical ball arolling. He was greeted with sustained applause, and three cheers, led by E. E. Iremonger, chairman of the Republican City Committee. At Mr. Fisk's suggestion, a silent toast was drunk to the memory of Lincoln.

Mr. Fisk said, among other things: "The Board of Trade stands for progress and for the right; and against the wrong. A body of men of this kind, composed of our best business and professional men of the community, always carries through what it conceives to be its duty to do. Its aim is to find out what is good for the city and then to find out how to get it.

"The thing they are now pushing is the consolidation of Plainfield and North Plainfield (applause). This matter originated with them in its newest phase, and through their efforts a commission for the investigation of the subject is now at work. We may hope to hear something from that commission soon. It is not well to speak of the work of the commission at this time, but I will say that, as far as Plainfield is concerned, we have learned to love that little girl on the other side of the brook, and we are going to keep at her until we get her." (Applause.)

President McCarter was the first speaker. He spoke on "Public Utilities," and recounted the difficulties under which the P. S. C. worked. He won warm applause by promising to investigate the conditions complained of by the Plainfield Protective Association in street lighting, to discipline everybody found derelict in duty. Mr. McCarter was cheered after his speech. He's remarks will be found in another column.

Mayor Fisk in commenting on Mr. McCarter's speech, said that Plainfield was well cared-for so far as its franchises were concerned. He pointed out that the streets were kept in condition and sprinkled by the P. S.

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IMPORTANT.

PATRONS WILL PLEASE NOTE THAT WE HAVE DECIDED TO CLOSE AT 5.30 P. M. DAILY UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE, SATURDAYS EXCEPTED. THIS IS DONE TO FACILITATE OUR ENORMOUSLY GROWING BUSINESS AND LESSEN THE HOURS OF LABOR FOR OUR EMPLOYES.

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The Store that Saves You Money

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WE ARE SHOWING AN ADVANCE LINE OF NEW SPRING BATISTE IN A MOST EXCELLENT LINE OF NEW DESIGNS, SMALL AND LARGE DOTTS, CHECKS, STRIPES AND FLORAL EFFECTS, BEWITCHING IN THEIR LOVELINESS—ON TABLE FRONT OF DRESS GOODS; YARD 15c.

Values That Proclaim the "White Store" Progressiveness.

The first of the month we told you we had planned a campaign of values that would keep this—naturally dull month of February—a hustling, bustling month of continued activity. If the first week is any criterion of what is to come we will eclipse any previous month's business in this store's history.

Men's Outing Flannel Night Shirts.

An immense purchase of men's Night Shirts in a large variety of styles and patterns, some are trimmed with neat, fancy braids. This lot was purchased from a manufacturer's stock for about half regular price. They come in all sizes from 14 to 18. We advise early selections while the stock is yet complete. They are worth reg. $1.00. The sale price will be 49c

(On bargain tables.)

The magnificent response to our Coat and Suit ad in last week's papers prompts us to do even better for you this week. We must have more room in this department for our spring goods.

Ladies' Black Tailored Suits, valued $16.50 ..... for $13.00
Ladies' Black Tailored Suits, value $23.00, ... for $16.50
Ladies' Tweed Suits, value $15.00, ... for $10.00
Ladies' Brown and Blue Suits, value $20.00, ... for $15.00
Ladies' Coats, made of English Tweed, with velvet collars, value $6.50, for $3.98
Ladies' Black and Mixed Coats, full length, value $12.00, for $7.98

Ladies' Heatherbloom Skirts (colored) with deep corded ruffle flounce, value $2.00, for ..... .98

White Mercerized Madras in a variety of pretty designs, embracing stripes, checks, small dotts and floral designs, suitable for shirt waists and shirt waist suits for spring, 25c value, for yard ..... .20

More good news from the Housefurnishing Department in Basement.

We have bought lavishly of the lines quoted below, the result being the lowest prices in our history. These goods are sold with slight factory imperfections, but does not impair their wearing qualities. The prices are less than half regular price.

SALE THURSDAY MORNING AT 10 A. M.

Double Coated Enamel Berlin Kettles, 10 quart, 69c value, for ..... .33
Double Coated Enamel Berlin Kettles, 12 quart, 85c value, for ..... .43
Double Coated Enamel Preserving Kettles, 3 quart, 29c value, for ..... .15
Double Coated Enamel Dish Pans, 10 quart, 59c value, for ..... .29
Double Coated Enamel Foot Tubs, large size, 69c value, for ..... .43
Double Coated Enamel Pudding Pans, 3 quart, 15c value, for 9
Double Coated Enamel Coffee Pots, 3 pint, 29c value for ..... .19
Double Coated Enamel Rice Boilers, 3 pint size, 59c value, for ..... .29

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One Pair Choice Feather Pillows, value .. 5.00

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A postal will bring one of our salesmen to your home to take your orders. We allow car fare when purchases are made at our store.

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J. M. Harper ..... 411 Park Ave.
E. A. Laing ..... 149 W. Front St.
A. D. Mailinson ..... Fourth and Liberty Sts.
Trolley Waiting Room ..... Watchung Ave.
M. Estil ..... 111 Park Ave.
Debele & Stahl ..... 113 Somerset St.
Blaney & Son ..... 331 Watchung Ave.
T. A. Garthwaite ..... 212 Watchung Ave.
A. Anderson ..... West Third St. and Lee Pl.
John Mottley ..... Cor. E. 3d & Richmond Sts.

SUBURBAN.

Dunellen ..... B. Siriski
New Market ..... R. Burdick
Bound Brook ..... Union News Co.
Bound Brook ..... D. M. Ross, Trolley Sta.
Somerville ..... Jacob Gernert
Westfield ..... C. F. Wittke, A. E. Snyder
Westfield ..... J. W. Wall
Scotch Plains ..... Chas. Elliott
South Plainfield ..... Patrick McDonough
Fanwood ..... Chas. Elliott
Netherwood ..... Blaney & Son

NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Joseph Clark is convalescent from his recent serious illness and is again able to attend to his duties as recorder and justice of the peace. Summons has been issued by him in the case of Smith against Miller. Summons is returnable Friday, Feb. 15.

Robert Jahn, of the 'Plains, was one of the pall bearers at the double funeral of Mr. and Mrs. James Armstrong, at Plainfield, yesterday.

James Fitzgerald, who has been detained at home for a week with the grip, has returned to his position with A. M. Griffen, Plainfield.

Fanwood Council, R. A., met last night in the library rooms. Only the regular Council business was transacted.

Miss Evelyn Buckley, who has been visiting her aunt, Miss Susie Barse, has returned to her home in Plainfield.

Wilton Lackaye, in "The Law and the Man," was the holiday attraction at the New Plainfield theatre yesterday.

The thermometer here registered about the coldest weather of the winter yesterday morning.

A number of the young people enjoyed a strawride to Cranford last night.

Miss Lizzie Reilley is spending several weeks with friends in New York.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

The contract case of John N. Wittpent against Nelson A. Labaw will be heard in Justice Von Minden's court today.

J. D. De Graff has ended his term of service as secretary of the county executive committee of the Y. P. S. C. E.

Theodore and George Apgar have purchased lots 1 to 14 and 55 to 60 in block 622, of the Land Company.

The social committee of the Y. P. S. C. E. of the First Presbyterian church is planning a sociable.

Rev. E. C. Dutcher and his family are staying temporarily at Mrs. Fisher's boarding house.

C. T. Rogers is having the building formerly used as schoolrooms converted into flats.

Walter Platt, who was operated upon at an Elizabeth hospital, is recovering rapidly.

Several valentine parties will be held tomorrow night in the borough.

Mrs. Rebecca Swackhamer is reported to be steadily improving.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

Mrs. Wyckoff, who died in Muhlenberg Hospital, Monday, will be buried today at Metuchen.

Mrs. T. C. Laing entertained her brother, James Dunham, of New Market, yesterday.

Miss Margaret Randolph is convalescing from her recent illness.

Mrs. Rafferty is convalescent from her recent illness.

POINTS FOR THE BUYERS

J. W. Van Sickle, North avenue, is a butcher who knows how to secure and hold trade.

The service of the Grandview Meat Market, Somerset street, is perfect. So are the meats sold there.

William B. Randolph's barber shop is the tonsorial parlor de luxe of Plainfield. Watchung avenue.

Cigars and smoking tobaccos in full variety at M. C. Dobbins, North avenue. Clear Havana leaf in the cigars.

If you are a patron of Timbo's restaurant on North avenue, you will always eat the best food and be satisfied with the service.

C. M. Neagle, the West Front street druggist, is always prepared to serve you with the best drugs, medicines, toilet articles, while his prescription work is second to none.

O. M. Dunham, the men's furnisher, of Park avenue, can accommodate you at all times with anything in his line, of the best make and lowest prices. Full values always given.

With the addition to their store, Putnam & DeGraw, the dry goods merchants, are better able than ever to meet the increasing trade and the goods are of the same high quality.

You cannot possibly go astray if you trade with L. W. Randolph, the West Front street druggist. He sells everything to be found in a first-class drug store and no matter what your ills or ailments you can find just the right thing here. The best goods, prompt service and reasonable prices are features.

PLUCKY WIFE SEEKS DIVORCE.

Trenton, Feb. 13.—Mrs. Harriet Curran Dunham, of New Brunswick, has instituted a suit for divorce against her husband, Smith R. Dunham, who disappeared from New Brunswick on July 14, 1902, leaving his wife and two small children. The disappearance of the man created comment, it being charged that a young woman left the city at the same time. Mrs. Dunham claims in her petition that she has never heard from her husband since his disappearance.

Dunham was the New Brunswick agent for a piano house. After he left the firm announced that his accounts with it were straight, and Mrs. Dunham was made the agent and hac continued in that capacity, educating her children from the proceeds of the business. Mrs. Dunham has retained Judge Theodore B. Booream to presecute her case, based on desertion. Notice will be given to Dunham through advertisement. The petition sets forth that the couple were married in New Brunswick by the Rev. William White, who was then pastor of the First Methodist church of that city, on uly 30, 1889.

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M'CARTER DEFENDS P. S. C

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was all done, however, in the open, under due forms of law, and without public hostility at the time; in fact those who were given an opportunity to "come in" were regarded as highly fortunate. In the course of a short period these securities became widely scattered for value, in the hands of the investing public. It is not too much to say that they passed into the possession of the rich and the poor, the corporation and the individual, the husband and the widow. While we all, I think, disapprove now of the extent to which this over-capitalization was carried on, we must remember that the theory on which it was based was justified at the time, both by law and public sentiment, and that without the expectation on the part of the promoters of some profit above the ordinary interest return, these properties with their resultant benefits would not have been constructed.

But time was passing on, and it gradually became apparent that while in the main, gas and electric properties were profitable, and justified expectations, the street railroads did not. By the winter of 1902-1903 it was evident to those at all in touch with the situation, that without new capital for necessary improvements, and for the restoration of impaired credit, the railroads could not go on. Just at this time a horrible catastrophe occurred. A carload full of school children collided at a dangerous crossing in Newark, with a Lackawanna train, resulting in much loss of life, great personal injury, and filling the whole country with consternation. This was the last straw which, it was quickly seen, would break the camel's back. Something had to be done, and that quickly, or a great financial panic stared New Jersey in the face. The railroads could not meet their accruing obligations. This was becoming generally known, and I knew it professionally, as well as a matter of general information. While the securities were held broadcast, the policy of the constituent companies was shaped by a comparatively small number of men. To these gentlemen I suggested, as the solution of the problem, the formation of a new company, with a large cash capital, which should acquire, upon fair terms, all the constituent properties, good and bad, represented by them, the theory being that during the critical period the strong and prosperous should carry the financially and physically weak properties.

Thus Public Service was formed, with a cash capital of $10,000,000 fully paid up, without one dollar of water. It shortly acquired all of its gas, and many of its electric properties by lease. The stocks of the financially embarassed railroads, and of the United Electric Company of New Jersey, which served Essex, Hudson and a part of Union counties electrically, and which was also in a struggling condition, were exchanged for the obligations—not the cash—of the new company, but in the doing of it approximately $60,000,000 of stock obligation was transformed into approximately $20,000,000 of new obligation. This transaction was certainly free from the injection of water.

At this juncture the gentlemen put up to me, as the suggestor of the enterprise, its successful consummation as a going concern, and I withdrew from my profession to accept its presidency. This fact is only of importance as showing the untrammalled point of view with which I approached my duties. At the commencement of my administration I hal, and I still have, three and only three objects in view.

1st. The making good of every dollar of all these under-lying bonds and securities by whomsoever held, and the prevention of the financial panic that would have ensued, and gentlemen, unless socialism and confiscation are to prevail in this country, which they are not, that object has been attained beyond preadventure.

2d. The giving of efficient and economical service to the peopl of this State in the three great public utilities of gas, electricty and street railway transportation.

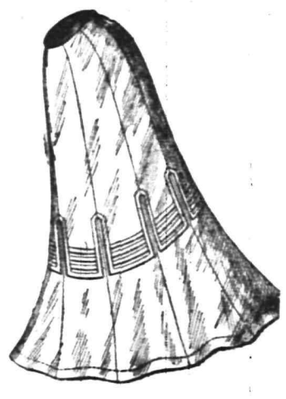
3d. The assurance of an ultimate fair return to the stockholders who have invested their money in the stock of this company at par, first to the extent of ten million dollars, subsequently increased by two and one-half millions, now making twelve and one-half millions in all, thus far without a cent of return thereon. These, then, have been the three objects before me. The first, that of safe-guarding the underlying securities has, happily, as I say, been accomplished. What of the second—the giving of efficient and economical service to the people? Let us bear in mind that the company operates all the important gas, electric and street railway proeprties in the State, as far south as Camden, with the exception of the gas property in and about Elizabeth, and the street railway system in Trenton. This is a vast undertaking, and that it is not done with entire satisfaction to the public or to ourselves, no one knows so well as I. Remember, if you please, that Public Service came into possession over night, as it were, of a vast number of properties of different kinds, in all stages of efficiency and decomposition, and this was only four years ago. In the railway department alone we are in process of amalgamating into one homogeneous whole, nine different systems of railroads that previously had no interdependence. Many of them were in a state of physical, as well as financial collapse, and have had to be rebuilt. This work is progressing, but it will take several years to complete. We have in these four years already spent upwards of $26,000,000 in the improvement, extension and rehabilitation of the properties, and have appropriated over six millions additional for similar expenditure this year. This money, over and above the $12,500,000 of capital stock, has been raised by the sale of securities. We have built and rebuilt over 110 miles of track. We have purchased 568 new cars; we have built new power stations; we have extended the Camden gas pipe line from Trenton to Plainfield, and so on almost ad infinitum. The community is growing so rapidly that it is difficult to keep pace with it, let alone to improve conditions. Nevertheless, they are being improved; each year there is a substantial improvement, and this will continue if present administrative policies prevail, until the time will surely come when this company will give as satisfactory service as the nature of the business will permit. It will never be perfect; it is not perfect anywhere.

The gas business has been developed to a reasonable degree of satisfaction. I say advisedly, that where poor results in this line of business are observed in a house, it is almost universally found to be due to defective burners or the condition of the service pipes in the house. The uses to which gas is put are ever on the increase, and the whole business has a most encouraging prospect.

The electric business is in a state of development and transition. Machinery, now today, is obsolete tomorrow. The business is subject to aerial disturbance and subways and conduits are a frequent source of trouble. The troubles of street railway operation are legion, and in winter time are always with us. They are caused by difficulties too numerous to mention, over many of which the company has no control, such as snow, vehicular traffic, blocking of cars, etc. Of course we are not free from blame. No concern handling over 10,000 employees in work of this character, is free from error, from the president down to the humblest employee. All we can do is to do the best we can, and that is the honest purpose of my administration.

My attention has been called to a recent report made by an expert on the gas and electric service in Plainfield. He makes no substantial complaint of the gas service, but does speak caustically of the condition of the incandescent street lamps. I am now having an investigation made, and if his report is well founded, the defects will be corrected, and those responsible for the neglect disciplined.

As to the second branch of the subject of which I am treating, viz., the economy of service, I am proud of what we have accomplished and are doing for the people of the State. To summarize briefly, a complete transfer system has been put into effect between the nine railroad systems at all connecting points, where none formerly existed, and the five cent fare zone has been extended to the limits of reason, it being now possible to ride over 15 miles for a nickel in certain localities. The price of gas, which ranged from $1.80 down at the time of the formation of Public Service, is gradually being reduced to the universal dollar standard—a fair price for a city like Newark, but an extremely low price for a smaller or suburban locality. Here, when we took hold, the price of illuminating gas was $1.40; it is now $1.15, and on January 1, 1909, it goes to $1.00. The electric base rate is being reduced to 10c., involving, in some cases, a reduction of 50 per cent. This new rate becomes generally effective, with one or two exceptions, on January 1st next. Four years ago the base rate here was 18c. Such a low rate as 10c. never could have been obtained for a community of this character except as a result of consolidation. After the search-



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light of the Hughes investigating committee was turned on in New York, the base rate for Manhattan was fixed at 10c. and for Brooklyn 12c. The mere mention of this demonstrates how favorable a rate the 10c. one for a suburban lacality like New Jersey is. I am indeed proud of all of this.

We have also promulgated a new schedule for public lighting that admittedly brings the price down to nearly a cost basis, it being our policy henceforth not to expect to reap much profit out of this character of business.

While all theis reduction has been going on, the price of nearly everything else has been going up, labor, coal, oil, manufactured products of every character all advancing, while the cost of the finished product—gas, electricity or transportation, as the case may be, has been coming down. This state of affairs, with its attendant results, if carried to extremes, was commented on with great force by Samuel Spencer, the late president of the Southern Railway, in a public address shortly before his death. The public should realize that there is a point beyond which these opposing forces must not go, if conflict is to be avoided.

All this is of the very greatest importance. It has a direct bearing on the ability of corporations to raise the necessary capital to properly extend. If rates are to be put below the point where fair earnings on obligations can be secured, fresh capital can not be secured, and stagnation of enterprise will result. James J. Hill says, it will take five billion of dollars to properly develop the steam railroads of this country during the next five years. Where will it come from if such dangerous theories prevail? What is true of the steam railroads is equally true of public utilities. It takes, and will continue to take, for some years, if not indefinitely, about four million dollars annually of new money, to fiance the new business and extensions of Public Service. This does not include a mile of extended railroad track. In these troublous times, even this comparatively small sum of money is not easily acquired. This situation, so far as new extensions are concerned, is accentuated by the passage, in response to a well defined but, in my opinion, mistaken public sentiment of the so-called limited franchise law, restricting the period for which franchises may be granted to twenty years, except where by vote of the people the period is lengthened to forty years. This does not affect Public Service to any extent, for I am entirely satisfied that we have enough to do to develop the properties we now have, without further substantial extension. In a sense, it *is a direct benefit to Public Service*, for it prevents others from obtaining what Public Service already has. But it will, in my judgment, retard the development of the rural sections of the State. In these times it is utterly futile to consider the financing of rural country lines upon any such limited basis, and we are not attempting it. This is not the manifestation of any dog in the manger policy, but simply a recognition of conditions. I will give you one or two illustrations:

The State authorities have chosen as a site for a new Normal School a location between Montclair and Paterson, not now reached by our lines. They have requested us to fill in this gap between these places, and we ought to do it, but it is out of the question. For the last three years your fellow townsmen, and my very good friend, Mr. Mellick, has interested himself in the extension of our Park avenue line here, by the Golf Club over to Metuchen. We agreed to build, but the matter was delayed because of difficulty in obtaining consents, until after the passage of this law. Now I have been forcel to disappoint Mr. Mellick by telling him that the extension is impracticable—a fact which as a banker I have no doubt he will very well appreciates. And so the instances might be multiplied. In thus speaking I have no desire to create any fresh agitation of this matter. I simply give my views. There is a bill pending in the Legislature at the present time to repeal the operation of the law outside of first class cities. I never hear of it before its introduction, and we shall neither favor or oppose its passage. My own view of the correct solution of this problem is that the grants should not be limited, unless for a very long term of years, like a leasehold of land, but that there should be frequent intervals of from ten to twenty-five years apart, when the terms upan which the franchises are to be enjoyed should be revised to the mutual fairness of the public and the company. This plan obviates the financial difficulty and yet preserves to the public all that is really substantial.

The third aim of Public Service, as I stated some time ago, is to earn a fair return to stockholders upon their investment. We have been going four years. In 1906, for the first time, we earned a little over five per cent. on our stock, and that on a gross business of $21,000,000 and a stock capital of $12,500,000. I think that all will agree that this is as close a margin as any legitimate business should be conducted upon. But with the enormous increase in the Company's business each year, unless all conditions change, within a reasonable time the earnings will substantially increase. At least this is our hope and belief. How then shall these earnings be distributed? The day of stock-watering and overcapitalization of properties of this character is over, and properly so. Governor Stokes in his annual message of 1906 strongly inveighed against this evil, and recommended legislation to prevent it. In compliance therewith the Legislature of last year passed a very drastic act, with which I do not think the public are very familiar, but which positively forbids public utility companies from issuing their obligations for less than par, except a reasonable banker's commission, and forbids the issuance of all stock, except for par. Heavy penalities are attched, including the rendering of the securities invalid. The Governor will bear me out, I think, that because of my familiarity with the subject, I, at his request, prepared this bill, and I am in hearty sympathy with his provisions.

I believe that we should recognize conditions as they are, without any attempt to undermine values or confiscate securities heretofore issued under forms of law; that stockholders of existing companies should be allowed to receive ten per cent. annually—a fair business profit, upon their investment before there is any further restriction placed upon these companies by taxation or otherwise. Until such time comes, the companies are taxed sufficiently in all conscience.

The taxes of Public Service for the year 1906 amounted to the vast sum of $920,000. Taxes are assessed upon the tangible property of the company, just as all other property is taxed, and in addition thereto there is a tax of two per cent. of the gross receipts of the company as a franchise tax for the use of the streets. This tax is paid to the State, but is distributed among the municipalities concerned. The Legislature of 1906 recognized a distinction between the extent of the use made of a public street by a gas company with pipe underground, an electric company with wire overhead or underground, and a street railroad company occupying so much more of the highway, and decreed that the franchise tax on the latter class of property should be gradually raised one-half of one per cent. a year, until it reaches five per cent. This distinction, although it will materially increase our taxes, I believe to be sound.

No better method of taxing a franchise than on the basis of gross receipts has ever been discovered. It is simple, safe, automatic and true. It has been suggested that this method should be abandoned, and that franchises should be taxed by the assessor, just as real estate and personal property. This method has *none of the virtues of the gross receipts plan*, and is fraught with difficulty. It opens the door for the worst kind of graft. The assessment can only be made arbitrarily—a very dangerous plan. But, some one will say, base the assessment on the difference between the assessed value of the company's tangible property and the market value of its securities. The first place, this is utterly impractical. The franchises overlap from one municipality to another. The same company controls franchises of various kinds in different localities, but the same securities represent all franchises. It would be absolutely impossible in New Jersey, in any considerable number of cases, to accurately ascertain the securities represented by any particular franchise. Nothing but chaos could result, or rather an arbitrary assessment. This is quite a different situation from that in New York city, where one company has all its franchises within the limits of the city. If such a method of assessment could be worked out, it would amount to a tax on earning power pure and simple, which has not yet been adopted in New Jersey on any class of property. There is no more reason for taxing this class of property on the full amount of its earning power than there is of similarly taxing every other class of property. If we should be thus taxed, so should every commercial business of every character. Let us see how it would work out as far as Public Service is concerned. *This plan of assessment for taxation* is equivalent to taxation upon the market value of all securities. The total market value of Public Service securities at the present time is approximately $200,000,000. Assuming the average tax rate of the muncicipalities to be $1.50—it is not less—this would impose a total tax of $3,000,000 annually, whereas we now pay approximately $1,000,000. Such a result would be both confiscatory and disastrous. It would not be tried, and the assessing powers would have to fall back on an arbitrary assessment, which might or might not increase our present taxes. In a great corporation of this character, taxes, while properly charged to operating, are of the nature of a fixed charge, and should be certain and beyond the power of manipulation. No, the present method is right until the earnings available for distribution exceed ten per cent. of bona fide stock capital. What then? In some of the New England States a principle has been adopted that seems to me fair, viz.: of requiring companies able to pay dividends in excess of what is considered a reasonable amount, to pay an amount equal to the excess dividend over the so-called reasonable dividend, by way of additional taxation. Thus the prosperity of the company and additional taxation go hand in hand. Governor Stokes has given his approval of this method, and the Legislature of last year appointed a commission to consider it. That commission is now at work and will shortly report to the Legislature now in session. I confess the plan

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The speech delivered by President Thomas N. McCarter, of the Public Service Corporation, at the Board of Trade banquet last night, concerning the history and purposes of that great public utilities' concern, as well as his resume of the difficulties it has encountered, can not fail to clarify many wrong impressions gained by the public. His remarks constituted an able presentation of the P. S. C.'s business and more particularly the part it has played in the history of the State during its brief existence. The people of Plainfield and for that matter all residents of New Jersey surely will have a better idea of the corporation and its work as a result of its president's timely talk.

The Plainfield Press thinks former Senator Charles A. Reed, of Somerset, is the logical candidate for State Treasurer. Queer kind of logic that produces that sort of conclusions.—Trenton True American.

Judging from the lines of reasoning to be found in the True American's editorial page, it certainly must seem to be queer logic to the Trenton paper.

The political wiseacre who can figure out the meaning of the moves being made by various leaders in the Legislature these days has not yet been found. Queer stunts are occuring daily and the question "what's the game" still remains unsettled. That some of the shining lights have political bees in their bonnets will not be denied.

George L. Record hastens to deny the report circulated by some papers that he has buried the hatchet with Samuel D. Dickinson. The hoodoo of the "New Idea" movement had been almost forgotten when some correspondent resurected him to play a part in the alleged love feast.

If there is any city in the State that has been given the go-by by celebrities more than Plainfield, we'd like to hear from her. Frank O. Briggs please write.

CIRCUS ENDS.

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With Ray Ewry, holder of eight world's championships in broad and standing jumps, as the star of the troupe, the Y. M. C. A. circus closed last night. The audience taxed the capacity of the gymnasium. The show went off with even more snap than on Monday, and the conviction that the circus must be made a permanent affair was born of the decided success of the performance.

The Y. M. C. A. gymnasium team took the place of the Newark champions on the horse and the bars, and they went through the work with marked success. Tornello, the wire-walker, threw a surprise on the audience in his act. Announcer Barrows told the audience that Tornello couldn't appear on account of a sprain, and a truculent-appearing man in the gallery demanded his money back. He said he only came to see Tornello, who wasn't any good at that; he could do better himself. Mr. Barrows invited the kicker to make good. The truculent one promptly hustled to the floor, climbed on the wire, without removing even his overcoat. He was on the job from the start, and the spectators clapped vigorously when he stripped off outer clothes and make-up and disclosed the "great Tornello" himself in spangles.

There was a children's matinee yesterday afternoon. The troupe had its picture taken.

Captain Frank D. Ely, Pay Corps, U. S. Army, on four months' leave of absence, arrived in Plainfield yesterday, when he joined Mrs. Ely, who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Brooks, of Rockview avenue. Captain Ely has been stationed in Denver, Col., and left there last Friday.

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C., and how the franchises paid $6,000 a year. He touched on the water investigation briefly. The water company, he said, had assured him that every assistance in arriving at the truth of the subject would be afforded the commission; and that, in the event of municipal ownership seeming wise, no impediment would be thrown in the way of securing the plant.

Rev. Mr. Warner, the second speaker, pleaded for a trade school in this city. He spoke with a touch of humor, and was roundly applauded at frequent intervals. He said, in part:

"Several years ago while traveling in the far west I visited the Board of Trade rooms in the city of Los Angeles, California. The impression made upon me was of a vivid and lasting sort. Practically a whole building consisting of several spacious rooms was given over to a systematized collection and display of State products and exhibits of the city's energy used in the development and transportation of the raw materials. What Los Angeles as a city with her facilities for trade, her location and climate, her resources of various sorts, were all set forth as inducements to investors and capitalists to locate in the city. The genuine pride of the westerner in booming his city, and the hustling powers characteristic of the men of the frontier were splendidly shown forth in the object lesson set before one in the Board of Trade building.

Every good citizen loves his home town and is willing to give his time, means and influence for its betterment. The normal, natural man was ever thus. I think we are all of the sane, healthy, vigorous type of manhood and every man here is an enthusiastic partisan, conscious of Plainfield's advantages, anxious and desirous to see her progress. Our city—and when I say our city I mean Plainfield and North Plainfield, for the two communities have identical interests and the line dividing them is imaginary and of arbitrary enactment, rather than a physical barrier such as a stone wall would be,—our city as a whole has before it a future which is largely in the hands of the business men, the progressive men of this community representing its trade interests and here tonight for its annual dinner. Such a Board of Trade and business as is represented here tonight must needs do something beside eating its annual dinner and listening to speeches. It must be an alert, progressive body of men, large minded and of sound executive ability—considering the present with thankfulness which does not degenerate into a sloth which is content with a minimum amount of progress, and which looks forward with the eye of the seer into the future planning for the accomplishments of its ideals.

I consider myself one of you. In every way permit me to do my share. Without getting into politics, disclaiming party lines, may I comment briefly on a defect as it seems to me of the present division which sets Plainfield and North Plainfield apart as two separate boroughs. It is a moral defect and its influence is that of a stronger community strengthening and safeguarding its welfare at the expense of its weaker neighbor. In the question of the liquor traffic as a municipality, you have done the very best of service in the community; the regulation of the traffic, the high license and the hours have all been attended to admirably and at 11 o'clock every man who has not satisfied the craving for drink is turned loose, crosses an imaginary line a few streets away and by actual count of persons interested from twelve to fifteen drunks are found in one saloon alone in North Plainfield and the night is made hideous and the young of the community and the women if they are by any chance coming home from a place of amusement have to meet this. Those who know how our county laws are framed know full well how our borough as a municipal-it is powerless to deal with it. Give us consolidation I say or else give us a stone fence so broad and high that the new stone spire of Holy Cross church shall only appear over the top of it. But it was not primarily of this subject that I wished to speak to you tonight. My interests lie along another line and I give them to you in the nature of suggestion.

For ten years past my work has taken me in large part among the boys and young men of the community in which I have been placed. I have shared their confidence and been acquainted with their difficulties. One very suggestive hint by way of observation has come to me, namely, that some boys and youths are fitted for a very considerable mental training some are not; some at the age of fifteen or sixteen become discouraged because their brighter, studious companions outstrip them in school, they hate books, teachers and such companions as just mentioned. What is a boy to do? He may run away. Some boys do. He may ask to leave school and be put into an office position; sometimes the request is granted, othertimes refused. He may hang on at school, play hookey as often as possible and company with the idle and vicious. Office positions in our cities are becoming increasingly hard to get and the boy is not of the right calibre for it. Again I ask what are you going to do with him? It seems to me that a partial solution may be found in the placing of a boy in a properly equipped trades' school.

How many great men have been some times connected with working at a trade! Moses was the son of a poor slave who worked at brick-making; David was a shepherd boy; Euripides was the son of a fruiterer; Virgil of a baker; Horace of a freed slave; Tamerlane of a shepherd; Ben Johnson a mason; Shakespeare of a butcher; Melanchthon, the great theologian of the Reformation, was an armorer; Luther was the child of a poor miner; Fuller was a farm servant; Carye, the originator of the plan of translating the Bible into the language of the millions of Hindustan, was a shoemaker.

St. Paul showed that men could serve God in honest daily labor. Business is a school in which men are learning God's lessons of truth, honesty, fidelity, patience, or Satan's lessons of dishonesty, deceit, selfishness.

What a splendid thing for Plainfield, for New Jersey if this Board of Trade should use its efforts to the establishing of such a school in our midst. Think of the young fellows in the various factories who would jump at the chance right here in Plainfield. Then Emerson's Man the Reformer will see its truth justified. Kebles' beautiful lines descriptive of the connection of work with character will surely come true. For several months past I have been looking carefully into the subject of trade schools and the bearing they might have on "the boy problem." I find the tendency of modern educators is towards manual training as one of the means of culture and education. May I divide my subject very briefly into two heads. First, the need of trades schools; second, the part they play in education.

Listen to this:

Quotations.—At the Social Education Congress, in session in Boston, industrial training for boys was strongly advocated by Frederick P. Fish, president of the Bell Telephone Company, Frank A. Vanderlip, and others. Professor Charles R. Richards, of Columbia University, said that labor union rules limiting apprentices were so stringent that in a few years the death of now living skilled workmen, with no successors to take their places, would cause a scarcity which would intefere seriously with the manufacturing industries.

Here is a summing up from one of the sanest and oldest papers of the country, The Youth's Companion:

Investigation by the National Bureau of Labor shows that industries are suffering from a lack of trained workmen with an all-round knowledge of their trade. The apprentice system has all but disappeared, and its place has not yet been taken by an adequate trade school system. The

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BOARD OF TRADE BANQUET

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extensive use of machinery and the subdivisions of labor have given rise to thousands of occupations in place of a few well-defined trades. Many of these occupations consist of a single simple operation. Production on a large scale has destroyed the personal relation between employer and employe, between master and apprentice. A young worker may spend his life pulling a lever on one kind of machine and never know anything of the other processes in the factory. Employers are unwilling to take apprentices, journeymen are unwilling to instruct them, and ambitious boys are unwilling to become apprentices. The bureau believes that even under modern complex conditions, the old-fashioned apprenticeship would be very useful. It is a grave question how the foreman, the superintendent, the master workman of the future are to be made out of the boy of today.

"Now as to my second point. The part that such schools play in education may be found in the realization that manual labor, the working at a trade calls into being some of the highest capacities of a man and fits and trains his character. Work it is that demand precision, perseverance, inexhaustible patience, endurance, honest workmanship, will, determination and courage. Aren't these all the fine side of men? Patience, honesty, endurance, determination, courage and numberless other qualities, how they grow in a man and become fine by his work we little realize!

The common round the daily task
Will furnish all we ought to ask,
Room to deny ourselves
A road to bring us daily nearer God."

"The toastmaster has told me to amuse you for about ten minutes," said Assemblyman Crowther in opening; he obeyed the behest with marked success. He told stories that kept the diners alternately roaring and giggling. He closed with a tribute to the water front of Perth Amboy, to the American spirit in Perth Amboy's foreigners, and to Lincoln's memory.

Father Bogan followed Mr. Crowther. He said, in part:

"I am deeply grateful for the honor conferred upon me in asking me to say a word to this gathering. I am grateful for the spirit in which you give c ordial greeting to me, a Catholic priest. In the short time I have been here, I can say that your tokens of friendship have made me feel perfectly at home.

"I didn't know that I was to speak until this morning, but the inspiration has been such that preparation has not seemed necessary. I have heard tonight what should go down in the history of the Public Service Corporation as a classic and frank statement of what that company is striving to do. I feel a personal friendship toward President McCarter now, and I feel sure that the next time the meter in any house gets to living a fast life he will come up to the house with his wrench and fix it.

"I feel as I believe you feel, from the honest presentation of the difficulties of the P. S. C., that those difficulties will be straightened out. I believe the promises of the company are honestly made.

"A serious thought in conclusion. It may be out of place to champion the cause of our religion, but I ean say that if our men are true to the teachings of the church they will uphold the honor and the dearest wishes of the city. I may say for the men of our parish that they will respond to every call of civic duty, without an appeal from their priests. They strive for the right, above class distinctions, and their principle is to be true to their convictions. This is not a challenge; this is merely a statement of what I feel as the spokesman of our men. If their holy faith be misunderstood, let those who question look to the results of its reachings. Dear fellow citizens, give those men the benefit of the belief that they are honestly striving to attain the execution of honest convictions." (Sustained applause.)

Mr. Fisk did not read Major Briggs' regrets until after Father Bogan's speech. Mr. Bowne was introduced as a substitute for the senator-elect. He told a string of stories under the head of "The Humorous Side of Life."

In bringing the dinner to a close Mr. Fisk reminded the diners that Plainfield would complete its fortieth year as a corporate city in 1909. "Hold yourselves in readiness," he said, "to join in the celebration we will hold at that time."

The dinner committee was made up of Mr. Fisk, Alexander Gilbert, B. F. Coriell, W. L. Saunders and H. W. Marshall. Among the guests were Frank Bergen, general counsel of the P. S. C., and Hamilton F. Kean, former chairman of the Republican County Committee.

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ADDRESSESS BARACA CLASS ON YOUNG MEN AND THE CHURCH.

The Baraca Class, of Faith chapel, held its first business meeting, last night, and combined it with a social hour, including an entertainment and an address by Rev. Frank Anderson, pastor of the First Baptist church, of Millville, who is State secretary and National treasurer of the Baraca movement.

At the business meeting the class adopted the new constitution. The entertainment followed. There were violin solos by Frank Malin, accompanied by Miss Marie Viebrock; soprano solos by Mrs. Andrew J. Stiglitz and baritone solos by John Calder.

Mr. Anderson spoke on the subject "Young Men and the Church." He devoted the greater part of his talk to impressing upon those present the importance of enlisting the aid and support of men in Christian work, of going out in the highways and byways after them. He did not favor the plan of taking in members by the hundreds, preferring the system of picking them and using them in the particular line for which they were best fitted. He said that the Baraca movement had been found to be a great agency for the development of men in special lines. He mentioned by way of illustration that he was a classmate of "Christy" Mathewson, the great baseball pitcher, at Bucknell University. He was a member of the college baseball team, but he did not appear to have special ability at that time, in fact during his early career he was frequently knocked out of the box. Later he developed into one of the greatest pitchers of the day, because he was especially trained for his work.

Mr. Anderson gave a brief history of the Baraca movement and told of its increasing influence and membership throughout the State and the whole country. It is a work especially by men for men and is meeting with great success. He interspersed his address with amusing incidents which kept his audience continually in good humor.

The social hour then followed, during which there was a women's contest, the contestants being blindfolded and set to work cutting ducks out of paper. Miss Bertha Peck received the prize, it being a lemon wrapped in an endless amount of paper. During the social refreshments were served by members of the Baraca Class. The local organization has had a remarkable growth since its institution six weeks ago, the present membership being forty-two. Six new members were received last night.

PEARY LECTURE DATE.

Arctic Explorer Will Return Here On March 4.

The date of Peary's lecture on his arctic trip, at the theatre, under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A., has been set. He will be here on March 4.

The lecture will be entirely new. None of the matter used at the First Methodist Episcopal church will be part of it. The pictures will be new, as well.

Discussed Missions.

The study of "The Island Kingdom," in progress by the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the First Baptist church, was continued in an interesting paper on "Samoa, Tonga and Micronesia," written by Miss G. S. Whitney and read by her sister, Miss Whitney, at the monthly meeting held yesterday afternoon in the church lecture room. Among interesting facts about these islands was the statement that one of them has been a coaling station for the United States since the Spanish war. The establishment of a witness for God in the many islands of Micronesia is full of encouragement to the missionary student. The paper was preceded by devotional services, led by Mrs. Mary B. Pierce, the subject being "Jezebel or Power of Wife's Influence." Current events of unusual interest were given by Miss Ella Serrell.

Women Form Partnership.

Miss Ellen Mullen and Miss Hattie Squires, saleswomen at the Woodhull & Martin Company store, have decided to form a partnership and in the spring will open a store for the sale of laces, embroideries, etc., in the store now occupied by Greer & Greenwood on East Front street. Both young women have been connected with the Woodhull & Martin store since the original firm began business here and they have a host of friends.

Drunk Fined.

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SOCIAL AT HOPE CHAPEL.

Societies Combine to Arrange and Present a Pleasing Programme.

Under the combined auspices of the various cocieties of Hope chapel, a social and entertainment was held in the Sunday-school rooms last night. It was in charge of G. Herbert Condict and was attended by a large gathering.

The programme opened with the singing of "My Country 'tis of Thee," by the gathering, after which the following numbers were given: Introductory remarks by Mr. Condict; vocal selections by Mrs. L. R. Howard, musical selections by the Sagamore Club, address by Rev. L. R. Howard, songs by Thomas Hendry, piano selections by Mrs. Howard and Miss Bertha Jones, reading by Mrs. Stuart Simmons, addresses by John Leal, Stuart Simmons and Dr. J. S. Zelie. Refreshments were served in conclusion and a social period followed.

The committee which arranged and had charge of the affair consisted of Mrs. L. R. Howard, Mrs. Clark and David Bowden.

Company K Inspection.

Captain Stevens, of the Madison Barracks, accompanied by Major Martin, the former captain, inspected Company K, at the armory, last night. Every member attended the inspection and Captain Stevens complimented the organization on its fine showing. Major Martin was the recipient of congratulations upon his promotion, and he thanked the members for their kind expression.

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GIRL wanted for general housework; no washing. 129 Grove, corner Park place. 2 6 tf

WANTED—A nurse. 915 Hillside avenue. 1 26 tf

WANTED — Experienced cook; white; reference required. Apply 1060 Central Ave. 2 4 tf

WANTED—White girl for general housework; small family. 1216 Putnam avenue. 2 11 3

GIRL wanted to cook, wash and iron; references required. Apply 526 West Seventh St. 1 29 tf

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FOR SALE—A fine lot between Park and Watchung avenues, on Second street. M. F. Gano, 221 Park avenue. 2 5 tf

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strikes me as both practical and equitable.

As an alternative proposition, it might be well to provide that instead of the increased taxes, the company paying the excess dividend should be required to make some further reduction in the price of its commodities. This would probably be the better plan. I do not think the public is as much interested in the problem of increased taxation of public companies as it is in their efficient and economical service. A plan somewhat similar to this has also been successfully developed in New England. At all events, in some such manner these corporations can be controlled for the future with just results to the public and to shareholders.

Time will not permit of my entering here upon the question of municipal ownership. So far as public lighting goes, it may be possible for a large municipality to handle this business honestly and economically, but I do not believe it to be a wise experiment, especially in view of the very low prices at which the c ompanies are now offering to do the business. From the company standpoint, as the margin of profit disappears, so does the intensity of their desire for the business. In its broader espects, I have studied this question much, and without regard to its effect upon any private interest I may have, as a citizen proud of his State, I say woe betide the Commonwealth when she enters upon any policy of municipal ownership or commercial trading as carried on with such dubious results across the sea. It is not to my mind a proper function of a democratic government.

One more matter before I conclude. We hear much in this day about corporation control of legislation, and this charge is frequently specifically brought against Public Service. The facts are these: About ten per cent. of the bills introduced into the Legislature directly affect the business and affairs of this company. Some of these bills are meritorius, more are ill-considered and altogether impractical. Of course I deem it my duty to see that our interests are protected in every legitimate way. I would not be fit for my position if I did not. We do not introduce the bills. It is seldom that we need any affirmative legislation. We simply meet what we find. If ten per cent. of the bills introduced directly affected the bond business of Harvey Fisk & Sons, the banking business of Ladenburg, Thalman & Co., of which brother Mellick is a member, or even the cement business presided over by Senator Ackerman, I think you would promptly find a sturdy delegation of Plainfielders hustling to Trenton. That is all there is to it. Some years ago we did cooperate with the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company for the abandonment of the Morris Canal. I have always regretted it, not because our object was improper, but I think we should abstain from anything of the kind. Our only object was to transform a dirty ditch in Essex and Passaic counties into a modern open air high speed subway to the lasting benefit of these communities, and for their good I hope it may some day yet be accomplished, but not upon our initiative. No, we do not control politics; on the contrary Public Service is the football of the politician, the prey of the grafter, and the chief concern of the visionary theorist.

Gentlemen, we live in a great State. We are all Jerseymen, and we should be proud of it. The State is no longer a by-word; she is rapidly forging into the front rank of sisterhood of the Union. She is about to be linked to the metropolis of the Nation by a wonderful system of tunnels, built for electric railways. The influx of popoulation should then be enormous, and increased prosperity for all should follow. We shall try to do our part. My ambition is that when I shall lay down this work, the pendulum will have swung back from the pole of hostile criticism to a point where all fairminded men will say "in the face of almost insuperable conditions, he has done the best he could."

LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

Something quite a departure from the usual calibre of melodrama will be the offering at the New Plainfield theatre Saturday afternoon and night. Incidentally the new play, which is by Mr. Hal Reid, and called "The Shoemaker," will introduce Joe Welch, the popular character actor and comedian in a novel role, that of a Hebrew mender and maker of shoes. Mr. Welch is one of the few exponents of a certain type of Jews who make their homes on the East side of New York after coming to America from foreign shores. He has lived in the midst of these people all his life and knows the character as well as he does himself. As the poor shoemaker, who breaks none of the ten commandments because his nature will not permit him. Mr. Welch is said to have a role that fits his unique talents to a jot. There are numerous opportunities to overact the role, but Mr. Welch portrays him just as he is. In the play the scenes shift from New York to the far West. Despite his new environments Mr. Welch keeps within the picture of the type, sustaining all of the vital elements of the man's nature till the final curtain.

The attraction at the New Plainfield theatre next Monday afternoon and night will be "Parted on Her Bridal Tour," presented by Charles E. Blaney. The play is a dramatization of Laura Jean Libbey's famous novel, "Miss Middleton's Lover," which has been read by millions of the English speaking race. The play is on the pure and wholesome order and not of the "blood and thunder" type, of which the theatre going public is surfeited. It is unique, thrilling and instructive and as good as a Sunday-school lesson to the young girl who has to work for a living as it points out the pitfalls and paths of temptation. It will appeal to all classes as the rich and the poor receive just portrayal in this powerful play of the emotions. The story is cleverly interpreted by a strong company which has for its leading woman Miss Victory Bateman who has been specially engaged by kind permission of a noted New York manager who had her under contract for five years and so much did her personality resemble that of "Irene" in Miss Libbey's great play "Parted on Her Bridal Tour" that she has been secured to play the important role. The scenic and mechanical effects are thoroughly up to date in every respect.

Kyrle Bellew comes to the New Plainfield theatre next Wednesday night in "A Marriage of Reason," a new play by J. Hartley Manners, in which this polished and cosmopolitan star is making the success of his career. Mr. Bellew is a favorite, and undoubtedly he will be given a warm reception in this his newest and most ambitious effort. He comes surrounded by a powerful company. "A Marriage of Reason" is a human document upon the much discussed subject of international marriage. The dramatist takes up the loveless union of an English Earl and a wonderfully beautiful Chicago heiress, and makes the wife win the respect and at last the love of her noble husband. The aim has been to portray the finest type of Englishman, and the best type of American girl, and to show how their marriage must almost inevitably result in the further refinement and development of each.

"The Daughters of Men," Charles Klein's latest and most successful play, will be seen at the New Plainfield theatre on Washington's Birthday, afternoon and night. The play comes here direct from the new Astor theatre, New York, where it played to capacity business for more than 200 nights. "The Daughters of Men" deals with a new and novel theme—capital and labor. Mr. Klein has hauled his subject with great intelligence and skill. He gives us a varied lot of characters from *capitalists* down to labor leaders and *workmen*. This play will without *doubt* be the dramatic event of the local dramatic season.

—Mr. and Mrs. Nelson VanWinkle will move from West End avenue to Essex street on March 1.

—The Fortnightly Whist Club will be entertained on Tuesday night, February 19, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Woodruff, of the borough.

—The annual dinner of the Yale Club, of Plainfield, will be held at the Casino on Friday night, March 8. The committee in charge is now at work on the details, including speakers for the occasion.

—The committee in charge of the arrangements for the annual banquet of Co. K, to be held Monday night, February 25, expects to secure several prominent speakers from various parts of the State, the announcement of which will be made within a short time.

—The Plainfield Operatic Association will meet at the Casino on Monday night. There will be reports concerning the production of "The Chimes of Normandy," and arrangements made for taking up the second opera, "Pinafore," to be given in the spring.

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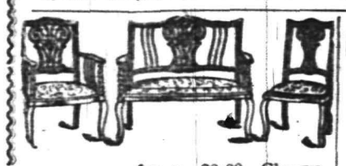

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Bates lighted me to the stairway, and said as I passed him:

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"Certainly not," I said with asperity; for I am not a person to inaugurate a dinner hour one day and change it the next. Bates wished to make conversation—the sure sign of a guilty conscience in a servant,—and I was not disposed to encourage him.

I closed the doors carefully and began a thorough examination of both the sitting-room and the little bed-chamber. I was quite sure that my own effects could not have attracted the two men who had taken advantage of my absence to visit my quarters. Bates had helped unpack my trunk and undoubtedly knew every item of my simple wardrobe. I threw open the doors of my three closets and found them all in the good order established by Bates. He had carried my trunks and bags to a store-room, so that everything I owned must have passed under his eye. My money even, the remnant of my fortune that I had drawn from the New York bank, I had placed carelessly enough in the drawer of a chiffonier otherwise filled with collars. It took but a moment to satisfy myself that this had not been touched. And, to be sure, a hammer was not necessary to open a drawer that had, from its appearance, never been locked. The game was deeper than I had imagined; I had scratched the crust without result, and my wits were busy with speculations as I brushed my clothes, pausing frequently to examine the furniture, even the bricks on the hearth.

One thing only I found—the slight scar of a hammer-head on the oak paneling that ran around the bedroom. The wood had been struck near the base and at the top of every panel, for though the mark was not perceptible on all, a test had evidently been made systematically. With this as a beginning, I found a moment later a spot of tallow under a heavy table in one corner. Evidently the furniture had been moved to permit of the closest scrutiny of the paneling.

Glenarm House really promised to prove exciting. I took from a drawer a small revolver, filled its chambers with cartridges and thrust it into my hip pocket, whistling meanwhile Larry Donovan's favorite air, "The Marche Funebre de Marionnettes." My heart went out to Larry as I scented adventure, and I wished him with me; but speculations as to Larry's whereabouts were always profitless, and quite likely he was in jail somewhere.

The ham of whose excellence Bates had hinted was no disappointment. There is, I have always held, nothing better in this world than a properly baked ham, and the specimen Bates placed before me was a delight to the eye,—so adorned was it with spices; so crisply brown its outer coat; and a taste,—that first tentative taste, before the sauce was added,—was like a dream of Lucullus come true. I felt that I could forgive a good deal in a cook with that touch,—anything short of arson and assassination!

"Bates," I said, as he stood forth where I could see him, "you cook amazingly well. Where did you learn the business?"

"I can hardly say I know it, sir. Your lamented grandfather grew very captious, Mr. Glenarm. I had to learn to satisfy him, and I believe I did it, sir, if you'll pardon the conceit."

"He didn't die of gout, did he? I can readily imagine it."

"No, Mr. Glenarm. It was his heart. He had his warning of it."

"Ah, yes; to be sure. The heart or the stomach,—one may as well fail as the other. I believe I prefer to keep my digestion going as long as possible. These grilled sweet potatoes again, if you please, Bates."

The game that he and I were playing appealed to me strongly. It was altogether worth while, and as I ate guava jelly with cheese and toasted crackers, and then lighted one of my own cigars over a cup of Bate's unfailing coffee, my spirit was livelier than at any time since a certain evening on which Larry and I had escaped from Tangier with our lives and the curses of the police.

The day had offered much material for fireside reflection, and I reviewed its history calmly. There was, however, one incident that I found unpleasant in the retrospect. I had been guilty of most unchivalrous conduct toward one of the girls of St. Agatha's. It had certainly been unbecoming in me to sit on the wall, however unwillingly, and listen to the words—few though they were—that passed between her and the chaplain. I forgot the shot through the window; I forgot Bates and the interest my room possessed for him and his unknown accomplice; but the sudden distrust and contempt I had awakened in the girl by my clownish behavior annoyed me increasingly.

I rose presently, found my cap and went out into the moon-flooded wood toward the lake. The tangle was not so great when you knew the way, and there was indeed, as I had found, the faint suggestion of a path. The moon glorified a broad highway across the water; the air was sharp and still. I followed the wall of St. Agatha's to the gate, climbed up and sat down in the shadow of the pillar farthest from the lake. I drew out a cigarette and was about to light it when I heard a sound as of a step on stone. There was, I knew, no stone pavement at hand, but peering toward the lake I saw a man walking boldly along the top of the wall toward me. The moonlight threw his figure into clear relief. Several times he paused, bent down and rapped upon the wall with an object he carried in his hand.

Tap, tap, tap! The man with the hammer was examining the farther side of the gate, and very likely he would carry his investigations beyond it. I drew up my legs and crouched in the shadow of the pillar, revolver in hand. I was not anxious to invite an encounter; I much preferred to wait for a disclosure of the purpose that lay behind this mysterious tapping upon walls.

But the matter was taken out of my own hands before I had a chance to debate it. The man dropped to the ground, sounded the stone base under the gate, likewise the pillars, evidently without results, struck a spiteful crack upon the iron bars, then stood up abruptly and looked me straight in the eyes. It was Morgan, the caretaker of the summer colony.

"Good evening, Mr. Morgan," I said, settling the revolver into my hand.

There was no doubt about his surprise; he fell back, staring at me hard, and instinctively drawing the hammer over his shoulder as though to fling it at me.

"Just stay where you are a moment, Morgan," I said pleasantly, and dropped to a sitting position on the wall for greater ease in talking to him.

He stood sullenly, the hammer dangling at arm's length, while my revolver covered his head.

"Now, if you please, I'd like to know what you mean by prowling about here and rummaging my house!"

"Oh, it's you, is it, Mr. Glenarm? Well, you certainly gave me a bad scare."

His air was one of relief and his teeth showed pleasantly through his beard.

"It certainly is I. But you haven't answered my question. What were you doing in my house to-day?"

He smiled again, shaking his head.

"You're really fooling, Mr. Glenarm. I wasn't in your house to-day; I never was in it in my life!"

His white teeth gleamed in his light beard; his hat was pushed back from his forehead so that I saw his eyes and he wore unmistakably the air of a man whose conscience is perfectly clear. I was confident that he lied, but without appealing to Bates I was not prepared to prove it.

"But you can't deny that you're on my grounds now, can you?" I had dropped the revolver to my knee, but I raised it again.

"Certainly not, Mr. Glenarm. If you'll allow me to explain—"

"That's precisely what I want you to do."

"Well, it may seem strange,"—he laughed, and I felt the least bit foolish to be pointing a pistol at the head of a fellow of so amiable a spirit.

"Hurry," I commanded.

"Well, as I was saying, it may seem strange; but I was just examining the wall to determine the character of the work. One of the cottagers on the lake left me with the job of building a fence on his place, and I've been expecting to come over to look at this all fall. You see, Mr. Glenarm, your honored grandfather was a master in such matters, and I didn't see any harm in getting the benefit—to put it so—of his experience."

I laughed. He had denied having entered the house with so much assurance that I had been prepared for some really plausible explanation of his interest in the wall.

"Morgan—you said it was Morgan, didn't you?—you are undoubtedly a scoundrel of the first water."

"Men have been killed for saying less," he said.

"And for doing less than fire through windows at a man's head. It wasn't friendly of you."

"I don't see why you center all your suspicions on me. You exaggerate my importance, Mr. Glenarm. I'm only the man-of-all-work at a summer resort."

"I wouldn't believe you, Morgan, if you swore on a stack of Bibles as high as this wall."

"Thanks!" he ejaculated mockingly.

Like a flash he swung the hammer over his head and drove it at me, and at the same moment I fired. The hammer-head struck the pillar near the outer edge and in such a manner that the handle flew around and smote me smartly in the face. By the time I reached the ground the man was already running rapidly through the park, darting in and out among the trees, and I made after him at hot speed.

The hammer-handle had struck my mouth, and the whole lower half of my face stung from the blow. I abused myself roundly for managing the encounter so stupidly, and in my rage fired twice with no aim whatever after the flying figure of the caretaker. He clearly had the advantage of familiarity with the wood, striking off boldly into the heart of it, and quickly widening the distance between us; but I kept on, even after I ceased to hear him threshing through the undergrowth, and came out presently at the margin of the lake about 50 feet from the boat-house. I waited in its shadow for some time, expecting to see the fellow again, but he did not appear.

I found the wall with difficulty and followed it back to the gate. It would be just as well, I thought, to possess myself of the hammer; and I dropped down on the St. Agatha side of the wall and groped about among the leaves until I found it.

Then I walked home, went into the library, alight with its many candles just as I had left it, and sat down before the fire to meditate. I had been absent from the house only forty-five minutes.

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PERSONAL.

Miss Dora Wilson, of East Fourth street, is detained at home by illness.

Mrs. Sandford Ramsey, of Dunellen, has been visiting relatives in town.

Mrs. Edward C. Morse, of Jackson avenue, has about recovered from an attack of the grip.

Captain Stuart, of Grove street, is recovering from an illness that has detained him at home.

Mrs. William VanDuyne, of the borough, has returned from a visit with relatives at Somerville.

Miss Lackland, of St. Louis, has been the guest of Miss Georgiana Smith, of Belvidere avenue.

Mrs. A. D. Edgar, of East Front street, has been visiting relatives at Lebanon, Hunterdon county.

Lindsey Woolley, of the New Madison, who has been in Boston during the past week on business, has returned.

Mrs. Lynas, of Chicago, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harwood Frost, of Woodland avenue, has returned.

Mrs. George White, of the borough, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Hoagland, who is critically ill at her home at Millstone.

Mr. and Mrs. William Henry, of West Fourth street, are the parents of a baby girl who came to their home a few days ago.

William R. Townsend, of this city, secretary to the Union County Board of Taxation, will be one of the guests at a military dinner to be given at Trenton on Thursday night, Feb. 21.

Rev. George B. Shaw, of the Seventh-Day Baptist church, who is in Rhode Island, representing the American Sabbath Tract Society, is expected home the latter part of the month.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The Junior Epworth League of the First M. E. church will meet in Vincent chapel, this afternoon.

The Sunday-school of the Park Avenue Baptist church will have charge of the Easter exercises at the church, and rehearsals will begin next Sunday.

The Young People's Association will meet at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church Friday night and continue the study of the "Life of Christ."

The next meeting of the Men's Club of the First Baptist church will be held on Monday night, March 11, when Prof. Smith, the State entomologist, will give an illustrated lecture on mosquitoes.

Dr. Harold Corbusier, of Watchung avenue, who gave his illustrated lecture on "China and the Boxer Troubles," at the First Baptist church, Monday night, will repeat the lecture the last of the month for the benefit of the Colored Mission of Grace church.

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Bowling and General Sports

ROD AND GUN.

There will be several interesting shoots at Thomas Brantingham's clubhouse, tomorrow afternoon, the first of which will be a match between Scott Terry and a Rahway man, one hundred birds each, $25 a side. F. C. Bissett, of South River, and Thomas Brantingham will also have a match, one hundred birds each, $25 a side. Bissett will give his opponent a handicap of five birds. Brantingham will also shoot a match with a member of the Rahway Gun Club, one hundred birds each, $25 a side.

COLORED MINISTER ARRESTED FOR FRAUD

W. E. WADE CHARGED WITH GETTING MONEY UNDER FALSE PRETENSES.

W. A. Wade, colored, who describes himself as a minister, with a charge in Newark, was arrested on North avenue, by Chief Kiely this noon, charged with obtaining money under false pretenses. It is alleged that Wade went about the city, among white people, asking for contributions to a church that the police say has no existence.

Complaint was made to Chief Kiely, this morning, and he went out after the colored man with a description that enabled him to recognize his quarry when he sighted it on North avenue. Wade is said to have collected considerable money. He was brought before Judge Runyon at 2:30 o'clock. According to the police, he acknowledged asking for money, pleading drink as his excuse.

Wade claims to have preached here several times, as the assistant of the late Rev. Scott Wallace, at Calvary Baptist church.

CLOSED PORTALS.

Somerset Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., will meet Friday night, when it is expected that there will be initiation.

Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., will meet tonight and receive several propositions for membership.

The Women's Relief Corps, auxiliary to Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., will hold a lunch-box social on Friday night, February 22, and the members of the Post have been invited to attend.

Orator William Carr is the chairman of the committee of arrangements for the "ladies' night" entertainment to be given by Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum, tomorrow night. There will be professional talent from New York, an address by Grand Vice Regent Ward, of Trenton, and other pleasing features.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Grace M. E. church will hold a mother goose bazaar on Thursday and Friday evenings, Feb. 21 and 22.

The Ladies' Home Missionary Society of Grace M. E. church will hold a meeting on Thursday afternoon at the home of Miss Emma Smalley, 33 Manning avenue.

The Southern Jubilee Singers will give a musical concert in Bethel chapel tomorrow night. The programme will include selections from plantation melodies and jubilees.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union will hold a sewing meeting in the rooms on Madison avenue, tomorrow afternoon, to prepare articles for a fair to be held in the spring. In addition there will be a programme of music and recitations.

Mrs. Maria L. Mulligan.

Mrs. Maria L. Mulligan, who has resided at The Margaret, Arlington place, for the past three years, died there suddenly this morning at 11:30. She was eighty-three years old and leaves relatives in New York and Brooklyn. The funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

—The flag on the staff at borough fire headquarters has been placed at half mast in respect to the memory of John Doud, who was one of the call men in the department.

MEN'S ASSOCIATION HOLDS LINCOLN DINNER

SEVENTH-DAY BAPTISTS PROVIDED A FINE MENU AND ENTERTAINMENT.

Under the auspices of the Men's Association, of the Seventh-Day Baptist church, a dinner and entertainment was given in the parlors of the church, last night, in celebration of the birthday anniversary of Lincoln. The dinner was liberally patronized. The decorations were somewhat unique. Great quantities of Southern moss was used to convey a picture of the Southland.

The members of the Men's Association had full charge of the affair, preparing and serving the dinner and providing the entertainment. The handsomely decorated menu cards were the work of Charles F. Neagle. The menu included oysters on the half-shell, cream of corn soup, fried chicken, mashed potatoes, boiled onions, steamed brown bread, olives, pickles, apple pie, cheese, ice cream, cake, chocolate and coffee.

The programme comprised "An Evening on the Plantation." The platform was enlarged and a typical Southern log cabin occupied one corner, around the doorway and in the yard of which were grouped the old plantation darkies, represented by men of the church, who spent the evening in their favorite pastime of singing and spinning yarns. Their voices were exceedingly pleasing and the old songs rendered in their novel manner made an evening long to be remembered. Benjamin LaVere's cornet solos were a special feature highly enjoyed and fitted admirably with the songs that reminded all of the days that prevailed before the time of the "great emancipator," whose birthday was so generally observed.

The dinner committee comprised Nathan E. Lewis, chairman; William H. Rogers, Charles H. Dunham, Frank J. Hubbard and Asa F. Randolph. O. S. Rogers was the head waiter and his assistants were Chas. F. Neagle, Wendall Mosher, Eston Jarvis, George Clarke, Lewis Crandall, Arthur L. Titsworth, Nathan Wardner, Rollin Williams, Roy Titsworth, Irving Davis. The entertainment committee consisted of J. B. Cottrell, chairman; Arthur L. Titsworth, Dr. Marcus L. Clawson, Dr. O. B. Whitford, Starr Burdick, assisted by Benjamin LaVere, A. C. Matthews, A. J. Spicer, J. W. Davis, N. O. Moore and Charles F. Neagle.

"The Psychology of Shakespeare."

A lecture on The Psychology of Shakespeare will be given in the North Plainfield High School building tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock by Rev. A. B. VanOrmer, Ph. D., of Norwood, Pa. His talk will be more especially a study of "Macbeth." This is the third lecture in the course given to the teachers of Plainfield and North Plainfield. The public in invited to attend free of charge.

Funeral of Daniel Galbraith.

The funeral of Daniel Galbraith, who died Sunday morning after a long illness, was held at St. Mary's church this morning. Rev. Father Delehanty conducted the mass before a gathering of relatives and friends. Interment was made in St. Mary's cemetery, the pall bearers being John Gill, Michael Dunn, Peter Galbraith, Daniel Galbraith, George Madden and Thomas Muldowney.

B. and L. Receipts $128,837.

In the account of the annual meeting of the Union Building and Loan Association, published yesterday, it was reported that the total receipts of the association for the year were $18,837.40, when it should have been $128,837.40.

Ash Wednesday Services.

Ash Wednesday services were held in all the Episcopal and Catholic churches of the city and borough yesterday.

Miss Ada Wyckoff, of Annadale, spent Sunday and Monday with Miss Ella Lunger, of Watchung avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt C. Ivins, of Watchung avenue, are stopping at Atlantic City, where Mr. Ivins is convalescing from an illness.

Miss Ella Whitall, of Carlton avenue, is recovering from an attack of the grip and her sister, Miss Lillian Whitall, is improving from an attack of typhoid fever.

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TRIBUTES TO LINCOLN

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is history teching by example.' There are a few heroic figures that stand out in bold relief and arrest the attention. I never let an anecdote of Napoleon pass unread; but most of the world's celebrities have been metamorphosed into demi-gods. 'Washington has become a steel engraving,' but Abraham Lincoln is flesh and blood, still with us and of us.

"A great writer has declared that wit and humor are the greatest attributes of the greatest minds; and Jouvenal, Servantes, Shakespeare and Lincoln may be called as witnesses to the truth of this assertion. It is but a step from the sublime to the ridiculous. Man is 'a pendulum between a smile and a tear,' the ludicrous and the serious are closely related; and nowhere is this fact more forcibly illustrated than in the character of the great emancipator. In the oceanic depths of his nature there was a strange blending of comedy and of tragedy, of lights and shades. He was L'Allegro, and Il Penseroso.

"From the cradle to the grave, his life was a struggle; a hand to hand fight. He never knew a truce or an armistice, and yet, in an atmosphere of hate, with a tempest of angry passions surging around him, and with threats upon his life, he could say, 'With malice toward none, with charity for all.' Words that breathe the spirit of Him who said, 'Father forgive them, for they know not what they do.'

"Here was a man who knew no resentment. In his early practice at the Circuit, Salmon P. Chase had treated him with utter contempt and had characterized him as a grinning baboon; he made him a member of his cabinet. Edwin M. Stanton had reviled and ridiculed him; he made him his war secretary. There was marvelous complacency in his humor. He once signed, for a friend, an order upon the Secretary of War. When it was presented Stanton ignored it and denounced the President as a fool for signing it. The bearer returned to the President and reported. 'Did Stanton say I was a fool?' 'Yes, a —— fool.' 'Then,' said Lincoln, with a comical expression on his face, 'If Stanton said I was a —— fool, I must be one for he is nearly always right and generally says what he means. I will just step over and see Stanton.'

"In all things he was for peace. His advice to lawyers is worthy of lasting rememberance. It was this: 'Discourage litigation. Persuade your neighbors to compromise whenever you can. Point out to them how the nominal winner is often the real loser—in fees, expenses, and waste of time. As a peacemaker the lawyer has a superior opportunity of becoming a good man. There will always be enough business. Never stir up litigation. A worse man can scarcely be found than one who does this. Who can be more nearly a friend than he who habitually overhauls the register of deeds in search of defects in titles, whereon to stir up strife and put money in his pocket? A moral tone ought to be infused into the profession which should drive such men out of it.'

"As a story-teller, he stands alone and unrivalled. Listen to this; he is speaking of the taking of slavery into Kansas and Nebraska, and he said: 'If I found a poison snake crawling in the road, I'd kill it with the first thing I could grab, but if I found it in bed with my children, I'd be mighty careful how I touched it, for fear I'd make it bite the children. If I found it in bed with somebody else's children, I'd let them take care of it; but if I found somebody putting a whole batch of young snakes into an empty bed where mine, or anybody's children were going to sleep pretty soon, I'd stop him from doing it if I had to fight him.'

"The narrator said, 'I had heard Abe Lincoln say a hundred times, 'Boys, we must keep slavery out of the Territories, or it will spread everywhere,' but I never understood it till I heard him make that speech. Them snakes done the business for me. I am a Democrat, but I had to vote for 'Old Abe.' He was a consummate master of the whole range of wit and humor. It might be said that in him could be found the 'sky-piercing buffooneries of Aristrophanes, the matchless irony of Lucian; the stern and terrible satire of Juvenal; the fun-drunken extravagance of Rabelais; the self-pleased chuckle of Montaigne; the farcical caricature of Scarron; the glowing and sparkling verse of Dryden; the genial fun of Addison; the scoffing subtilities of Butler; the aerial merriment of Sterne; the hard brilliancy and stinging emphasis of Pope; the patient glitter of Congreve; the teasing mockery of Voltaire; the polished sharpness of Sheridan; the wise dolleries of Sydney Smith! the sly, shy, elusive, ethereal humor of Lamb; the short, sharp, flashing scorn of Macauley; the careless gaiety of Beranger; the humorous sadness of Hood; the summary of mirth by Whipple.

"A great modern orator in his youth purchased a ten volume set of oratory in order to get a single sentence from a single speech. The speech referred to was the one by Pericles on those who had died in the Peloponesian War, and the sentence was this: 'It was for such a country then, that these men nobly resolving not to have it taken from them, fell fighting, and every one of their survivors may well be willing to suffer in its behalf.'

"This has been justly considered one of the finest passages in the annals of oratory. Let me give you a finer. I will venture to say, the finest extant. 'I am loath to close. We are not enemies, but friends. We must not be enemies, though passion my have strained, it must not break our bonds of affection. The mystic cords of memory stretching from every battle field and patriot grave to every living heart and heartstone all over this broad land, will yet swell the chorus of the Union when again touched, as surely they will be, by the better Angels of our nature.' He was a born leader of men. One of his eulogists has aptly said: That the most experienced and accomplished men of the day, were made to stand aside; were sent to the rear; while this fantastic figure was led by unseen hands to the front and given the reins of power.

"It is immaterial whether you were for him or against him, utterly immaterial; the fact that during four years, carrying with them such a weight of responsibility as the world never witnessed before, he filled the vast space alloted to him in the eyes and actions of mankind, is to say that he was inspired of God; for nowhere else could he have acquired the wisdom and the virtue.

"Where did Shakespeare get his genius? Where did Mozart get his music? Whose hand smote the lyre of the Scottish plowman, and staved the life of the German priest? God! God! and God alone! And as surely as these were raised up by God, inspired by God, so was Abraham Lincoln; and a thousand years hence, no drama, no tragedy, no epic poem will be filled with great wonder, or be followed by mankind with deeper feeling, than that which tells the story of his life and death.

"A friend who had known him in life, saw him as he lay in his coffin, and he said that death had not changed the kindly contenance in any line. There was upon it the same sad look that it had worn always, though not so intensely sad as it had been in life. It was as if the spirit had come back to the poor clay, reshaped the wonderfully sweet face, and given it an expression of gladness that he had finally gone where the wicked cease from troubling and the weary are at rest.

"There are two places I would like to visit in this world before I am called into the next. The one is that over which the Star of Bethlehem stood, the other is that where Abraham Lincoln first saw the light."

At the close of the addresses and at the suggestion of Rev. C. E. Herring, pastor of the church, a rising vote of thanks was given to the two speakers. The women who assisted in serving the dinner were Mrs. John S. Johnston, Mrs. Alvin E. Hoagland, Mrs. Freeman Shotwell, Miss Miller, Ricker. During the evening, Elmer D. Cutting sang several selections and told stories of a humorous nature.

Wings and Flies

By Tom Muir.

Joe Welch, who comes to the New Plainfield, Saturday, in his new play, "The Shoemaker," is one of the few vaudeville performers who has advanced to the legitimate ranks and "made good." His impersonation of the Hebrew who makes his home on New York's great East Side has been familiar to theatregoers for years and he is recognized as the leading artist in this particular line. His act is devoid of the caricaturing that so frequently invades one of this kind and the men who are pictured are among Welch's great admirers. While in vaudeville his salary was never less than $500 a week and when Gus Hill took him under his managerial wing it was stipulated that he should give the specialty in connection with his acting that enabled him to command that amount of money.

Holiday theatregoers will have another big production for their delectation next week when "The Daughters of Men" will be presented in this city on Washington's birthday. This play is the latest from the pen of Charles Klein, who also gave us "The Music Master" and "Tre Lion and the Mouse," both of which have enjoyed the most prosperous runs recorded in the past decade. "The Daughters of Men" is fashioned on lines similar to those running through "The Lion and the Mouse," bringing out in a vivid way the struggle that exists between capital and labor. The cast includes several actors and actresses who are well known to Plainfielders and the production has been given a splendid scenic mounting.

Joe Welch.

Announcement was made yesterday that Percy Williams and Oscar Hammerstein, who have heretofore been conducting their vaudeville house on independent lines, had joined forces with the Keith & Proctoc combine. The move will place nearly all the vaudeville houses under the one management and will bring about some unprecedented changes in the business.

Miss Helen Reed, of Poughkeepsie, is the guest of Miss Ethel Titsworth, of West Fifth street.

SCHEUER'S SPECIALS

FOR THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

Borden's Eagle Brand Condensed Milk, a can 12½c	Toasted Corn Flakes, 10c kind, a package 8c	Heinz Tomato Soup, quart cans, 25c kind, a can 22c	Heinz Assorted Preserves 45c kind, 2-lb jar 39c
Shoe Brushes with Dauber, 25c kind, each 10c	Vanilla Crystals, Vanilla in Crystal form, reg. 10c box, 3 boxes for 10c	Marshall's Potato Chips, 10c kind, a package 8c	Camebert Cheese, very fine, a box 25c
Dates, stuffed with Assorted Nuts, regular 25c, a box 17c	Kippered Herring, from Canada, large tin, 11c	Choice Canned Beets, Honey Comb Brand, reg. 12c, a can 9c	Karo Corn Syrup, regular 10c, a can 8c
Choice Pulled Figs, 18c kind, a lb 15c	Burnham's Clam Chowder regular 18c, large can 15c	McCann's Irish Oatmeal, reg. 55c, 5-lb tin 49c	Crystalized Ginger, a tin 8c

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Smoked Bloaters, per fish 3c
Boneless Codfish, a lb 12c
Salt Herring, a lb 5c
Salmon (Colman Flag) a can 12c
Bird Rock Lobster, ½-lb can 20c
Bird Rock Lobster, 1-lb can 35c
Little Neck Clams, a can 10c
Sardines, in oil, a can 4c
Sardines, in mustard, large tin 8c
Smoked Salmon, thinly sliced in glass 16c and 28c
Boneless Herring, glass tumblers 10c
Russian Sardines, a bottle 10c
Fresh Ground Horseradish, a bottle 8c

CANNED FRUIT AND VEGETABLES.

Corn, Royal Blue, sweet, can 10c; per dozen $1.10
String Beans, Varick Brand, can 10c; per dozen $1.10
Succotash, Leroy Brand, can 10c; per dozen $1.10
Pumpkin, Queen Quality, can 10c; per dozen $1.10
Peas, Fort Hill Brand, can 12c; per dozen $1.30
Spinach, Nabob Brand, can 14c; per dozen $1.60
Asparagus, Shrewsbury Points, can 20c; per dozen $2.20
Pears, in heavy syrup, large can 15c; per dozen $1.70
Peaches, Wheeler Brand, a can 14c; per dozen $1.65
Apples, gallon can 25c
per dozen $2.75
Blueberries, hand selected, can 15c; per dozen $1.70

N. O. Molasses, finest quality, best Plantation, open kettle, gallon, 58c; a quart 15c
Syrup, Golden Drips, pure sugar syrup, a gal. 45c; a qt. 13c
Flour, Hecker's Hygenic, whole wheat flour, 12 lb bag 39c
Buckwheat, new Sussex County, 25 lb bag, 76c; 12 lb bag, 39c
Graham Flour, fresh ground, 6-lb bag 17c
Rye Flour, fresh ground, 5-lb bag 14c
Oatmeal, best White Rolled Oats, 6 lb bag 21c
Corn Meal, best granulated, yellow or white, 6 lb bag 14c
Hominy, fresh ground, in bulk, 4 lbs for 10c
Barley, new course, 3-lb bag, 11c
Farina, Best Wheat Farina, 4-lb bag 15c

Florida Sweet Oranges, Indian River—Ripe, luscious, fine flavored, juicy fruit, a dozen, 25c 30c and 35c, per box, $3.50.

German Spice Drops, 10c kind, a lb 7c	Animal Crackers, Fresh Baked, a lb 9c	Egg Crackers, 18c kind, a lb 12c	5 O'clock Teas, a lb 10c
Uneeda Biscuits 4c	Fig Bars, lb 10c	Ginger Snaps, lb 5c	Hand-made Pretzels, 12c
Greening or Baldwin Apples, pony basket 35c	20 Stamps with Pony Basket Red Onions 25c	20 Stamps with pony basket Yellow or White Turnips 20c	10 Stamps with 2 Bottle Stafford's Writing Ink, a bottle 5c

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3-lb box large California Prunes 25c
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1 box Hasty Lunch Chocolate 18c
1 bottle Vanilla Extract 15c
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1 package Hasty Tapioca 10c
3-lb package Rice 20c
2-lb package Scheuer's Oats 10c
1 package Parlor Matches 12c
1 bottle Royal Shoe Dressing 10c
2 cakes Scouring Soap, each 5c

In Our Meat Department.

Choice Young Turkey, a lb 20c and 22c
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Legs of Lamb, lb 16c
Shoulder of Lamb, lb 12c
Trenton Prepared Ham, lb 15c
Fresh Rump Roast, lb 12c
Rump Corned Beef, lb 12c
Fresh Pork Sausage, lb 14c
Pickled Tripe, a lb 5c
Hamburg Steak, lb 10c
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4 lbs. California Prunes 25c
3-lb package Buckwheat 15c
¼-lb package Black Pepper 10c
¼-lb package Cinnamon 12c
¼-lb package Cloves 12c
1 package Macaronni 10c
1 bottle Cider Vinegar 10c
1 can Baked Beans 10c
1 can Black Jack Stove Polish 10c
1 box Tooth Powder 10c
8-lb bag Salt 10c
1 box Starch Luster 10c
1 box Magic Hand Cleanser 10c

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30 STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Coffee 29c
20 STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Coffee 27c
20 STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Coffee 23c

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Sun Sets 5:23 p. m.
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VIEWS OF A SOCIALIST

John R. McMahon, Novelist and Dramatist, Warns Capitalist Leaders.

CALLS 'EM OSTRICHES

Tells of the Social Revolution in An Interview Secured By a Daily Press Reporter.

John R. McMahon, the novelist and dramatic writer, who has been living in Scotch Plains for the last year, moves to New York this week, in order to be convenient to the publication of his story, "Toilers and Idlers," in book form. The novel has been running serially in Wilshire's Magazine, has attracted a great deal of attention, and may be published in foreign languages, as well as in English. The Wilshire Book Company will bring it out in the fall. The story has an iron foundry for its industrial background, and contrasts the life of rich and poor in the metropolis.

Mr. McMahon has lived a varied life. He was born 31 years ago in Roy Bareilly, India, of American parents. After going to school in a Western New York seminary, he broke loose and learned type-setting. He set type for a while in metropolitan offices and became a member of Typographical Union No. 6. In the last dozen years he has been a New York newspaper man, a farmer, a soldier, a dramatist and magazine story writer. Several months' work for wages in a foundry and an East Side residence account for the realistic quality of "Toilers and Idlers." In 1898 Mr. McMahon enlisted as a private in the 202d Regiment, N. Y. Volunteers, and spent some months in Cuba on garrison duty. He went to Scotch Plains to live four years ago and remained there a year and a half. He returned to New York, but responded to the lure of the wilds again a year ago. He has a pretty home in a comfortable old house that dates from Colonial times, and leaves it with an artist's regret.

Mr. McMahon's wife is also a writer of note. Her pen name is Margherita Arlina Hamm. She has been war correspondent, traveller, author and nurse. She reported the Chinese-Japanese war for several American papers, and did corresponding for New York and Chicago papers in the Spanish-American war. When she wasn't writing in Cuba, she was at work as a nurse, and acted as inspector of supplies for the government. She is the author of several books, is a member of scientific societies, among them the Royal Geographical Society, of London. She has been around the world a number of times. A series of stories laid in the Egyptian quarter of New York by her is now running in the Century Magazine. Mrs. McMahon is in accord with her husband's views on Socialism. Which means that she is a thoroughgoing Socialist. Mr. McMahon is so strongly imbued with Socialist belief and doctrine that propoganda drips from his pen whenever he tips it toward a virgin sheet of paper.

A Daily Press reporter met the novelist yesterday afternoon and asked him if he would mind giving a few of his Socialistic thoughts for publication. Mr. McMahon took a deep breath and spoke from his heart:

"The only live literature today is Socialistic, and the only writers who amount to anything are compelled to use the Socialistic idea in their work. The individual themes were long ago threadbare. And the petty tales of individualism are almost as old as romances of chivalry. The people today are thirsting for true stories about their lives from the social point of view, and to a limited extent they are getting them. Socialistic art is essentially truthful and realistic; belongs to the present and future, and wastes little time over the past. The great realistic writers of Europe, and especially Russia, are naturally Socialistic. Take Sinclair, in this country, Zola, in France, and Gorky, in Russia. Tolstoy, if he were a little younger, would be the greatest Socialist of them all.

"In this country we see the beneficial effects of even amateur and Utopian Socialism upon writers. But the individualistic writer has practically nothing to say, stands on no scientific truth, is inspired by no great hope, and is condemned to be a mere manufacturer of commercial wares. He lacks vitality, or what life he possesses needs to be discovered by the microscope. He deceives himself into thinking that his negative attitude, his word juggling, and his detail of trifling corners of life, is Art.

"It is a monumental error that a writer has nothing to do with life and must only amuse. At least he should be conscious of the fact that, while doing so, he is the paid jester of the powers that be. It's a fact that writers of that sort are, today,

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READING FOR BLIND AT PUBLIC LIBRARY

BOOKS FOR THOSE NOT HAVING EYESIGHT TO BE ON FILE.

A reading club is to be formed at the Plainfield Public Library on Tuesday, the membership to be composed solely of those who, because of eye troubles, are wholly or in part dependent upon others for their reading. While the plan may be modified to suit the wishes of the members, at present it contemplates the reading aloud of stories and live news of the day.

Miss Ella A. Palmer, who gives the readings, has arranged to come to Plainfield regularly on Tuesday of each week and the hours for the club meeting will be from 10 to 12 o'clock in the morning. These readings will be held regardless of weather conditions.

Arrangement has also been made with the New York Public Library by which books and music in the New York Point, Braille, and other types for the blind can be loaned to those in attendance. Lists of these books will be distributed.

It is the desire of those arranging for the formoation of the club that persons having friends who would care to attend these meetings will bring it promptly to their attention so that as large a number as possible of those for whom it is planned may be able to attend the first meeting and co-operate by suggestions and otherwise, toward making the venture a success and of practical benefit. No expense will be attached to the plan and all persons interested are cordially invited to join in the movement.

ART STORE'S STOCK IS SEIZED FOR RENT.

The Landlord Has Prior Claim for $400 Audsley Owes Him.

G. W. V. Moy, Esq., acting for the landlord, Matthew Suydam, of New Brunswick, has had an appraisement made of the art goods in the store formerly occupied by Maurice Audsley, on East Front street. The claim for rent, amounting to about $400, is the first lien on the goods and it is believed that the sum realized from the public sale to be held Thursday morning, February 21, at 10 o'clock, will not much more than meet this claim.

Mr. Audsley decided a week ago to give up business here and to return to his former profession, that of architecture. He has identified himself with a New York firm.

The appraisers of the goods at the local store were L. M. French, Morris C. VanArsdale and Harry C. Marshall, while Constable John Manley is acting in the capacity of a bailiff.

First Free Lenten Recital.

The first of the free Lenten recitals will be given at the Church of the Holy Cross Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock, under the direction of Llinton Lee, organist at Trinity chapel, New York. These recitals will be given every Saturday afternoon during Lent, except Holy Week, and each week there will be one or more soloists. This week it is expected that Fred'k Pope will sing. The public is invited to attend the recials and will be made welcome. The rector was particularly anxious for H. Raymond Loder to give the recitals but the latter's business prevented.

C. A. Braider Leaves Opera Co.

Clifford A. Braider, who has been identified with the Plainfield Operatic Association, as secretary and treasurer, since its organization, has resigned, to associate himself with a new male quartette for which he will be the accompanist. The quartette is composed of Mr. Barrett, of St. Thomas' church choir, New York; F. C. Iglehart, Jr., E. Maxwell Honeyman and Elmer D. Cutting. Rehearsals will be held every Monday night in New York. The quartette will give its first concert at Ossining, N. Y., next week.

Will Recommend Building Walls.

It has practically been decided by Freeholders J. Hervey Doane and S. P. T. Wilbur to recommend to the Union County Board that wing walls be built on the city side of the West End avenue bridge, no matter what action may be taken by the Somerset County Board. It is agreed that these walls are necessary, especially so as the city has decided to put the avenue to grade. It is said that the Somerset Freeholders were responsible for the walls not being incorporated in the original contract, fearing the extra expense.

Were In Coasting Accident.

Mrs. George Neff and Miss Laura Woolston, of Fairview avenue, were among those coasting with Albert Steiner on Hyde's hill, Tuesday, and Mrs. Neff received several slight cuts about the face, but nothing serious. Miss Woolston was not injured.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

PLAN A MACADAM ROAD

If Approved by State Commission, Somerset Will Build Needed Thoroughfare.

N.B. SMALLEY'S EFFORTS

Borough Mayor Urges Freeholders to Construct Road Through Warren and North Plainfield Townships.

The Somerset County Board of Chosen Freeholders held its regular February meeting yesterday in Somerville and transacted a great amount of business. All the members were in attendance.

In the matter of the claim for damages of David Taylor, by reason of his horse falling through the Washington avenue bridge, in North Plainfield, Mr. Demler reported that the committee had settled the claim for $17.50.

Mr. Demler offered a resolution that as no macadam roads had been built in the townships of Warren and North Plainfield, although their locations warrant such improvements, the State Commissioner of Public Roads be requested to view that part of the road applied for beginning at the bridge at Watchung, thence continuing to Warrenville, thence to the road leading to Coontown, from the road applied for, a distance of about three miles, and if the same meets his approbation that the same be built this present year. Mayor Smalley spoke in favor of the construction of the road. The resolution was unanimously adopted.

Mayor Smalley asked for the construction of abutments to the West End avenue bridge in North Plainfield. The board agreed to meet there at the call of Director Baird to investigate the matter.

BILL IN LEGISLATURE FOR SUNDAY BASEBALL.

If Measure Is Enacted Voters Can Decide Whether to Allow Play.

For the purpose of settling the question of Sunday baseball throughout the State, Assemblyman Baker introduced a bill in the lower house of the Legislature, yesterday, authorizing Sunday baseball playing if at an election in the municipality a majority of the voters shall vote in favor of the proposition. This has been a troublesome question in New Jersey for some time and despite the fact that the laws have prohibited Sunday playing it has been allowed in certain parts, including Elizabeth, Newark, Hoboken and other cities and towns. It has many advocates and it is believed that Assemblyman Baker's bill will practically solve the question for such municipalities that desire Sunday baseball.

Another bill introduced by Assemblyman Baker, yesterday, repeals section 1 of the vice and immoral act, which prohibits work or business on the Sabbath, provided the legal voters of the municipality by a majority of the v otes decide in the affirmative.

Trolley Schedule Not Authorized.

Considerable dissatisfaction has been expressed over the new rule of the Public Service Corporation in operating cars on the Arlington avenue line every half hour after 8 o'clock at night. Especially has this been true during the past two or three weeks when there have been many important events at the Casino. So far as can be learned no official of the city has authorized or agreed to the change in the schedule and the Common Council will probably take some action on the matter at the next meeting. Persons who have been attending the concerts and other entertainments at the Casino have been greatly inconvenienced by the half-hour night schedule and have complained about it.

Patrolman Flynn's Heroic Act.

Patrolman Charles Flynn was called upon at the North Avenue station this morning to end the sufferings of a mongrel dog which was caught in front of the station by the 8:30 New York train. The dog wildly rushed beneath the last coach of the train and his entire right side was terribly mangled. After the train pulled out from the station the animal crawled across the tracks to the eastbound station, yelping pitifully. Officer Flynn's attention was attracted and grabbing the dog by the back of the neck carried him back to the station where he ended his life with one bullet from his revolver.

Captain Benn Will Speak.

Captain George Benn, of the Mission Yacht Association, of Brooklyn, will speak at the First Baptist church Sunday morning, telling of his extensive work among sailors. His work has been a great success. In the afternoon at 4 o'clock he will speak at the W. C. T. U., which organization is directly interested in this work.

MISSIONARY COLLECTOR CHASED FROM TOWN

"REV." W. A. WADE MAKES A CONFESSION AS TO MORNING MEDICINE.

In the absence of specific proof that he was engaged in fraudulent collection of money, W. A. Wade, the colored man who was arrested yesterday in the midst of an effort to get subscriptions from white people for an alleged missionary fund, was released by Judge Runyon, sitting as a State magistrate, this morning. Wade described himself as a minister, with a church in Newark, and insisted that he did not intend to use a cent of the money except for missionary work. The police were convinced that he was engaged in a fake game, but they couldn't prove it. His collection book indicated that he had got about $10 in this city.

Judge Runyon made Wade promise to pack up his things and leave the city, before dismissing the charge. Wade said he was in a hurry to get to Newark anyhow, because he had a revival on there and ten awakened souls were wailing to be wrestled with on the mourners' bench.

"You are a nice exponent of the religion of Jesus Christ," said Judge Runyon. "You've got a breath on you like a glue factory."

"Judge, that's only a medicine the doctor makes me take in the morning," protested Wade.

"What medicine is it—Peruna?" asked the magistrate.

"That sounds like the name, but I ain't sure of it."

"You tell me the truth now," ordered the judge; "what's the name of the dose you take?"

Wade grinned in sudden frankness. "To tell you the truth, judge, it's gin."

Wade said he was a great revivalist. He didn't know of anybody in the revival business that was better. He said he had been hired to open a revival campaign at Mt. Zion A. M. E. church, West Fourth street.

The police say Wade has been coming to this city for several months. It is said his work of collection has been carried on in a number of towns and cities of the State.

WILL GIVE PRIZES TO SHARPSHOOTERS.

Inspector of Rifle Practice Hopes to Reawaken Interest.

General Bird Spencer, State inspector of rifle practice, has just established a new order of prize awards to increase sharpshooting interest among the New Jersey National Guardsmen. Practice shooting in the various armories is to be carried on in a systematic manner.

Prizes will be awarded as follows: To experts who make 90 or more out of a possible 100, a handsome Geneva cross, with the letter "E" within the wreath; to sharpshooters who make 80 or more, a Geneva cross with the letter "S" within the wreath; to marksmen who make 60 or better, a Geneva cross.

Special prizes will be provided for men who make over 40 and for others who make over 50 out of a possible 100.

Lecture On Peru.

An illustrated lecture on "Peru" will be given at the Y. M. C. A. on Tuesday evening, February 26, by Mrs. Harriet Chalmers Adams, a South American traveler. During a three years' journey, Mrs. Adams visited every country in the southern part of the continent, reaching points upon the frontiers of Peru, Bolivia, Paraguay, Brazil and French Guiana, which were before unoknown to any civilized woman. Her story of adventure in Peru, the Land of the Lncas, is illustrated by two hundred color pictures. The proceeds will be used for furnishing the Y. M. C. A. game room.

Miss Neilson's Funeral Today.

Through the efforts of her employer, Mr. McCutcheon, friends of Miss Hannah Neilson, the servant who died from burns received Monday night, were located in New York, yesterday, and the body was sent to that city this morning. She belonged to a Swedish society and the members will have charge of the funeral service to be held this afternoon in the Stephen Merritt Company's undertaking parlors on Twenty-third street. Mr. and Mrs. McCutcheon contributed a handsome floral piece and attended to every detail in connection with the case.

Rescue Mission Anniversary.

The anniversary of the Plainfield Rescue Mission will be observed tonight, in the W. C. T. U. on Madison avenue. Howard T. Scheckler, superintendent of the Elizabeth Rescue Mission, with William Cary and John Oakley, will make short addresses.

Miss Ethel Clarkson, of Orchard place, who has been quite ill for the past few weeks, was able to leave her room and go downstairs today for the first.

EXCEPT TO ACCOUNTING

Widow's Guardian Alleges Mrs. McClurg Withheld Rents of the Pound Estate.

DECISION RESERVED

Hearing Before Judge Atwater—Defendant's Counsel Is Sustained On Objection to Question Put By Lawyer.

A hearing took place in Court of Special Sessions at Elizabeth yesterday morning before Judge Atwater on exceptions to the accounting of the estate of the late George R. Pound, taken by the guardian of the widow of Mr. Pound, Charles E. LeFreda. By the will of the testator the homestead was bequeathed to his widow, Josephine L. Pound, for life, together with $300, which was to be paid to her annually. Also she was to receive the benefits of certain property on East Third street, this city, after all taxes, etc., were paid, provision being made for the collection of the rentals on the property.

In 1893 the widow, Josephine L. Pound, was declared insane and was removed to the State Hospital at Morris Plains, where she yet remains, and Charles E. LeFreda was appointed her guardian. The exception taken to the accounting of the administratrix, Mrs. Mary J. McClurg, is on the ground that certain rentals of the East Third street property had been collected and that she had not charged herself with the rents thus collected.

Mrs. McClurg, who was represented by Craig A. Marsh, testified that she had filed her account in the office of the surrogate July 6, 1906, and that down to that time she had paid regularly the money bequeathed to Mrs. Pound, and that likewise all taxes and benefits had been paid. There were no accounts which remained unpaid at that time.

An attempt was made on cross-examination to show that Mrs. McClurg had collected rent from the Third street property which had not been duly credited. Mr. Marsh objected to the question, on the ground that according to the will Mrs. McClurg had no right to collect the rent, as that had been otherwise provided for, and that if the objector desired to hold her for that he would have to proceed in another way to do it. The objection was sustained. Decision was reserved.

TYRRELL NOT GUILTY.

Jury Acquits Plainfield Man of Highway Robbery.

Jesse Tyrrell, of South Plainfield, who was charged with highway robbery by Robert Kyle, also of South Plainfield, and who was indicted by the Grand Jury, was found not guilty at the trial which terminated in the Union County Court at noon today. The trial was begun on Tuesday and was continued until this morning. The jury was out scarcely an hour, when it returned a verdict of not guilty. Mr. Tyrrell was represented by Walter L. Hetfield, Sr.

It was in November that Tyrrell was accused of highway robbery by Kyle. The latter was on his way home and had just left an Arlington avenue trolley car on Park avenue, when, he claimed, that Tyrrell held him up and demanded his money. Tyrrell disappeared at the time, but was arrested a few days later on East Front street by Patrolman Higgins. Then he was held for the Grand Jury and subsequently indicted.

Tale of An Overcoat.

John Emory, a member of the Plainfield Band, played for a dance at Flemington, Tuesday night, and the engagement cost him just one fine overcoat of this season's design. In company with Allen Squier and Charles Fisher, also of this city, Emory dropped into a restaurant after the s oiree and while busy demolishing some Hunterdon county steak, the coat disappeared. One of the three men from Three Bridges, who were in the place and left just ahead of the Plainfielders, is suspected of having taken the garment and Emory has asked the dance committee to do some gum-shoe work around that direction. Even if he gets it back, the loser won't be compensated as those who were out Tuesday night know the thermometer took an awful slump and the foxy Flemington folk are shy about lending Bennies.

Gets His Divorce.

George Voehl has been granted an absolute divorce from his wife, who was Delia Rebecca Frazee before her marriage, on statutory grounds. The custody of the one child, a daughter, is given to the father. The decree was signed by Chancellor Magie, on recommendation of the referee, Special Master John H. Van Winkle, on January 17. It was filed January 31. There was no defense to the action. Francis J. Blatz was the husband's lawyer.

CHILDREN IN PERIL WHEN HORSE RUNS AWAY

ANIMAL PLUCKILY CAPTURED BY FORMER LIEUTENANT WILLIAM CAMPBELL.

At the risk of sustaining personal injury, William Campbell, former lieutenant in the borough fire department, made a heroic capture of a runaway horse on East Fifth street this morning. The animal was attached to a light cutter in which three children were seated, the oldest about eight years old and the youngest a mere baby, and but for Campbell's intervention all three would undoubtedly have been hurt.

The former fireman was driving west on Fifth street near Franklin place when he heard the scream of the children behind him and looking back saw the runaway approaching at full speed. He jumped from his own rig and as the frightened horse came opposite him he made a leap for its neck, by a lucky chance getting a good hold on the bridle. The animal was in a frenzy, however, and Campbell was dragged beyond Washington street before he succeeded in quieting it down. He was pretty well shaken up by the long struggle but escaped with only a bruise or two.

The children were badly frightened by their wild ride and the oldest was inclined to be hysterical. She informed the rescuer that they had been left in the cutter by their coachman while he went into a house near Richmond street and that the horse had taken fright at something. Campbell remained in charge of them until the coachman came running up.

TROUPE DISAPPEARS; BAND'S SHOW CLOSES UP.

Week's Entertainment Brought to Abrupt Close by Non-Appearance of Performance.

The vaudeville entertainment and dance being held in Central Hall under the auspices of the Plainfield Band, abruptly terminated Tuesday night, because of the sudden disappearance of the troupe that was furnishing the entertainment. The band made arrangements with a representative of the company for the entertainment each night, and the affair was well advertised throughout the city.

An entertainment was given Monday night before a fair audience, but sometime Tuesday afternoon the artists left the city and have not been heard from since. According to the contract the band was to get thirty-five per cent of the gross receipts, and the vaudeville company the balance. The company received only its percentage of the first night's receipts when it decided to leave the town. The members of the band then agreed to close the affair and not attempt to continue it during the remaining part of the week even for dancing. It is said that the company was discouraged with the attendance on Monday night and saw slight prospects for making any money on the basis of percentage agreed upon.

Among the features advertised was an offer of $50 for any couple that would agree to be married at Central Hall during the week. Even such a flattering offer failed to bring forth a couple that was anxious to be married in this public manner.

P. H. S. Pupils Visit Trust Co.

The members of the geography, arithmetic and local industry classes of the Plainfield High School visited The Plainfield Trust Company this morning, and through the courtesy of J. Herbert Case, secretary and treasurer, were shown through every department of the banking institution, being made acquainted with many of the minor details. The classes were in charge of J. D. Macnab, instructor. Other visits of a similar nature will be made to the several industrial plants in the city.

Twenty-five Years Wed.

Tax Collector and Mrs. John W. Murray, Jr., of West Fourth street, are observing the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage today, in a quiet way. There will be no formal reception owing to the illness of Mr. Murray's sister-in-law, Mrs. James Murray, of New York.

Lecture for Industrial School Benefit.

Dr. Harold D. Corbusier, who has given his illustrated lecture on "The Boxer Uprising in China," in several of the local churches, will repeat it in Grace church parish house Thursday night, February 28, for the benefit of the Grace church colored industrial school.

Morris Abranis Not Interested.

Morris Abrams, of West Front street, states that he is not one of the purchasers of James Manning's property at Central avenue and West Second street. He says that Abram Kunzman was the sole purchaser.

—Plenty of fancy fruits and fresh vegetables at Neuman Brothers. New consignments received every day and sold at prices that are sure to suit.

VOORHEES GETS THE PLUM

Leaders Agreement Carried Out by His Election To State Treasurership.

C. A. REED WITHDREW

By Strict Party Vote "Uncle Dan" is Chosen, Ballot Being 41 for Him and 33 for L. T. Fell.

Daniel S. Voorhees, county clerk of Morris, succeeds United States Senator-elect Frank O. Briggs as State Treasurer, having been elected at a joint session of the Legislature at noon today. He will take office immediately after resigning his present job. "Uncle Dan" received forty-one votes, while the Democratic caucus choice, Lawrence T. Fell, of Essex county, received thirty-three. It was a strict party vote, all the Democrats voting for Fell and all the Republicans for Voorhees. Senators Colby and Brown and Assemblyman Buck were absent.

After a visit to Trenton yesterday afternoon, it is said that former State Senator Charles A. Reed, of North Plainfield, found that the cards had been shuffled and that it would be impossible for him to receive any showing should he keep in the fight for the office. He immediately announced his withdrawal. Senators Bradley and Wakelee also announced that they were out of the race. It was commonly known that matters had been fixed by the State leaders so that "Uncle Dan" should get the plum after John F. Dryden had given way for Mr. Briggs to land the Senatorship.

The Democrats held their caucus yesterday afternoon and agreed to support L. T. Fell. As Senators Colby and Frelinghuysen, the latter being the sponsor for Mr. Reed, were not present, the Republicans decided to postpone their caucus until this morning. When they went into caucus this morning, only one name was presented, that of the Morris county mand and he was unanimously agreed upon by those present.

WOMEN'S RELIEF UNION HELD LUNCH-BOX SOCIAL.

Entertainment Also Presented By Local and Out of Town Talent.

The Women's Veteran Relief Union held a lunch-box social and entertainment in Pittis Hall, East Front street, last night. The programme opened with a song of greeting by the members of the union, army songs by Col. Edward E. Townley, violin solo by Master Arthur Dawe. There was a dialogue by Mrs. Emma Cox, Mrs. Adzetta Townley, Mrs. Maria Horton and Miss Sophia Thompson. Mrs. Harriett Gibbons, of Westfield, gave a reading.

Rev. Phil. A. Parsons, of the Christian church, made a patriotic address, and additional recitations were given by Miss Corintha Townley, of Westfield, and Miss Adele Ohl. An instumental solo quartette rendered some fine music. Mrs. William Poke sang a solo and there were zither solos by Miss Parch, of the borough; recitations by Mrs. Maria Horton and songs by Comrade Stephen Seaman, of Elizabeth. Then the lunch boxes were sold and a good sum realized. The committee in charge consisted of Mrs. Sophia Thompson, Mrs. Adzetta Townley, Mrs. Catharine Perry and Mrs. Elizabeth Naylor.

Trinity People Offended.

A report published in another paper yesterday that at a meeting of Trinity Reformed church's consistory last night the matter of choosing a successor to Rev. Dr. Cornelius Schenck might be considered has caused much indignation on the part of the officers and congregation of the church. No such action was even contemplated by the consistory. At the prayer meeting the matter was considered and a protest made. Later the consistory ordered that a signed statement be sent to the paper denying the fake report.

A Slight Runaway.

The kingbolt of a sleigh owned by U. G. Pierson, the butcher, and driven by Albert Keenan, came out of Carlton avenue, this morning, allowing the shafts to drop on the horse's heels. The animal ran away, throwing Keenan out and scattering orders along the street. H. S. VanFleet, of the local telephone exchange, caught the runaway and assisted Keenan in getting things to rights. The driver was uninjured and the damage otherwise was slight.

To Hear Ministerial Candidates.

A successor to Rev. Frank Fletcher in the pastorate of the New Market Baptist church has not been chosen yet. A candidate will be heard next Sunday and another one the week after.

—For the best results try a Press Want ad.

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Specials for Friday and Saturday

that appeal forcibly to those who are desirous of saving money. If you don't take advantage of these special offerings you have only yourself to blame

Another Sale of Decorated China

Takes place Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. You know what a sensation a similar sale made last Saturday morning. This sale is bound to cause a greater sensation. The lot consists of Cracker Jars, Salad Bowls, Bon Bon Dishes, Celery Trays, Cups and Saucers, Comb and Brush Trays, Condensed Milk Holders, Olive Dishes, etc., etc. These are values worth up to $1.00, Saturday morning at 10, .12½

Another Sale of Satin Lined Coats

Another lot of these beautiful long Satin lined Coats arrived this morning, and will be sold at the same price; no better all satin lined coat in the country for the price. They are worth regularly $15.00. The sale price will be $10.49

A Saturday Evening Flyer---7 to 10

Ladies' White Lawn Aprons, plain, hemstitched and embroidery trimmed, with bretelle, also some fancy round aprons. These are very special value and are worth from 35c to 50c. Saturday evening's price will be ..... .22

For Friday and Saturday

Fancy Rose De Triumph Soap, done up in fancy paper boxes, 3 cakes in a box, value 15c, sale price, box .. .10

Ladies' Hosiery

Ladies' Fine Wool Hose, some ribbed top and some plain, all sizes, 35c value, for ..... .25

Ladies' Black Wool Hose with ribbed top, 45c value, for ..... .35

For Friday and Saturday

Ladies' Princess Hip Corset, with hose supporters, made of excellent material, fine model, value 75c, for .45

For Friday and Saturday

50 dozen extra large Fringed Towels and Hemmed Huck Towels, reg. 15c value, for, each ..... .12½

72x90 good quality Bleached Sheets, the regular 50c kind, for ..... .39

For Friday and Saturday

15 dozen fine Cashmere Half Hose, 25c value, for ..... .19

20 dozen 4 inch Hand Ties, right from stock, excellent styles, 25c and 39c values, for ..... .19

For Friday and Saturday

Closing prices on Children's Dresses in a variety of pretty materials, nicely made and trimmed, values $2.25 to $5.50, sale price $1.98 to $4.50

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PERSONAL.

"Lou" Wiltse, of Somerville, was in town yesterday calling on friends.

Bert Simpson, of the borough, is spending several weeks at Palm Beach, Fla.

Miss Trippency, of Brooklyn, is visiting Miss Pauline Denton, of Washington avenue.

Mrs. George H. Frost, of Watchung avenue, is spending a week at Haddon Hall, Atlantic City.

Percy Sandford, of Englewood, has been spending a short time in town with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. T. Maxwell, of West Seventh street, are stopping at Truell Court for the present.

Miss Jennie Snyder, of Phillipsburg, who has been visiting friends in town, has returned home.

Mrs. Henry C. VanName, of Madison avenue, has returned from a visit with relatives on Staten Island.

Miss Adele Smith, of Brooklyn, who has been spending the past week in town with friends, has returned home.

W. G. Besler, of the borough, has recovered from a slight indisposition which detained him at home for a short time.

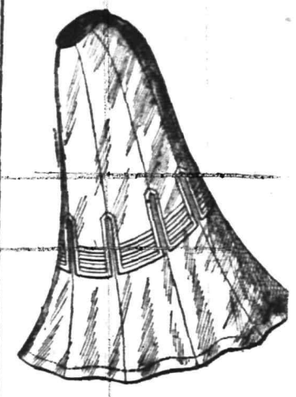
F. C. Iglehart, Jr., of the First Presbyterian church choir, is recovering from a severe attack of quinsy sore throat.

Russell Adams, of Newark, son of F. C. Adams, a former resident of Plainfield, was in town today in the interests of J. S. Rippel, his employer.

Mayor C. J. Fisk having about recovered from the grip and able to be out again, has resumed his regular schedule of hours at his office on North avenue.

Miss Hortense Marie Sheldon, who took the part of "Serpolette" in "The Chimes of Normandy," has gone to Pittsburg, where she is to be given a trial for a $1,500 position in one of the leading churches of that city.

—Greer & Greenwood will move from their present place of business to the store now occupied by Maurice Audsley on East Front street, April 1.



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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

The young people are enjoying the finest coasting on Spencer's Hill that they have had a chance to enjoy in a number of years. The roadway is practically all ice and for those who care to take the walk, there is a ride at express train speed of about a mile with just enough dangerous turns in the road to make the sport exciting enough for the most reckless ones.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Haskard, who have been visiting Mr. Haskard's mother, Mrs. John R. Haskard, of Grand street, have returned to their home in Newark.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard P. Robison, of New York, were the guests over Lincoln's birthday, of Mr. Robison's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Robison, of Forest avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Farrell, who have been occupying the Hollingsworth cottage on Valley road, have rented James H. Buckley's cottage on Stout avenue.

Yesterday being Ash Wednesday, special service was held in All Saints' Episcopal church; the day marked the beginning of Lent.

W. S. Rapp, of Lincoln, has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. William Deegan, of Front street.

Mr. and Mrs. William T. Sharpe are settled in their new home at Highland Park.

Rev. T. Moore-Smith is able to be around again after a two weeks' illness.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

In common with all the justices of the county, C. T. Rogers and R. P. F. VonMinden have submitted their dockets from January, 1904, to date to the county court. The court is investigating all the small cause courts.

"Dan," the old horse that was in the family of Lewis Harris for twenty-three years, was shot recently. "Dan" fell and injured himself so badly that a bullet was his only relief.

John Everle, formerly gateman for the Lehigh at New Market, has been appointed section foreman at South Somerville.

Emile Nelson has recovered from the injuries sustained in a fall while coasting on Hallett's hill last week.

Twenty candidates are expected to present themselves for admission to the Grange tonight.

The Monday Club of the Methodist Episcopal church will hold an entertainment tonight.

A service will be held at Holy Innocents' church at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon.

The Sunshine Guild will hold a business meeting tonight.

WHITEHOUSE.

The Peapack and Gladstone Athletic Association is arranging to hold a series of athletic events in St. Luke's Hall, at Peapack, on Saturday night, March 2. A challenge cup will be contested for by the Bernardsville, Far Hills and Peapack and Gladstone clubs.

The New Jersey Central Railroad has a gang of carpenters from Phillipsburg and Hampton Junction busy repairing the baggage-room of the depot at Whitehouse Station, which was recently gutted by fire.

There have been no sessions in the grammar department of the Whitehouse Station Public School for a few days because the principal, Newton Wyckoff, has been suffering from a severe attack of the grip.

A surprise party was tendered Jack Von Derbeek by a number of his friends from New York, New Germantown and Lamington at his home at Lamington the other night. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. J. T. Lamerson will entertain the Ladies' Missionary Society connected with the Reformed church at Pottersville at her home this afternoon.

Miss Elizabeth Craig, of New York, has been spending a short vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Craig, near New Germantown.

Miss Julia Duyckinck, of Lamington, is spending the remainder of the winter with Mrs. Willets at Minelo, Long Island.

There is an epidemic of mumps among the children at Pottersville, and the school has been closed for a few days.

Mrs. Emma Matthews, of Plainfield, has been visiting at the home of Theodore Fisher, at New Germantown.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Sovereign have returned to their home at Pottersville, after a visit to friends in Newark.

Grey Bretherton, of Brooklyn, is a guest for a few days at the Willowhurst, in Whitehouse.

HUNTERDON COUNTY.

The funeral of Loval Woodruff, seventy-two years old, who died Sunday at the Lebanon Township Poor Home of dropsy, was held Tuesday afternoon. Interment was in the Fountain Grove Cemetery, Glen Gardner. Mr. Woodruff leaves a widow, three sons and two daughters.

The last of the three Gardner factories at Glen Gardner is being taken down and the lumber stored away. The building had partly fallen in and was in a dangerous condition.

Miss Mary Conover, of New York city, is spending a season at her old home in Clinton. Miss Conover is connected with the McAuley-Cremorne Mission in the city.

Rev. Mr. Peabody, the newly elected pastor of the Musconetcong Valley Presbyterian church, has moved from Augusta, N. Y., into the parsonage at Imlaydale.

After spending some time in Bloomsbury with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Anderson have returned to their home in Easton, Pa.

After several weeks' stay with relatives in Trenton, the Misses Emma and Elnora Godley have arrived at their home in Milford.

Miss MacNorman, of Jersey City, is passing a few days in Bloomsbury, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Philip Weiss.

Frank Opdyke, of western Pennsylvania, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Lucinda Opdyke, at Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. Hannah M. Bloom, of Mt. Pleasant, is passing a few weeks with her son in Trenton.

Professor Walter J. Kugler, of Boston, is visiting his mother and brother in Milford.

Mrs. Amanda Crampton is seriously ill at her home in Clinton with pleuro-pneumonia.

SOMERVILLE.

The assembly room of the High School was well filled Tuesday evening, when Dr. McCormick lectured under the auspices of the American Medical Society. His topic was, "The Things About Doctors Which Doctors and Other People Ought to Know."

The second assembly was held Monday evening in Germania Hall. The patronesses were Mrs. James Griggs, Mrs. John Barcalow, Mrs. Lewis A. Thompson and Mrs. C. H. Bateman.

David Griggs, who had been visiting his parents here, has returned to Easton, Pa.

Vice Chancellor and Mrs. James Bergen are spending two weeks in the South.

Mrs. James T. Birdsall is visiting in Brooklyn.

BERNARDSVILLE.

The icehouse of Romaine C. Nichols, of Mine Mount, has just been filled with 100 tons of eleven-inch ice from the Japanese garden pond on Charles Pfizer, Jr.'s, estate. This is the thickest ice that has been harvested here this winter, according to report.

Among those who are spending several days at their Mine Mount summer homes and enjoying the excellent sleighing hereabout, are the families of E. T. H. Talmage and Charles Pfizer, Jr. The latter are entertaining several friends from New York.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Oakley, of Newark, who had been spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Holmes, of New street, returned to their home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Mast and daughter, Mrs. S. Sinclair, and her children, will remove from here tomorrow to Plainfield, where they will make their home.

Dr. and Mrs. Lynford E. Tuttle are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Thompson, of East Andover, N. H., for a few weeks.

WESTFIELD.

The funeral services of Mrs. Alice Atkins were held Tuesday afternoon at the home of her son, Howard Atkins, here. Mrs. Atkins was in her seventy-fourth year, and leaves several children.

Twenty-four Westfield residents who failed to clean the snow from their sidewalks will have to give the reason for the neglect in the police court today.

It is announced that Miss Sarah Davis and James Gunn, of Westfield, are to be married February 27 at Berwick, Pa., where they will make their home.

Ice twelve inches thick is being harvested on Echo Lake at Branch Mills. This is the best that has been cut there in five years.

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CITY JOTTINGS.

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—Alex. Milne, formerly of New York, is now making his home in the borough since opening up a branch office in this city.

—Charles Belknap, of East Front street, has gone west to take a position with a railroad. He was formerly with the New Jersey Central.

—Mr. and Mrs. Willard Martin, who expected to commence housekeeping on East Fifth street, March 1, have changed their plans, and will now probably arrange to take the flat in the Woodhull & Martin building formerly occupied by Charles Belknap.

—F. L. C. Martin, who has leased the second and third floors occupied by him for his automobile business, will commence at once the work of alterations, which will include an elevator to be used in carrying autos from one floor to the others. The contract for the elevator has been given to the Otis Company.

—N. O. Moore, business manager of The Sabbath Recorder, has had his upper lip adornment removed and yesterday when he appeared on the street his friends scarcely recognized him. The operation was performed to permit him to take part in the entertainment at the Seventh-Day Baptist church Tuesday night.

CARE OF CRAZY FELONS DISCUSSED BY EXPERT.

Paterson, Feb. 14.—"The Field of the State: Its Needs and Limitations" was discussed by George B. Wight, State Commissioner of Charities and Corrections, at yesterday's session of the New Jersey Conference of Charities and Correction. Mr. Wight advocated the best possible treatment in the hospitals for the insane for all who seemed to have a chance to recover, but other cases, he contended, could be well, if not better, taken care of in the county hospitals than in the congested state asylums.

"But there is no proper provision for the care of the criminal insane," he said. "I mean by this, not the man who violated the law when in a demented state, who, in fact, is not a criminal, not being responsible for his acts, but the man who was sane when he committed the crime, and became demented afterward. The law provides that such criminal insane are to be removed to the state hospital, but here they are permitted to associate with patients who were esteemed members of society before they lost their reason. The criminal may be a social outcast, his crime may have been of the most flagrant character, but he associates in corridors, wards, recreation grounds and in dining rooms with these honest patients of the state, isolated not because of crime, but in conseqeunce of affliction. This is cruel and unjust, and proper provision ought to be made at the prison for this class."

Miss L. Newhut, of Newark, who is totally blind, read a paper by means of her fingers, in which she made a plea for the blindd, advocating civic interest. She asked that the state provide means by which the blind could educate themselves.

Rabbi Meyers contended that a school for the blind should be established in Newark.

Professor E. F. Johnson read a paper on "The Inadequacy of Our Care of the Feeble Minded." He declared that our institutions did not provide the proper facilities and that the work was not well divided. Captain Charles F. Curie discussed "The Proper Functions of the Insane Asylum." John Cotton Dana, librarian of the Newark free public library, spoke on "The Care of the Adult Blind."

The session will be continued today.

PENSION INCREASES.

726 Private Bills Go Through at One Sitting.

The House of Representatives has broken several records, and the last one consisted of passing 726 private pension bills at one sitting. The members from New Jersey were particularly fortunate in securing a larger number than they have ever had passed at any one sitting, as the following will indicate:

By Congressman Fowler, increasing the pension of Edward Willis from $16 to $30; increasing the pension of Edward Burtch from $12 to $24, and increasing the pension of Adeline Brown from $8 to $25 a month. The Burtch and Willis bills were both reduced $5 a month by the committee, while the Brown bill was reduced from $50, although Mrs. Brown's husband, James M. Brown, served as captain in Company K, Seventh New Jersey Infantry, for ten months, and as a major in the Fifteenth New Jersey Infantry for six months.

By Congressman Wood, increasing the pension of William L. Stewart from $12 to $24, increasing the pension of Minna Y. Field from $25 to $35, and increasing the pension of Richard Prost from $17 to $30. Mrs. Field is a widow of Edward Field, who entered the army in 1861 as second lieutenant, First New Jersey Cavalry. He was transferred to the regular army in 1862, in the same rank, and gradually advanced until he was retired on account of physical disability in 1900, with the rank of colonel. The committee increased the amount named in the bill from $24 to $30.

Rev. Frank Anderson, of Millville, who spoke at Faith chapel, Tuesday night, was the guest of Rev. J. W. Musson, the pastor, while in town. He returned home yesterday.

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SHE SUCCORED MAN NOW HER HUSBAND.

Bride Was First to Aid Man Hurt When Stopping Runaway Horse.

Friends of Miss Mae Kane, of No. 213 First street, Jersey City, and Daniel Ambrose, of York street, an auditor in the Jersey City office of the United States Express Company, will be surprised to learn that they are married. The ceremony was performed last Sunday in St. Stephen's R. C. church on West Twenty-third street, Manhattan, by one of the curates.

The couple have known each other about two years, but never spoke of love until a few weeks ago. Miss Kane was about to leave her home one afternoon, when she saw a runaway horse dash past. It looked as though the animal would trample down a little baby learning to walk that had reached the middle of the street.

A young man was seen to rush at the horse and grab the bridle. This act drove the horse and rig out of its course and saved the baby from probably fatal injury.

The young man hung on to the hourse and was dragged about two hundred feet. He was accidentally kicked and dropped to the pavement apparently lifeless. Miss Kane was the first one at his side, helped to revive him and acted as an escort to his home. There is was she told him of her love and it was agreed to get married.

Mrs. Ambrose is a pretty brunette. She is twenty-one years old and a prominent member of St. Mary's church. She is popular in social circles. Her husband is a member of many clubs. He is twenty-two years old.

HOUSE BILLS.

Important Measures Introduced in Legislature.

The following are among the bills introduced in the House at Trenton yesterday:

Mr. Brady—Authorizes town halls to be erected in towns of this State and appropriates over $100,000 therefor.

Mr. Brady—Provides for the abolition of grade crossings of railroad companies and street or electric railroads, and gives to the Chancellor the right upon application to abolish the same.

Mr. Olwell—Provides that no contract for any public improvement or furnishing materials or supplies to any county, municipality or commission which shall exceed the sum of $1,000 shall be awarded except after two weeks' public advertisement therefor.

Mr. Kleinert—Provides that in every city school district the city Board of Education shall appoint two of its members, and the board in such city having the power to make appropriations of money shall appoint two of its members, these four persons, together with the Mayor, constituting the board of school estimate for said district.

Finds a Petrified Head.

Gettysburg, Pa., Feb. 14.—While George Woodward was running a sawmill in the mountains of Adams county he discovered the petrified head and neck of a human being imbedded in a large oak log. Woodward removed the head and shipped it to Dr. G. W. Tate, of Altoona, for examination. The head was of perfect proportions, the features being preserved to the minutest detail in the body of the wood. Even the lines of the face were plainly visible. The unusual color of the face was the only thing which detracted from its lifelike appearance. The tree was cut near the cave in which once lived Lewis, a robber. It is supposed that the head belonged to one of the victims of this noted outlaw, who in early times was a terror of the mountainside.

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VIEWS OF A SOCIALIST

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in the position of the old court jesters. They glory in writing for "art's sake," and take the pay that the bourgeoise that employs them gives for their pranks of vocabulary. They have become merely the amusement-purveyors of the monied classes.

"It is very unfortunate that our masters are keeping the people in such dense ignorance on the subject of Socialism, which will soon overshadow every other question and issue the world over. We believe that Socialism is bound to come, and whether it comes peacefully or otherwise will depend upon the education of the people in regard to it. The ostrich-like policy of the capitalists and their collegiate and other retainers may some day involve a bitter penalty. A great scientific theory, a deep philosophy, a world-movement, is scarcely at all understood by our most eminent men, and they seem to make every effort to keep the masses from enlightening themselves. They seem to think that the laws of nature will cease operation if they are only well misrepresented or ignored. Of course, hunger and suffering are the great educators of the people, and the Socialiistic movement does not depend for its success on the patronage of eminent men. The eminent men and their retainers can only make the transition painful and difficult, instead of easy and beneficient.

"As a slight instance of the ostrich policy, I might mention the Plainfield Public Library, where, I am informed, there is no addition to the few books on Socialism for fear that it might excite or arouse, or make discontented young workingmen. This statement is made on authority. On the other hand, I found that the library of Princeton University was glad to complete its Socialistic collection and sent for several works which I recommended. But the general ignorance of, and hostility towards, the subject is profound. You see it in the editorial columns of the best newspapers, in the pulpit, the colleges, and the State and National legislatures.

"Can we afford to be ignorant? Yes, if, as some good people think, the social revolution is due to arrive in about 150 years. But the signs are not lacking of a much speedier arrival. There are many thinkers who believe that capitalism will inevitably collapse, and be inevitably succeeded by the co-operative system within the first half of the century. 1912 is fixed as the date by Upton Sinclair in an economic work now being published in Wilshire's Magazine. Mr. Sinclair bases his prophecy on a deep study of present conditions, compared with the conditions which preceded the Civil War. He says that the signs and tokens are the same; there is a similar economic foundation, and the same superficial partisanship, and tangle of interests and confusion of counsels. A few years before Sumter the idea of war seemed absurd, except to a group of fanatic emancipators, who later became heroes. But the revolution of the future will be vastly greater and more important than anything of the kind that has happened before in history. It will be international and world-wide. France is generally conceded to be the leader of the future in substituting co-operation for competition. Europe will naturally be compelled to follow. It is capitalism itself that prepares the way for universal Socialism by everyday linking together more closely the interests of the nation.

"These are things that must come, whether we think we will like them or not. Herbert Spencer said that they must come. If we are wise, we will not quarrel with the inevitable, but will try to prepare ourselves for it.

"Usually our eminent men, such as judges and college presidents, are rabidly to Socialism. It is an exceptional but significant thing when the chief justice of the State of North Carolina, Walter Clark, writes a letter to Wilshire's Magazine, saying 'The trend of the world is in your direction, and when the panic (whose recurrence is inevitable under our present system) shall come, there will be an astounding advance for which the people are being educaed and prepared by many publications. The seed is being sown. But the people will not rouse themselves to act until hard times makes them uncomfortable.

"The chief justice is apparently a good Socialiste, an amazing exception to the rule of justices, who magnify the sacredness of property in the hands of the few, and minimize the sacredness of the human beings who produce it.

"The Socialistic movement can get along without college graduates, lawyers, preachers, and the general tribe of persons of wealth and culture, because it is essentially a movement of the people, of those who work, who are in physical majority, and very likely, also, in a moral and intellectual majority. At the same time, there are rich men, clergymen, and lawyers, who have abdicated their positions and joined the class-conscious workers. There is room for women, as well as men in this party of the people. It makes no distinction as to sex or race. Socialism asks nothing of capitalism. It merely gives warning that if the truth is distorted or withheld there will be a heavy debt of suffering to pay in the future."

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Small size, regular 59c, sale price 43c
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Large size, regular 98c, sale price 69c

ROUND WASH BOILERS.

Small size, regular 35c, sale price 29c
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HEAVY GALVANIZED PAILS.

10-quart size, regular 25c, sale price 18c
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14-quart size, regular 35c, sale price 29c

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Full size, with iron drop handles, regular $1.48, sale price 98c

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4 and 6 quart sizes in covered long handle Sauce Pans, regular price 98c, sale price 48c
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DEEDS AND CONTRACTS.

Many of Local Interest Filed at County Clerk's Office.

The following real estate transfers of local interest have been recorded at Elizabeth:

Mary Leahy to Thomas G. Knight Co., lot 9, block 1, "Map of C. Elmer Gulick," Plainfield $1

Central Park Realty Co. to Edward S. F. Randolph, lot 105, "Map of Central Park," Plainfield $1

Cormick Caulfield et ux. to Barnett Butensky, southerly side New street, 70 feet southwesterly of J. Leonard, Plainfield $1

Martin A. Rose et ux. to Samuel Newman, lots 53-54, "Map of Mountain View," Fanwood $1

William H. Lawrence, sheriff, to J. D. Loizeaux Lumber Co., southwesterly side New street, 85 feet southeasterly of West Fourth street, Plainfield $3,160

Mary Hyland et al. to Peter M. Felmley, southeasterly side South avenue, 180 feet northeasterly of Berckman street, Plainfield $1

Francis B. Cockburn et ux. to Emma F. Du Bois, southeasterly side West Front street, 60 feet southwesterly of Emma J. Johnson, Plainfield $1

Highland Park Realty Co. to Ralph Bullman, northwesterly side East Second street, 683 feet northeasterly of Leland avenue, Plainfield .. $300

William H. Lawrence, sheriff, to Amanda M. Ayers, northerly side Clinton place, 206 feet northeasterly of Clinton avenue, Plainfield .. $1,173

Dominick Revere et us. to Salvina Venezia southerly side Terrill road, corner McCrea place, Plainfield. $150

Sarah R. Runyon to Jacob Sachar, lots 9, 10, 11, block 3, "Map of Plainfield Real Estate Co.," Plainfield .. $1

Edward F. Randolph et ux. to James H. Freeman, westerly side Park avenue, corner J. H. Freeman, Plainfield $1

Union County Investmitnt Co. eo Dorsey H. Hyde, La Grane avenue, corner Central street, Plainfield $27,100

Same to Edith Hyde Colby, La Grane avenue, corner Leland avenue, Plainfield $25,000

Charles H. Snyder to Mowbray W. Forney, lot 4, block 2, "Map of C. E. Gulick," Plainfield $1

These contracts have also been filed:

Lena Vogel et al. to Michael D. E. Keefe, entire work new building, West Fifth street, Plainfield .. $3,000

Clifford D. Manning et al. with Michael O'Keefe, carpenter work new building, West Eighth street, Plainfield $3,840

Queen City Lodge, No. 226, I. O. O. F., met last night and initiated six candidates.

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All licenses granted by the City will expire March 1. All persons wishing to renew the same must make application to the City Clerk on or before Feb. 25. After March 1 no person will be allowed to carry on any business for which a license is required without securing one.

P. S. KIELY, Chief of Police.

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CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to friends, also the members of Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, K. of P., and Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson for all their kindness to us during our recent bereavement.

Robert Armstrong and Sisters.

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Accounts of Corporations, Firms and Individuals Solicited.

Advertised Mail Matter.

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French, Jr., Mr. W.
Green, Mr. John
Hunt, Mrs. W. R.
Hineman, Samuel
Johnson, Mrs. Wm.
Kendy, Mrs. Thos.
Koons, Mrs. Geo. J.
Kuauss, Mr. C. C.
Lanson, Mr. Harry
Lawson, Miss M.
McQueen, Mrs. H. O.
Millispaugh, Dr.
Moore, J. Laird
Miller, Miss C. C.
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Pullen, Miss Edith
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Ryley, Mrs.
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Rogers, Esq., C. W.
Sturtevant, Mr. H. V.
Smith, Mr. Michael
Stevens, Will H.
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When in Jail He Stole Pocketbooks and Valuables—Tried to Open Doors of His Prison.

Arthur Fanning, of Washington, ten years old, sent to jail at Belvidere for being incorrigible, seems to be a nice little fellow, is as bright as a button, but dreadfully bad.

The Sheriff and his family took a great notion to the boy and extended all the favors they could. But the lad failed to appreciate their kindness, and watching an opportunity he stole pocketbooks and valuables and concealed them in the beds and steam radiators.

When charged with stealing he denied in the most positive terms any knowledge of the crime, but gradually owned up and returned the valuables.

His next offense was to secure a big bunch of keys and make an effort to unlock the jail door. He said he wanted to let out the prisoners, but fortunately was unequal to the task. The court will dispose of the youthful lawbreaker and he will find a home in the Rahway Reformatory.

For Coal Land Leases.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 14.—President Roosevelt yesterday sent to both houses of Congres a long message calling attention to what he terms the "Urgent need of legislation affecting the different phases of the public land situation in the United States." He advocates the conservation of coal and other fuel resources on lands still belonging to the government, saying that henceforth the nation should retain its title to its fuel resources, urges government control of the Western public land pastures, with a system of small grazing fees, &c., and asks for an appropriation of half a million dollars, immediately available, in addition to present estimates, to aid in detecting and preventing land frauds. He contends for a system of government leasing of its mineral lands and for treating these fuel lands as public utilities.

Would Save Bishops' Law.

In the State Senate at Trenton yesterday petitions against the repeal of the "bishops' law" were presented by Senators Bradley, Avis and Lee.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

MEDALS FOR MILITIAMEN

Prizes to Be Presented by Governor at Second Regiment Review.

ON THURSDAY FEB. 21

Regimental Trophy and Collins Medal Both To Go To Company K, of Plainfield.

Lieutenant-Colonel Dungan, commanding the Second Regiment, National Guard; has issued orders for the review by Governor Stokes, February 21, at the headquarters of the regiment, in Trenton. There will be a presentation of 100 per cent. duty medals to many members of Company K.

Prizes competed for will be awarded as follows:

Collins medal for marksmanship, season of 1906, won by Corporal William E. Bond, Company K.

National Rifle Association medal for marksmanship, season of 1906, won by Second Lieutenant Charles F. Sylvester, Company L.

Regimental trophy for marksmanship, season for 1906, won by Company L, Captain Elston H. Bergen, commanding.

Long and faithful services medals will be presented as well.

The review will begin at 8:50 o'clock. The presentations will be made by the Governor.

President Stands Pat.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 14.—There is to be no halt in the investigation by the Interstate Commerce Commission of the operations of Edward H. Harriman in connection with the Union Pacific, Southern Pacific and other railroads. There has been no change in President Roosevelt's attitude regarding corporations or railroads, and there is not likely to be any. Reports that have been sent to Wall street almost every other day about a probable change in the administration's policy have been sent for stock jobbing purposes. At no stage of his career has the President been more impressed with the wisdom of his policies and the justice that can be done to the great American public by their adoption by Congress and the States. He is thoroughly convinced they are going to prevail and he will not alter one jot or tittle of his demands upon Congress.

Gets His Third Black Hand Letter.

Hackensack, Feb. 14.—Justice Morgan, of East Rutherford, who Tuesday received his third Black Hand letter, exhibited it in the sheriff's office here yesterday. It demands that he secure the release of Pasquale Ventimiglia, of Lodi, from the Hackensack jail or suffer death. The prisoner is accused of being the leader of a Black Hand gang and is held under $1,000 bail. At the bottom of the letter are drawings of a stiletto, revolver and two bombs.

Says Councilman Hit Him.

Harry Reilly, better known as "Ash" Reilly, a former scavenger at Montclair, is at Mountainside Hospital, that place, with a broken leg. It is alleged Reilly was knocked down by Thomas P. Alworth, a Councilman from the First ward, Montclair. The men had an argument over snow carting.

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GETS THREE "BLACK HAND" LETTERS IN THREE MONTHS.

East Rutherford Justice Commanded to Secure Release of Alleged Dynamiter.

Justice James A. Morgan, of East Rutherford, has received three "Black Hand" letters within as many weeks. Yesterday his mail brought the latest threat. He is ordered to at once secure the release of Giuseppe Ventimiglia from the Hackensack jail or suffer death.

Ventimiglia is the reputed leader of a "Black Hand" band that has been operating in Lodi several months. He was found in possession of tools taken from a building in Lodi that was dynamited by the "Black Hand" because the owner refused to give the band $500.

Justice Morgan says he will not interest himself in Ventimiglia's behalf, no matter what happens.

Blow Changed His Life.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 14.—"Slugged" in Chicago thirteen years ago and "awakening" three days later in Hammond, Ind., minus all the money he possessed and half his clothing, Charles McGee Williams, once a star University of Wisconsin baseball pitcher, a graduate of the Madison Law School, became temporarily a tramp. Given up for dead by his relatives and friends, Williams' whereabouts remained a deep mystery until yesterday, when he was found at Merrillville, Ind., by a friend of his youth. Williams' brother was notified and the family has been reunited. Declaring that his life is a "wreck," caused by recurrent periods of loss of memory, due probably to a blow on the head suffered at the hands of Chicago highwaymen, Williams has remained in obscurity all these years, in spite of the repeated urgings of the wife whom he married in Merrillville that he write to his relatives in Wisconsin and make known his whereabouts.

Democrats Against Machines.

The Morris County Democratic Committee has forwarded to Trenton resolutions condemning the use of voting machines, and asking that the law making them legal be repealed. The committee has elected the following officers: Samuel Brant, Madison, chairman; George E. Webber, Madison, secretary; Eugene S. Burke, Morristown, treasurer, and an executive committee consisting of Eugene S. Burke, Samuel Brant, Augustus Bryant, Elias C. Drake, Mahlon K. Thorpe, E. Philetus Konkle, Thomas H. Hoagland, John P. Walsh and H. M. Chamberlain.

Orange Masons Locked Out.

Orange, Feb. 14.—There is another labor fight in Orange, and again the employers seem to have precipitated trouble. The Master Masons' Association of the Oranges yesterday declared a lock-out against the members of Bricklayers', Masons' and Plasterers' Union No. 5. The lockout is the echo of a strike which lasted some time last summer, and the argument is over the subletting of some work in the Roth Building, in Main street, where the trouble started last year.

Pitney's Resignation Filed.

The resignation of Vice Chancellor Henry C. Pitney was filed in the Court of Chancery at Trenton yesterday. It bears the date of January 17, and is to take effect on April 9, the eighteenth anniversary of the vice chancellor's first appointment. Chancellor Magie filed with the resignation his acceptance, coupled with a minute expressing "sincere regrets."

DIED.

MULLIGAN—Suddenly, on Second month 13th, 1907, Maria L., widow of William Mulligan, in her 83d year.

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Classified Advertisements

Rates for advertisements under this heading one cent a word for first insertion, one half a cent a word for consecutive insertions of the same advertisement running for less than one month; one month, fifty cents a line (6 words to a line), double rate for advertisement set in capitals.

No advertisements received for less than ten cents.

Copy for deaths and marriage notices and classified advertising accepted up to 2:30 p. m.

THE DAILY PRESS is not at liberty to give any information regarding advertisements that require an address in care of this office. Persons answering these ads. should mail or leave answers as stated in advertisements.

Help Wanted.

WANTED—Lady's maid. Apply Truell Court, corner Central avenue and Fourth street, after 6 p. m.

WANTED — Competent colored cook; references required. 721 Watchung avenue. 2 13 3

WANTED—Middle aged man understanding care of horse and cow and care of place; state references and wages expected. K. W., care Press. 2 13 3

WANTED—White girl for general housework in family of three; no washing. 329 Franklin place. 2 7 tf

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at once at Mrs. Day's Intelligence Office, South Plainfield, N. J. 2 9 tf

WANTED—Competent laundress, white, for first three days of week. Apply evenings at 452 West Eighth St. 2 13 3

WANTED—COLORED GIRL OR BOY. CALL READY TO WORK, 157 NORTH AVE. 2 12 3

WANTED—Servant girl, colored preferred; good wages and good home. Address T. M. C., care Press. 2 12 6

WANTED — Experienced winders on soft silk and experienced weavers on silk ribbons on high speed looms. Apply I. Eisenstein & Co., 29 Congress street, Newark, N. J. 2 12 3

WANTED—A colored cook; must know how to do fine cooking; no washing. Call 669 West Seventh St. 2 11 4

Help Wanted.

GENERAL houseworkers, cooks and chambermaids, and others wanted at once; white and colored. Plainfield Employment Office, on driveway to station.

WANTED—A good useful man who understands care of live stock and green houses; references required. Apply at No. 2 Rockview terrace. 2 14 3

WANTED—Competent white girl for general housework. Apply corner West Seventh street and Lee place. 2 14 3

OPERATORS wanted on two two-needle machine. Apply at factory, 320 West Front street. 2 14 2

WANTED—White girl for general housework; no washing. Call afternoons, 955 West Sixth St. 1 24 tf

MACHINISTS—First class vise, lathe and boring mill hands wanted at the Watson Stillman Co., Aldene, N. J. 2 4 12

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at once at Mrs. Keller's Intelligence Office, 22 Somerset place. 12 29 tf

WANTED—Capable woman to do general housework. Mrs. Rapalje, 724 Carlton Ave. 2 12 3

GIRL wanted for general housework; no washing. 129 Grove, corner Park place. 2 6 tf

WANTED — Experienced cook; white; reference required. Apply 1060 Central Ave. 2 4 tf

GIRL wanted to cook, wash and iron; references required. Apply 526 West Seventh St. 1 29 tf

WANTED—Good cook, white; references. Call 441 West 8th street. 1 4 tf

Rooms and Board.

LARGE and small furnished rooms; improvements. 226 East Front street. 2 14 3

FURNISHED room to let; improvements. 80 Somerset St. 2 12 3

LARGE sunny rooms to let with board; convenient to everything; terms reasonable. 141 East Fifth St. 2 11 6

TWO fine connecting rooms and bath, with board, March first. 514 Madison avenue. 2 12 6

COMFORTABLE, well heated rooms, with excellent board; also table board; evening dinners a specialty. For terms call or address Mrs. A. L. Waldorf, 1132 and 134 Crescent Ave. 2 8 tf

FURNISHED room with bath, for a gentleman. 445 Orchard place. 2 11 tf

FURNISHED rooms for gentlemen in refined neighborhood. 402 Grant avenue. 12 6 tf

GOOD accommodations; low rates Boyce's Hotel, 97 Somerset St. tf

Chickens and Eggs.

FOR SALE—Very fine pen of White Wyandottes; $15. John Pilger, 517 East Front St. 2 12 3

FOR SALE—Who wants some white leghorn pullets, laying? Also, white leghorn cockerels. Netherwood farm, Mountain Ave. 2 11 6

BLACK ORPINGTON COCKERELS AND PULLETS—A few choice ones for sale; fine shape and color; good enough to show; brothers to first prize winners at the late large shows; write for prices; eggs $5 per setting. Oak Tree Poultry and Game Farm, Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J. 1 21 tf

Wanted—Miscellaneous.

I WANT to buy five houses and lots under three thousand dollars that pays 10 per cent. Send full description to R. X., Press. 2 14 3

WANTED—Two or three rooms for man and wife; 60 and 65 years of age, in good health, on first or second floor, for housekeeping. Address A. B. C., Daily Press. 2 14 3 eod

WANTED—House in good location that can be bought right; must have all improvements and price not to exceed $4,500; owners only. Advertiser, P. O. Box 741, Plainfield, N. J.

WANTED—Three or four rooms; two in family. Address Reasonable, care Press. 2 14 3

WANTED—For light housekeeping, one large room, or two rooms, one large and one small room, connecting. Address Centrally Located, care Press. 2 13 2

WANTED—By gentleman, a heated, furnished room, situated in the borough, with use of bath; private family preferred. Address Lewis, care Daily Press. 2 12 3

WILL care for good horse for the winter for use of same. Address Good Care, care Press. 10 6 tf

UPRIGHT piano wanted cheap for cash; any condition. Address Box 605, Plainfield. 11 8 tf

Lost and Found.

WILL the lad who took by mistake the "White Flier" sled from the Watchung hill last night, please leave it at 1308 Watchung avenue?

LOST—Black poodle dog named "Kip." Reward, 552 East Second St. 2 13 3

Miscellaneous.

I WRITE insurance of all kind. Lemuel A. Tunison, Mt. Horeb, P. O., Martinville, N. J. 2 2 12

ASHES and rubbish removed, city or borough. Address George Miller, 518 West Fourth street. 2 14 3

MRS. BONY — High-class dressmaking; French models; fine work remodeling; moderate prices. 12 Stone St., North Plainfield. 1 24 1m

NEXT—We are next to station and next to bargain; bring in your bargain and be next to buyers. Ira L. LaRue, 152 North Ave. 1 8 tf

GENERAL typewriting and stenographer. Call at 33 Somerset street, N. Plainfield. A. G. Daudt. 2 2 1m

FREE! FREE! Six fine square pianos, for cost of tuning and carting only; great chance for beginners and others. Call at once, Hadley's piano salesrooms, 315 West Front St. 23 tf

DEAD animals removed. Ruckman Brothers, 204 Plainfield avenue, 'phone 415-L. 8 28 6m

P. F. LATOURETTE, auctioneer; sales promptly attended to; satisfaction guaranteed. 326 West Front St. 2 10 tf

BEFORE selling your furniture see Latourette, 326 West Front St. tf

BABIES crochet sacques for sale; all prices; also ladies' knitted sweaters made to order. Mrs. Mayer, 54 Pearl street, North Plainfield. tf

THE highest cash price paid for household goods, furniture, etc. Fred W. Hand, Auctioneer, 136 East Second street. 'Phone 1722. tf

Real Estate Agents.

NEW HOUSES FOR SALE—Two elegant new houses on West Eighth street, 3 baths, large high lot, shade and every modern improvement; tile baths; three fine houses at Netherwood, every improvement, shade and high terraced lot; two fine new houses on West Seventh street, every improvement; best location; also 8-room house on Summit avenue, near Westervelt. Call and see plans, Manning or McIntyre, 163 North avenue, open evenings. 1 31 1m

FOR SALE—Fine new 10-room house situate on a high terraced lot, 100x250, in the best section of Netherwood; hard wood floors and trim, 2 tiled bath rooms, 3 fireplaces, steam heat; occupancy April 1; will finish to suit purchaser. Plans can be seen at the office of William H. Abbott, 163 North avenue; also have plans for several houses which I am erecting in other parts of the city; prices from $7,500 to $12,000. 1 29 1m

THOSE desiring to own a farm should consult one who has been selling farms for years, and he is yours truly, William Henry Rogers, 136 Park avenue, Plainfield; telephone 44 tf

Money to Loan.

TO LOAN on bond and mortgage, $3,000, also $3,500, on satisfactory risks. J. F. MacDonald, 149 North avenue. 1 31 tf

MONEY to loan, five per cent. gilt edge real estate. J. T. Vail. 1 14 tf

MONEY to loan at 5 per cent. on first mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot. tf

TO LOAN—Money on first mortgages at 5 per cent. V. W. Nash, Jr., 221 Park avenue. 6 22 tf

$4,000.00 TO LOAN on first bond and mortgage, on Plainfield property at five per cent. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin Building, East Front street. tf

TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street.

For Rent.

TO LET—Store of 136 Park avenue. Inquire William Jeffery, on premises. 2 12 tf

TO LET—Large, new store, No. 407 Watchung avenue. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin building. 9 24 tf

DENTIST office, heat, telephone, light, water, door attendance. 178 East Front street. 1 11 tf

Situations Wanted.

MAN wants work cooking, dinner parties, luncheons, and job work all kinds, or permanent position as cook in private family. Address Whiting, 618 West Fourth St.

LOST—Child's silver watch, (J. C. V. V.), and gold chain. Return to this office, reward. 2 14 3

CHAMBERMAID and waitress would like position with small family. Address T. M., care Press. 2 13 3

WOMAN wants washing to take home. 924 West Third St. 2 11 6

RESPECTABLE German woman wants washing at home. Apply 224 Grove street. 2 11 6

For Sale or Exchange.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Country store and residence property for sale, or will exchange for improved real estate in Plainfield or vicinity; large house of nine rooms; large two-story store building; a good business stand with a good business; property free and clear; price $6,000; stock in store goes with property. Inquire from 7 to 9 p. m., P. W. Fisher, 47 Chatham street, Plainfield. 2 13 4

For Sale.

HOUSE for sale at Netherwood, plans can be seen at my office. New house to let; ten rooms; all improvements; steam heat; $55 a month. Building lots for sale; cash or installments; when your lot is paid for I will build you a house. Charles Hand, 319 Watchung Ave. 2 14 1m

FURNITURE for sale. Call evenings, 159 East Front street, flat 5, top floor. 2 14 3

FOR SALE CHEAP—One parlor heater, coal; 2 gas heaters. Stephenson, North avenue. 2 13 3

ANNOUNCEMENT to all the horsemen in Plainfield, and vicinity. I have taken a lease on the old Stonewall Jackson Sales Stables on Somerset street, and have thoroughly renovated same. On Wednesday I will have about 30 high class horses on hand, at these stables, and will be pleased to see any one there, that is interested in horses. If you want anything in horses call or 'phone A. E. Park, 'phone 395-J. 2 12 3

SODA fountains, many styles, new and second hand; bargain prices and easy terms. Haussling Apparatus Co., 24 Arlington street, Newark, N. J. 2 12 2 m eod

LARGE palm for sale. Address Palm, care Daily Press. 2 12 3

FOR SALE—New house on West Sixth street, near Monroe avenue; eight rooms and bath; butler's pantry and reception hall; extra toilet in cellar. Apply 232 Madison avenue, or 63 Summit avenue; telephone 396-L. 2 9 6

PIANO FOR SALE—Upright grand $450 mahogany piano, new five months ago; will sell immediately at any reasonable price. Call owner's residence, 317 Franklin place. 2 13 2

FOR SALE—A fine lot between Park and Watchung avenues, on Second street. M. F. Gano, 221 Park avenue. 2 5 tf

HORSE for sale. Call or address Lemuel A. Tunison, Mt. Horeb, P. O., Martinville, N. J. 2 2 12

FARM, 24 acres, for sale, near Somerville, on macadam road; good buildings. McNabb, lawyer, 209 North avenue. 1 28 1m

REAL ESTATE for sale, rent and exchange at bargain figures; insurance in strong companies at lowest rates; money to loan at five per cent. Thickstun & Emmons, 197 North avenue. 9 28 tf

FOR SALE—House and lot on Webster place, near Watchung avenue; fine location; 8 rooms; all improvements. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

LOT FOR SALE on John street, near West Seventh, 50x150; fine location; will sell very reasonable. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

SIX-ROOM house on Somerset place for sale cheap. Inquire 68 Westervelt Ave. 2 9 tf

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE—Houses and lots in all parts of the city; properties that I have picked up in trade that I can sell you for less than market prices; if you want to buy or have anything to sell come and see me. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

FOR SALE—Very desirable new house, Union street, corner Arlington avenue, nine rooms and bath; all improvements. J. T. Vail, 177 North avenue. 12 15 tf

FOR SALE OR FOR RENT—Several houses, stores and offices. J. P. W. Taylor, 102 North Ave. 12 20 tf

FOR SALE—Coal and lumber business, grocery, butcher, livery, trucking, automobile garage; all kinds of business bargains. Ira L. LaRue, next to station, next to bargain. 31 tf

HOUSES and lots for sale cheap. Call or address Lemuel A. Tunison, real estate agent, office Mt. Horeb, P. O., Martinville, N. J. 2 2 12

A CHANCE for a working man to buy a home on West Second street; very little cash required. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

OLD PAPERS for sale; put up in packages of 100 copies for 10c. Apply at this office. tf

FOR SALE—Seasoned cord wood; cut in lengths to suit purchaser; also mill slabing at $6 per cord; orders will be given prompt attention. John V. TenEyck & Son, P. O. Box 57, Metuchen, N. J. 1 8 3m

FOR SALE—Four lots on Westervelt avenue, near Front street; terms to suit. Apply 103 East Fourth St., near Park Ave., Bacon. 6 11 tf

FOR SALE—An elegant lot on East Second street, size 50x200 feet; close to town; just the spot for a good double house. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

FOR SALE—House and lot, on West Fourth street, near Grant avenue; 10 rooms, city water and toilet; rents for two families; a bargain for some one. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

FOR SALE—At one-half cost, 5-horse Westinghouse compound engine (Junior) in good condition; cost $250; our price $125. Call at Daily Press office. tf

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Makes the finest, lightest, best flavored biscuit, hot-breads, cake and pastry. Renders the food more digestible and wholesome.

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EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Feb. 17: "Studies in Christian Experience." (The Divine Purpose For Us.)

By REV. WALTER J. YATES, D. D.

Eph. iv, 11-16; Acts xx, 28-32; Rom. xii, 1, 2; Eph. v, 26, 27.

"Till we all attain * * * * unto the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ."

"That He might present the church to Himself, a glorious church, not having spot or wrinkle or any such thing."

Christian experience, what does it mean? What do you mean by experience of any sort? Sit down by yourself awhile and think back and see what you have passed through and what you have brought out of all the past. What have you today? What are you now? Different from what you were, to be sure. Have you an idea of what you might have been, different from what you are? Have you any deep wish that you might be sometime and somehow different from what you have been and other than what you now know yourself to be?

How deep that craving after personal betterment does go with us when we allow yourselves to get free from all the false values of life and let the deep and true tones of life sound their notes through the whole being. How deeply we wish we might see some one who was just what we think a true man should be. Oh, yes, we have seen many fine specimens, but none just what we would like. Every one we have met has his limitations, his breaking point, his weaknesses. We have ours. What we want is some one who has none—the true nobleman. He should be our hero, our leader. We would follow him and become like him. We could be noble ourselves if only one were here who was himself all that we would like him to be and he would teach us how to be like himself.

Something of this desire is deep down in every soul if only it could be aroused to active power.

The Master has come. He calleth for thee.

Study the Christ life and character until you can see if they do not meet all your requirements. How would it be if you were like Him?

Then there is a plan of God—ideal, to be sure, but all the more real—of what the whole company of us might be together in developing society. All this is glimpsed in that letter to the Ephesians. What a company we would be if each of us were of the height of Jesus Christ! If we had come up to the full measurements of his life, what a race we would be, what a sight for angels and all heavenly existences!

Well, we can do it. God intends we shall do it. What do you intend? Perhaps you never thought of it before. Better begin now to do some thinking about it. It is really worth your while. Nothing else is worth while until you have done just this thing.

Estimate your own size morally and spiritually. What do you stand for in this God's world, anyhow? What force have you for good and right? What have you ever amounted to? What do you now amount to? Power you have certainly and are using it too. What is its force, and in what direction, and what its results?

Do you want to be somebody worth while? Then go to school to Jesus Christ. Let Him train you until you find yourself daily growing to do and be and to look like Him; stretching up and expanding into something of His fullness; from within, getting bigger in conceptions and intentions and in accomplishment; getting into God's great world purposes and getting them into you.

Ah, that is experience worth having, work worth doing! You can think God's thoughts and join in His purposes and share His blessedness and final joy.

Is it not worth while? Better begin. Best keep on to the end.

Can't Work by Two Lights.

It is said to be almost axiomatic with artists that you "can't work by two lights." If one expects to have the proper effect of light and shade he must have one definite, clear, strong light. Said an artist to me in his studio recently: "My studio is a northern exposure, the northern light always being the softest. I always work by one light." He sets his easel so that the light from the throne of God will be thrown upon his work. He paints the image of Christ on all that he does. If he cannot see the image he is miserable. He sees his profession reflected in everything. We may impart light to others in such a way that we will not have less light, but more light, for we may walk by two lights in place of one. God's first work of creation was to give light to the senses. His last was to enlighten the reason, and His continuous work today is to enlighten the spiritual man. Man must do his work either in the light of God or in the artificial light of Satan. He cannot work by the natural and artificial light combined. The one hinders or eclipses the other. You cannot work by two lights any more than you can serve both God and Mammon. Are you working by the light which giveth life or by the light that lures to destruction?—Christian Work and Evangelist.

Money and the Christian.

The proper gain and use of money is a part of the normal Christian's life. He must have some rules about it; otherwise he will blunder ahead, acquiring and spending blindly to no especial purpose except personal ambition. Wesley's motto lays down three straight tracks toward a right goal:

Make all you can honestly,
Save all you can prudently,
Give all you can possibly.

—Forward.

Corporation Notice.

Plainfield, N. J., February 4, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Michael F. Watson has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at No. 211 Grant avenue, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by Michael F. Watson.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the twenty-fifth instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

JAMES T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., February 4, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Jerome W. Leary has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at Corner of Park avenue and East Second street, in the First ward, which application is signed by J. W. Leary.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the twenty-fifth instant.

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JAMES T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., February 4, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Henry Haurand has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at No. 115 East Front street, in the First ward, which application is signed by Henry Haurand.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the twenty-fifth instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

JAMES T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., February 4, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Jacob Blimm has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at No. 37 Somerset street, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by Jacob Blimm.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the twenty-fifth instant.

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JAMES T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., February 4, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that John Clark and Frank Clark have applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at No. 456 West Third street, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by John Clark and Frank Clark.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the twenty-fifth instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

JAMES T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., February 4, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that H. F. Windham has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at Nos. 142-144 East Front street, in the First ward, which application is signed by H. F. Windham.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the twenty-fifth instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

JAMES T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., February 4, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that John A. Staats has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at Nos. 107-109-111 North avenue, in the First ward, which application is signed by John A. Staats.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the twenty-fifth instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

JAMES T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., February 4, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that John Rafferty has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Saloon license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at No. 213 Park avenue, in the First ward, which application is signed by John Rafferty.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the twenty-fifth instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

JAMES T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., February 4, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Christian Gloekler has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Saloon license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at Nos. 102-104 West Front street, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by Christian Gloekler.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the twenty-fifth instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

JAMES T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., February 4, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Alexander D. Findlay has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Saloon license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at No. 123 East Second street, in the First ward, which application is signed by Alexander D. Findlay.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the twenty-fifth instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

JAMES T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., February 4, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Frank Linke has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Wholesale license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at No. 227 West Front street, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by Frank Linke.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the twenty-fifth instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

JAMES T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., February 4, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that The Eastern Bottling Company has applied to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield for a Wholesale license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at Southerly corner of West Second street and Central avenue, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by John A. MacArthur, Its Secretary and Treasurer.

All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the twenty-fifth instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

JAMES T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

Corporation Notice.

Notice is hereby given that an ordinance, entitled "An Ordinance to Establish the Grade on Elmwood Place, Arlington Place, Pruden's Alley, Cottage Place, Exchange Alley, West End Avenue and Denmark Road, and Portions of Randolph Road, South Second Street and West Third Street," a copy of which is subjointed to this notice, has been introduced before the Common Council, read the second time, and ordered engrossed preparatory to its third reading, and that it is the intention of the Common Council to adopt such ordinance at the regular meeting of the Common Council to be held in the Council Chamber, No. 149 North Avenue, in the City of Plainfield, N. J., at eight o'clock p. m., on Monday, the fourth day of March, A. D. Nineteen Hundred and Seven, at which time and place prior to the adoption of said ordinance, said ordinance will be considered by the Common Council, and all persons interested may be heard before the Common Council with reference to the proposed ordinance.

By order of the Common Council.

JAMES T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., February 4, 1907.

AN ORDINANCE

To Establish the Grade on Elmwood Place, Arlington Place, Pruden's Alley, Cottage Place, Exchange Alley, West End Avenue and Denmark Road, and Portions of Randolph Road, South Second Street and West Third Street.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield by their Common Council do enact as follows:

Section 1. That the grades marked and shown on the maps and profiles entitled "Profiles of Elmwood Place, Arlington Place and Pruden's Alley, City of Plainfield, N. J.;" "Profiles of Cottage Place and Exchange Alley, City of Plainfield, N. J.;" "Profile of West End Avenue, City of Plainfield, N. J.;" "Profile of Denmark Road, City of Plainfield, N. J.;" "Profile of Randolph Road from Plainfield Avenue to Arlington Avenue, City of Plainfield, N. J.;" "Profile of South Second Street from Manson Place to Clinton Avenue, City of Plainfield, N. J.;" "Profile of West Third Street from Monroe Avenue to Clinton Avenue, City of Plainfield, N. J.;" all made by Andrew J. Gavett, City Surveyor, and filed in the office of the City Clerk on the fourth day of February, Nineteen Hundred and Seven, be and the same are hereby adopted and established as the official grades to which all curbs shall be maintained and in conformity with which all macadamizing shall be constructed as provided by law and the ordinances of the City of Plainfield, and that all ordinances and parts of ordinances establishing other or different grades than those shown by said maps and profiles and hereby established be and the same are hereby repealed.

Corporation Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the following Ordinance has been introduced before the Common Council, read the second time and ordered engrossed preparatory to its third reading, and that it is the intention of the Council to adopt the same.

J. T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.
Plainfield, N. J., February 4, 1907.

AN ORDINANCE

To Amend An Ordinance, Entitled, "An Ordinance to Provide For the Licensing and Regulation of Peddlers, Hawkers, Cartmen, Hack, Omnibus, Stage and Truck Owners, and Drivers," Approved March 14, 1882, as Amended.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That section 1 of the Ordinance to which this is an amendment be, and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 1. That the Mayor of the said city is hereby authorized to grant licenses under his hand and the seal of the city to so many and to such persons as he shall think proper, of good moral character, and otherwise qualified according to the provisions of this ordinance, and to incorporated companies, to carry on, wholly or in part, within the limits of the city, the business of peddler, hawker or cartman, to drive or keep for use for hire a hack, omnibus, stage, truck or other vehicle for the transportation of passengers, baggage or merchandise, according to the provisions of this ordinance; and the City Clerk shall keep a detailed record of all licenses so granted."

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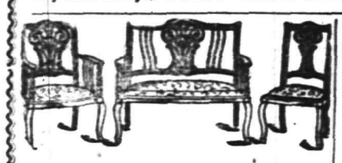

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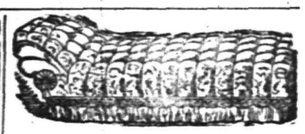

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Topic.—An easy life versus a hard one. —II Tim. ii, 1-13.

No human life is wholly one of ease, nor is there one perhaps that is entirely characterized by hardness. In the easiest life there are some hardships, and in the hardest one there is some silver lining to the cloud. But in some lives ease predominates, and in others hardness has the supreme place. These principles also apply to the Christian life, of which the apostle writes to Timothy. To some Christians life is easy, or, at least, they take it easy. Their only anxiety seems to be to get into heaven, and they shun as far as possible the difficult places in the Christian's pathway. Their supreme aim is to be—

Carried to the skies
On flowery beds of ease,
While others fight to win the prize
And sail through bloody seas.

But while to many the easy life may seem the more desirable, yet it is really not so. Ease is not conducive to strength or even to happiness. The men of the world who have made the greatest success of life have usually been those to whom life has been a struggle, a battle, and in their toils and conflicts they have not only won success, but have experienced the greatest joy and happiness. The joys of ease are not to be compared to the joy of victory in battle, success against odds and notable achievement even in the face of adversity. Ease weakens, hardness strengthens; ease is unproductive, hardness produces the best results; ease is selfish, hardness is self denying, and the Christian, above all others, should possess the qualities of hardness rather than those of ease.

To live a consistent, conscientious Christian life is not easy. It is easy to become a Christian, but most difficult to live a Christian life. No one should make the mistake of thinking that a life in Christ and for Christ will be an easy life. The temptations of life are to be met and overcome. The enemies and foes of Christianity are to be withstood. The Christian life is indeed a warfare, and not even a warfare against flesh and blood, but against evil spiritual agencies—Satan and his emissaries. But it is such a life that develops true Christian character and that best exemplifies the life of our Lord and Master Jesus Christ. He knew no ease in His life. He was "a man of sorrows and acquainted with grief." Constant conflict was his lot. Satan used all his power to overcome Him. Man opposed Him even to the end of accomplishing His death. Sacrifice, self denial, enduring hardness and bitterest soul agonies were His portion on earth. The servant cannot expect to be better than his Lord nor the disciple than his Master.

Let us not, therefore, sigh *for a life* of ease, but joy in the *fact that* we also must "endure hardness as good soldiers of Jesus Christ." And in our struggles and conflicts let us be strong, not in our own strength, but "be strong in the grace that is in Christ Jesus." And when the way seems very hard let us be encouraged by remembering that, having suffered with Christ, we shall also reign with Him.

BIBLE READINGS.

Josh. i, 1-7; Matt. x, 38-42; Mark viii, 34-38; Luke ix, 23; Rom. vii, 19-25; Acts xv, 25, 26; II Cor. xi, 24-33; Eph. vi, 10-18; Phil. iii, 7-14; I John v, 1-5.

Ideals Should Be High.

Dissatisfaction with low ideals in your Endeavor society does not mean a contest for supremacy above the societies of your town or city; not a struggle for members and social influence; not a contest for the greatest number of testimonies in a given time, or a banner in a Christian Endeavor rally, or even the greatest enthusiasm in committee work as the sole object of our endeavor. No, God so loved the world that he organized your Endeavor society and put it into a community where human need extends its withered hand for help and you pass on singing,

Onward, Christian soldier,
Marching as to war,

and heed not the skeleton fingers clutching at your saintly robes, begging for the bread of life?

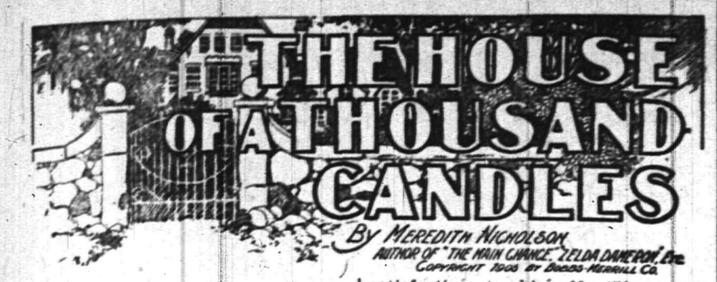
A high ideal with man means some lonely, lofty position toward which he struggles and climbs and finally attains only when he has pulled down and crushed his last proud opponent in the race. Men look down upon the masses. God dwells with them, suffers with them, leads them one by one to victory. We are too willing to worship in a temple made with hands, its gleaming marble chilled with our vain theories. When the veil of this temple is rent in twain we stand face to face with God's ideal, and then we realize our individual responsibility. —Herbert R. Chapman.

New Honor For Noted Endeavorer.

John Willis Baer, for long years the general secretary of the United Society of Christian Endeavor, known and loved the world over, was inaugurated president of Occidental college, Los Angeles, Cal., under most auspicious circumstances the other day. It is now President Baer, LL. D., and the whole Christian Endeavor world rejoices in the new and deserved honors that have come to a consecrated, hardworking, consistent member of the movement.

New Life and Zeal.

Dr. Alexander Whyte, the distinguished Edinburgh preacher and author, returning from a tour among the highland congregations driven from their churches by the "Wee Frees," reports that he found not despair, but a new life, and he especially speaks of the zeal of the young people in forming Christian Endeavor societies.



CHAPTER VIII.

A String of Gold Beads.

A moment after I had flung myself down before the fire, Bates entered with a fresh supply of wood. I watched him narrowly for some sign of perturbation, but he was not to be caught off guard. Possibly he had not heard the shots in the wood; at any rate, he tended the fire with his usual gravity, and after brushing the hearth paused respectfully.

"Is there anything further, sir?"

"I believe not, Bates. Oh! here's a hammer I picked up out in the grounds a bit ago. I wish you'd see if it belongs to the house."

He examined the implement with care and shook his head.

"It doesn't belong here, I think, sir. But we sometimes find tools left by the carpenters that worked on the house. Shall I put this in the tool chest, sir?"

"Never mind. I need such a thing now and then and I'll keep it handy."

"Very good, Mr. Glenarm."

We were not getting anywhere; the fellow was certainly an incomparable actor.

"You must find it pretty lonely here, Bates? Don't hesitate to go to the village when you like."

"I thank you, Mr. Glenarm; but I am not much for idling. I keep a few books by me for the evenings. Annandale is not what you would exactly call a diverting village."

"I fancy not. But the caretaker over at the summer resort has even a lonelier time, I suppose. That's what I'd call a pretty cheerless job,—watching summer cottages in the winter."

"That's Morgan, sir. I meet him occasionally when I go to the village; he's a very worthy person, I should call him, on slight acquaintance."

"No doubt of it, Bates. Any time through the winter you want to have him in for a social glass, it's all right with me."

When I plunged into the wood in the middle of the next afternoon it was with the definite purpose of returning to the upper end of the lake for an interview with Morgan, who had, so Bates informed me, a small house back of the cottages.

I took the canoe I had chosen for my own use from the boat-house and paddled up the lake. The air was still warm, but the wind that blew out of the south tasted of rain. I scanned the water and the borders of the lake for signs of life,—more particularly, I may as well admit, for a certain maroon canoe and a girl in a red tam-o'-shanter; but lake and summer cottages were mine alone. I landed and began at once my search for Morgan. There were many paths through the woods back of the cottages, and I followed several futilely before I at last found a small house snugly hid away in a thicket of young maples.

The man I was looking for came to the door quickly in response to my knock.

"Good afternoon, Morgan."

"Good afternoon, Mr. Glenarm," he said, taking his pipe from his mouth the better to grin at me. He showed no sign of surprise, and I was nettled by his cool reception. There was, I felt, a certain element of recklessness in my visit to the house of a man who had shown so singular an interest in my affairs, and his cool greeting vexed me.

"Morgan—" I began.

"Won't you come in and rest yourself, Mr.' Glenarm?" he interrupted. "I reckon you're tired from your trip over—"

"Thank you, no," I snapped.

"Suit yourself, Mr. Glenarm." He seemed to like my name and gave it a disagreeable drawling emphasis.

"Morgan, you are an infernal blackguard. You have tried twice to kill me—"

"We'll call it that, if you like,"—and he grinned. "But you'd better cut off one for this."

He lifted the gray fedora hat from his head, and poked his finger through a hole in the top.

"You're a pretty fair shot, Mr. Glenarm. The fact about me is,"—and he winked,—"the honest truth is, I'm all out of practice. Why, sir, when I saw you paddling out on the lake this afternoon I sighted you from the casino half a dozen times with my gun, but I was afraid to risk it." He seemed to be shaken with inner mirth. "If I'd missed, I wasn't sure you'd be scared to death!"

For a novel diversion I heartily recommend a meeting with the assassin who has, only a few days or hours before, tried to murder you. I know of nothing in the way of social adventure that is quite equal to it.

"Morgan, I hope you understand that I am not responsible for any injury my grandfather may have inflicted on you. I hadn't seen him for several years before he died. I was never at Glenarm before in my life, so it's a little rough for you to visit your displeasure on me."

He smiled tolerantly as I spoke. I knew—and he knew that I did—that no ill feeling against my grandfather lay back of his interest in my affairs.

"You're not quite the man your grandfather was, Mr. Glenarm. You'll excuse my bluntness, but I take it that you're a frank man yourself. He was a very keen person, and, I'm afraid"—he chuckled with evident satisfaction to himself,—"I'm really afraid, Mr. Glenarm, that you're not!"

"There you have it, Morgan! I fully agree with you! I'm as dull as an oyster; that's the reason I've called on you for enlightenment. Consider that I'm here under a flag of truce, and let's see if we can't come to an agreement."

"It's too late, Mr. Glenarm; too late. There was a time when we might have done some business; but that's past now. You seem like a pretty decent fellow, too, and I'm sorry I didn't see you sooner; but better luck next time."

"Well," I said, seeing that I should only make myself ridiculous by trying to learn anything from him, "I hope our little spats through windows and on walls won't interfere with our pleasant social relations. And I don't hesitate to tell you,"—I was exerting myself to keep down my anger,—"that if I catch you on my ground again I'll fill you with lead and sink you in the lake."

"Thank you, sir," he said, with so perfect an imitation of Bates' voice and manner that I smiled in spite of myself.

"And now, if you'll promise not to fire into my back I'll wish you good day. Otherwise—"

He snatched off his hat and bowed profoundly. "It'll suit me much better to continue handling the case on your own grounds," he said, as though he referred to a business matter. "Killing a man on your own property requires some explaining—you may have noticed it?"

"Yes; I commit most of my murders away from home," I said. "I formed the habit early in life. Good day, Morgan."

As I turned away he closed his door with a slam,—a delicate way of assuring me that he was acting in good faith, and not preparing to puncture my back with a rifle ball. I regained the lake shore, feeling no great discouragement over the lean results of my interview, but rather a fresh zest for the game, whatever the game might be.

The sun was going his ruddy way beyond St. Agatha's as I drove my canoe into a little cove near which the girl in the tam-o'-shanter had disappeared the day before. The shore was high here and at the crest was a long curved bench of stone, boldly reminiscential of Alma Tadema, and as clearly the creation of John Marshall Glenarm as though his name had been carved upon it.

It was assuredly a spot for a pipe and a mood, and as the shadows crept through the wood before me and the water, stirred by the rising wind, began to beat below, I invoked the one and yielded to the other. Something in the withered grass at my feet caught my eye. I bent and picked up a string of gold beads, dropped there, no doubt, by some girl from the school or careless member of the summer colony. I counted the separate beads—they were round and there were 50 of them. The proper length for one turn about a girl's throat, perhaps; not more than that! I lifted my eyes and looked off toward St. Agatha's.

"Child of the red tam-o'-shanter, I'm very sorry I was rude to you yesterday, for I liked your steady stroke with the paddle; and I admired, even more, the way you spurned me when you saw that among all the cads in the world I am number one in Class A. And these golden bubbles (O girl of the red tam-o'-shanter!), if they are not yours you shall help me to find the owner, for we are neighbors, you and I, and there must be peace between our houses."

With this foolishness I rose, thrust the beads into my pocket, and paddled home in the waning glory of the sunset.

That night, as I was going quite late to bed, bearing a candle to light me through the dark hall to my room, I heard a curious sound, as of some one walking in the house. At first I thought Bates was still abroad, but I waited, listening for several minutes, without being able to mark the exact direction of the sound or to identify it with him. I went on to the door of my room, and still a muffled step seemed to follow me,—first it had come from below, then it was much like some one going up stairs,—but where? In my own room I still heard steps, light, slow but distinct. Again there was a stumble and a hurried recovery,—ghosts, I reflected, do not fall down stairs!

The sound died away, seemingly in some distant part of the house, and though I prowled about for an hour it did not recur that night.

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Elizabeth, Feb. 14.—The tendency among local building contractors to "go easy" on propositions for new construction during the coming spring and summer is taken to indicate that likelihood of trouble with their employees, particularly the journeymen bricklayers and plumbers. The former are said to be contemplating a demand for an increase in wages from fifty to fifty-five or possibly sixty cents an hour, while the plumbers, who are now getting $3.75 a day, are expected to demand $4 or $4.25.

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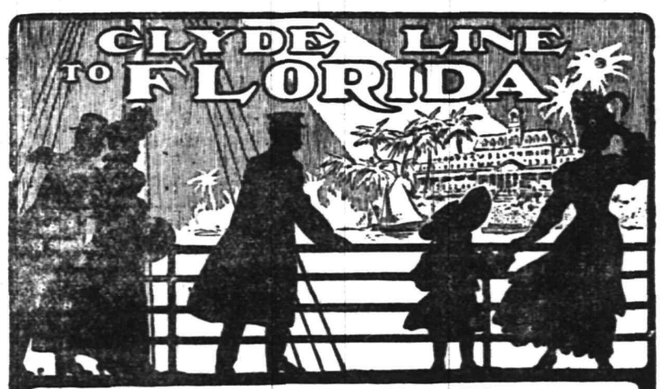

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LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

"The Shoemaker," which is to hold the boards at the New Plainfield theatre next Saturday afternoon and night, will introduce Joe Welch, the popular comedian and character actor, in a type new to the dramatic stage. It is that of a Hebrew shoemaker who plies his trade in a cellar on the Bowery, New York. The piece, which is in four acts, is by Hal Reid, who has written many successful plays. Mr. Welch is one of the few artists before the public who possess versatility and talent. As a character actor he commands a very unusual range of humor and besides, has a capacity for genuine feeling which gives rare substance and conviction to whatever he does. His personality appeals because whatever role he essays he breathes and lives the part.

An offering of more than usual merit comes to the New Plainfield theatre next Monday afternoon and night, when Charles E. Blaney's newest production, "Parted on Her Bridal Tour," by Laura Jean Libbey and James R. Carey will have its premiere performance in this city. The patrons of the New Plainfield theatre are fortunate in being able to see this great drama as but a limited number of cities outside of New York are to be visited this season. Miss Libbey and Mr. Carey have written a story of great strength and purity in "Parted on Her Bridal Tour;" you will find a different heroine in Irene Middleton as played by Victory Bateman. She is a woman who we all pity and respect, not one of the "Stand back villain sort," but little of the melodrama in "Parted on Her Bridal Tour." In its place will be good wholesome comedy drama, the sort of a play that leaves us better men and women for having seen it.

The playgoers of this city are to have a chance next Tuesday night to see "Checkers." The play, which is by Henry M. Blossom, Jr., is the breezy dramatization of the breezy book of the same name and it is said to be breezily acted. Since its initial appearance three seasons ago, "Checkers" has been dividing its time between New York, Chicago, Boston, Philadelphia, Cincinnati, Pittsburg and St. Louis, and a few smaller towns, and not only did the New York critics speak as if in once voice (for the first time, lo—in many moons) and in emphatic praise of the play, company and production, but self reliant and young Chicago and conservative Boston and Philadelphia endorsed their opinion. It has played its fourteenth engagement in New York.

Mr. Kyrle Bellew comes to the New Plainfield theatre next Wednesday night in "A Marriage of Reason," a drama of international marriage by J. Hartley Manners. Mr. Bellew is Plainfield's favorite romantic actor and in diplomatic, army and navy and society sets throughout the nation his prestige is the highest enjoyed by any contemporary player either English or American. He has been a sailor and soldier himself, and officer of Her Majesty's Navy and a lion in the West end of London. His new play, "A Marriage of Reason," is frankly fashionable. It deals with noblemen and noblewomen. The action is intensely dramatic, crowded with incident and replete with original situations, but it is always perfectly bred in thorough good form and redolent of aristocracy.

In "The Daughters of Men," Charles Klein's new play, which will be seen at the New Plainfield theatre Washington's birthday afternoon and night, a new subject is presented—capital and labor. This great subject is handled with deftness and intelligence and with an object in view. The play is replete with stirring scenes and brilliant dialogue, and the scene at the close of the great second act where John Stedman, the labor leader, brings "capital and labor" together is one that will, on account of its realism and truth, linger long in the memory of those who witness this remarkable drama.

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Fred Williams, of Somerset street, has returned from a business trip to Paris.

Mrs. W. C. DeLanoy, of Short Hills, is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. Edgar Corlies, of Road Ending, for a few days.

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Bowling and General Sports

KIELY AND RUNYON MAKE HIGH TEAM SCORE

TOP OFF TOTAL OF 446 IN A TOURNEY GAME.

Through the phenomenal pin smashing on the part of Judge Runyon, a new high team score in the bowling tourney at McLaughlin's was made last night. Without having warmed up previously the judge started off at fever heat and topped off a 255 score. His partner, Chief Kiely, followed the hot pace fairly well and ended with 192, the combined result being 446, just fourteen more than the previous high record made by Gaddis and Dilks early last month. They were rolling against Radin and Ackor who put up a couple of high scores but could do nothing against such crazy pit hitting. The municipal representatives copped the other two games as well, making a clean sweep for the evening.

Kiely and Runyon were scheduled to roll three other games against the Schaub brothers, the Raritan team, but these were put off because of an accident to the chief. While in the act of throwing a ball in the first game of this series, he struck his knee with it and strained a ligament. By mutual consent the game was cancelled and the series will be rolled next week. The injury to the chief's knee was quite serious and he still feels the effect of it today.

Later in the evening, the Schaubs took a try at Nash and Skelly and beat them three straight. The scores made on both sides were medium grade, John Schaub being the only one to get a double century.

The scores:

Kiely	192	188	223
Runyon	254	152	165
	446	340	388
vs.			
Radin	197	173	185
Ackor	180	183	181
	377	356	366
Nash	154	134	195
Skelly	165	190	146
	319	324	341
vs.			
W. Schaub	169	182	165
J. Schaub	168	181	201
	337	363	366

PARKS FINAL STRUGGLE.

Local Bowler to Clinch Trophy Must Win Tonght.

Upon the result of tonight's bowling match between the Park Club team and the Cranford Casino at Cranford will depend the outcome of the tournament. The Parks now hold the lead by a small margin, with Elizabeth a close second. The local five must win two of the three games tonight to retain first place, while if they lose two games it will make them tie with Elizabeth for first place.

The Parks have a harder task tonight than Elizabeth which rolls the tailenders in the league, Newark Bay. The Cranford team is a dark horse in the race. While it is true that it has not made such a good showing away from home, on its own alleys it has proved a stumbling block to nearly every other team in the league. The Parks and Elizabeth are pretty evenly matched, with the advantage slightly in favor of the locals. It is believed, however, that the Parks will not have much trouble in taking two games from Cranford tonight. This will give them the championship no matter what the result of the Elizabeth-Newark Bay match. Tonight's matches will wind-up the season tournament, the third game being between Westfield and Roselle at Roselle.

BASKETBALL.

The basketball team of the 26th Ward Branch of the Y. M. C. A., Brooklyn, will play the local Y. M. C. A. five, here, Monday night.

The Y. M. C. A. junior basketball five will go after its tenth straight victory this afternoon. It will play the Leal's junior team.

GOLF.

The Park Golf Club will hold its annual meeting early in March, when trustees and officers will be elected and plans for the coming season formed.

VARIOUS SPORTS.

The running high jump and the running long dive will be the events run off in the Y. M. C. A. athletic championship competition tonight.

Picking Y. M. C. A. Team.

Members of the team to meet Passaic in the running high jump and the running long dive events at the dual meet Feb. 21, will be picked tonight at the Y. M. C. A. when the men in the all-around competition will meet in the jump and dive. The three best men in each event will be picked. Other candidates will be tried out tomorrow night.

—The Y. M. C. A. five will play the Hudson City team, at Jersey City, in the Y. M. C. A. basketball league, Saturday night.

Bulldog Kills Woman.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 14.—Mrs. Lena Smith, who was terribly bitten by a vicious bulldog at her home Tuesday night, died in a hospital yesterday. The dog was whipped by Mrs. Smith Monday and showed resentment. She went into the kitchen last evening with meat for the dog and was immediately attacked. She was thrown to the floor, and her arm was torn into shreds, being amputated later. Attracted by Mrs. Smith's screams, her husband killed the dog with a poker.

Library Workmen Die.

New York, Feb. 14.—One man was instantly killed, another so badly injured that he died later in Bellevue Hospital, and two others hurt as a result of the collapse of a scaffold on the top of third floor of the New York Public Library building, in course of construction in Fifth avenue at Forty-first street, yesterday afternoon. The dead are: Thomas O'Keefe, of No. 916 Second avenue, a sheet metal worker; Thomas Henry Huston, of No. 699 Tenth avenue, a painter.

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CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The members of Emanuel Circle, King's Daughters, of Faith chapel, have arranged a sleighing party for tonight.

The regular monthly meeting of the Missionary Aid Society of Warren chapel will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The Boys' Athletic Club of the First Baptist church will meet tomorrow night to further consider the question of forming a baseball team for the Sunday-school Athletic League.

Superintendent E. E. Parvin, of Warren chapel Sunday-school, will entertain the teachers of his department at his home on Watchung avenue tonight.

The Boys' Mission Band of Trinity Reformed church will hold a special meeting tomorrow night to decide about an entertainment to be given early in March.

The City Union, Kings' Daughters, committees are making steady progress in their work of preparation for the big fair to be held at the Casino on April 10, 11 and 12.

The Christian and Missionary Alliance Society will meet in the W. C. T. U. rooms tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock for Bible study and prayer. Mrs. Humphrey, of New York, will be in charge.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the First Presbyterian church will hold a sociable tonight at the home of Fred. C. Lounsbury, Jr., on Plainfield avenue. All the members of the society as well as the young people of the church and congregation are invited.

All the pleasures of a summer-time picnic will be enjoyed in Vincent chapel tomorrow night, when the Epworth League will hold an indoor outing. There will be golf, croquet and tennis, while for those who do not care to play games there will be hammock, shady lawns and comfortable seats so that they may watch the others. Miss Helen Whitney is the chairman of the entertainment and society committee.

The Presbyterian Brotherhood of the synod of New Jersey was formally organized Tuesday at the convention of men's societies of the Presbyterian church of New Jersey, in the Fourth Presbyterian church, Trenton. Judge William M. Manning was elected president; Ellwood C. Harris, of Newark; Stephen Pierson, of Morristown, and John T. Tatem, of Haddonfield, vice presidents; John E. Gill, of Trenton, secretary, and Edward W. Dunham, of Trenton, treasurer.

MAKING A MODEL OF TUBERCULOSIS TENT.

Copy of One Used in Treating Michael Muldowney; Example of Best Shelter.

With the idea of assisting in the plan to educate the people in the care and treatment of tuberculosis Mayor Charles J. Fisk is having an exact model made of the tent which is located on the Casino grounds and which was used by Michael Muldowney during his long illness. The tent and its general equipment were made from plans drafted by a physician who is at the head of a camp in the Adirondacks where tuberculosis and consumption is treated by the outdoor method.

In the opinion of Dr. B. VanD. Hedges, as well as other local physicians, the tent and system employed for the care of Michael Muldowney was the best known and represented nearly the ideal in the treatment of such disease. During the past year the various boards of health throughout the State have been conducting a campaign against tuberculosis and every possible means is being employed to educate the people in methods to prevent its spread.

James Cuzen, of West End avenue, made the tent in which Michael Muldowney lived and he has been engaged to make a miniature model which will be sent to Trenton for exhibition purposes in the State Board of Health department. So far as known this is the first time the outdoor treatment has been tried to any extent in the State and it is largely for educational purposes that the exhibition will be made at Trenton.

—The assortment of fancy fruits and vegetables at Neuman Brothers is always fresh and is selected with great care. During this week the specialties are Indian River oranges and grape fruit, Oregon Spitzenberg apples, Boston head lettuce, radishes, cucumbers and tomatoes.

EXPLOSION AT BAYONNE RESEMBLED EARTHQUAKE.

Shock So Severe Inhabitants Fled From Homes In a Panic.

The lower part of Manhattan Island, Brooklyn, Long Island City, Staten Island, Jersey City and other towns in New Jersey were shaken as by a small earthquake at 10:37 o'clock this morning by the explosion of an oil tank containing 1,500 barrels of petroleum in the Standard Oil works at Constable Hook, Bayonne.

The explosion was so severe in the town of Bayonne itself that the inhabitants rushed from their houses in a panic, firmly believing that an earthquake had occurred.

The buildings shook and tottered. The window panes in hundreds of houses were shattered. Furniture danced and pictures fell from the walls and crockery was broken. Pedestrians on the streets were thrown from their feet. People rushed wildly hither and thither in terror of another shock. It was not for an hour that the real cause of the shock became known to the people generally. Then an enormous crowd rushed toward the Standard Oil works.

The shock was hardly less severe in Staten Island, across the Kill von Kull. People on the north shore were thrown into panic and rushed from their houses. Buildings were shaken and here, similarly, window panes crashed in scores. The word earthquake was on everybody's lips.

The tank took fire and a great column of flame shot high. The Standard Oil Company maintains its own fire department, which went to work at once.

No loss of life had been reported up to noon.

WAKELEE ON DEFEAT OF SENATOR DRYDEN.

Declares That Prudential President's Overthrow Was for People's Best Interest.

Rutherford, Feb. 14.—A spirit of patriotism was the feature of the first annual banquet of the Rutherford Republican Club, held in the auditorium of the Union Clubhouse, in honor of the memory of Abraham Lincoln.

Charles R. Saley, president of the club, presided, and at his right was Senator Edmund W. Wakelee, who delivered the principal speech.

Senator Wakelee said in part in his speech: "There looms up before us the greatest problem in our history, and it is a serious one, the interests of the common people against the great and powerful corporations, such as the railroads, the public service and the insurance companies. The Republican party is getting its eyes open and is advocating the control of these vast machines in order to give the people proper consideration. If these principles are to be carried out the people must elect to public office men who will carry out their wishes.

"We have had a case in point at Trenton, the contest over the United States Senatorship. I do not believe that there is a man in this audience who does not consider Senator John F. Dryden a man of remarkable ability, a good man, a man of the strictest integrity, but that by reason of his being the govering power of one of the greatest of insurance companies, the people have been brought to realize that he is not the man to continue in such an important position. Possessing that knowledge, myself and colleagues, who stood out against the Senator, were confronted with a difficult question.

"But the situation soon became clear, and our influence and votes were used in the interest of what we conscientiously believed to be for the best interests of the people."

A "PHILADELPHIA" CLUB.

Local Elks Making Ready to Attend Big Convention in the Quaker City.

At last night's meeting of Plainfield Lodge, B. P. O. E., the first active steps were taken by the members toward making a showing at the annual convention of the order in Philadelphia next July. A "Philadelphia" club was started and forty names were quickly enrolled. There is little doubt but what every member of the lodge will attend, however, and participate in the big parade.

The local representatives will adopt a uniform and there is a possibility that a band of music may be taken along. The convention promises to exceed any that has yet been given in point of attendance or elaborateness of detail. The city of Philadelphia has appropriated $50,000 to entertain the antlered host and the business men are raising another fund that will reach the same figure.

Wirth Loses Two More Horses.

John Wirth, the West Front street baker, who had two horses burned to death in the fire which partially destroyed his barn early last month, last two other animals this week. One died Monday and another dropped away yesterday. Some sort of Nemesis seems to be following Wirth or his animals as he has lost a large number of horses since entering business.

Heavy Cupid Mail.

The mail today, it was said at the post office this morning, was one of the heaviest in years. All the carriers were loaded down with valentines. Souvenir cards with St. Valentine trimmings were in the majority.

LITERARY.

In McClure's for February, the Christian Science serial steadily increases in interest and power. Mrs. Eddy's relations with P. P. Quimby, the mental healer of Portland, are taken up in this instalment, and a thoroughly convincing and able presentation of the man who was so potent an influence in her career is given. Mrs. Eddy's first visits to Quimby, her letters and verses in praise of him, and Mrs. Crosby's account of Mrs. Eddy's performances as the medium of her dead brother, Albert Baker, are presented, together with some striking facsimiles and portraits. William Allen White contributes in this number a brilliant analysis of Roosevelt and his career. The Campaign of 1860 is described in the Carl Schurz Reminscences, and dramatic episodes occurring at the time of Lincoln's nomination are related with much spirit and humor. John La Farge contributes a fine critical study of Sacred Conversations in painting. A. W. Rolker writes of "The Wild Animal Physician and His Patients," and recounts many thrilling illustrations of the courage and ingenuity that enter into this branch of medicine.

Success Magazine, in pursuance of its policy of opposition to legislative abuses, which led to the establishment of the People's Lobby, at Washington, directs the attention of its readers to a work of real, practical, legislative reform which has been going on quietly but in Wisconsin, where Charles McCarthy, a man "with a brogue, a Ph.D., and an idea" has almost driven the lobbyists of the "interests" out of business. In this article, "Putting the Lobbyists on the Square," Samuel Merwin describes the bureau conducted by Mr. McCarthy, shows its wonderful value, and traces the influence it has exerted in other sections of the country. "In five years," says Mr. Merwin, "McCarthy changed the scheme of lawmaking at Madison from a disastrous chaos to a scientific system."

The February number of The Metropolitan is the strongest and mast entertaining any magazine has put forth in many months. Powerful, absorbing articles and the very best fiction and verse make it almost a necessity to all who like good and timely reading. "The Scars of War," by John D. Wells, is a sympathetic account of the battlefields of Northern Virginia as they are today, compared with their condition forty-five years ago. War time sketches and photographs are placed side by side, with pictures of the same localities recently made.

The Red Book Magazine for February comes to hand with one of the most attractice covers it has ever had. Moreover, it is doubtful if any fiction publication at twice the price has ever contained better stories or a better list of names. Names, however, would not appear to count in The Red Book. The story seems to be the thing. Among the authors represented, are Maarten Maartens, the famous Dutch novelist, with a story, "Science and the Cow," designed primarily for mothers; Churchill Williams, whose name is familiar to novel readers, with a striking and intensely dramatic story of the steel mills entitled "Red Hagan;" Marvin Dana has a romantic tale entitled "The Wisdom of the Abbot," while Wilbur Nesbits' story "Valentine Timmons" is as spontaneous as a conversation in a country store.

Arthur Stringer, whose work in recent years has grown in strength and importance, is the author of the novel which opens the March number of The Smart Set. It is a love story of absorbing interest, entitled "Creeping Rails," depicting the passion of a wealthy woman for a musician who, in the end, proves worthy of her love. Mr. Stringer has done no better piece of work and this story will win him added admirers. John G. Neihardt, a new writer whose name is becoming known to magazine readers, is the author of a very short but powerful story, entitled "Mignon." "The Bashful Elder," by Grace MacGowan Cooke, is a delightfully humorous story of rural life; Seumas MacManus contributes another of his inimitable Irish tales, "For His Town's Sake;" and van Tassel Sutphen, a modern love story. Other writers of short fiction are Yorke Stevenson, Harriet Gaylord, Cecil Carlisle Pangman, Edward Clark Marsh, Walter E. Grogan and May Harris.

The new number of The American Magazine—the February number—is easily the best one issued so far by the new editors. It is full of snap. Miss Tarbell's Lincoln article is undoubtedly one of the great stories of the year. JosephineDaskam Bacon begins her new series, "We And Our Servants." The first article contains enough vital opinion and lively satire to keep the average family discussing the servant problem for a month. Frederic C. Howe reveals some astonishing facts about "Graft in England." Dr. Leonard Keene Hirshberg tells the truth about "Cancer, the Unconquered Plague." W. G. Fitz-Gerald reports the discovery, in South Africa, of a diamond three times bigger than any ever before found—a diamond bigger than a baseball. "The Interpreter" this month talks about Lincoln—a talk which the critic shrewdly suspects is from the pen of F. P. Dunne, the creator of "Mr. Dooley," although it is unsigned.

—Andrew Bentford, arrested for helpless drunkenness yesterday, was released under suspended sentence this morning by City Judge Runyon.

New Plainfield Theatre

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JOE WELSH in
THE SHOEMAKER.
PRICES—Matinee, 25c and 35c. Night, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c.

Mat. and Night, Monday, Feb. 18 Special Matinee at 2.15.
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A DRAMATIZATION OF MISS MIDDLETON'S LOVER,
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REMEMBER THE BARGAIN MATINEE.

TUESDAY, FEBR'Y 19
Kirke Lashelle's Original Production of Henry M. Blossom's
GREAT RACING PLAY

This Company is the only organization producing this popular character comedy, of which Dan Smith, of the Herald, has written:

"'Checkers' is the greatest play that ever struck New York."

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GREAT RACING PLAY

The company
Paula Gloy
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PRICES.....25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50

Wednesday, February 20—MR. KYRLE BELLEW in
A MARRIAGE OF REASON.
PRICES.....25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 22.
SPECIAL MATINEE WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY.
HARRY B. HARRIS Presents
The Daughters of Men.

By Charles Klein, author of "The Lion and The Mouse" and "The Music Master." Direct from Astor Theatre, N. Y., with
DOROTHY DONNELLY
AND A NOTABLE CAST.

"As great a popular success as 'The Lion and The Mouse'."—New York Sun.

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ROTH & CO
NEW JERSEY'S LEADING BUTCHERS

Lenten Specials for Friday, Feb. 15.

Fancy Weakfish	10c per lb
Haddock	10c per lb
Cucumber Smelts	2 lbs for 25c
Herring	4 lbs for 25c
Fancy Buck Shad	50c each

Halibut, Cod, Mackerel, Bluefish, Salmon, Spanish Mackerel, Porgies, Ciscoes, Butterfish.

Salt Mackerel, Salt Cod, Bloaters, Finan Haddies, Oysters and Clams.

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38 Markets in the State.

On Trial For Wife Murder.

Herman T. Ahl, whose trial for the murder of his wife was begun yesterday in the Hudson County Court of Oyer and Temriner, was confronted by his daughter and two sons, who were called as witnesses for the State, and who described how he had abused and threatened their dead mother. The testimony of his sixteen-year-old daughter was affecting. The crime was committed on June 20 last, the daughter's birthday, and stopped her celebration, to which a number of her friends had been invited. The murder was committed at their home in Hoboken. The two sons, small boys, were brought from an orphan asylum at College Point, Long Island. The defence will be insanity.

Norma Newcomer.

Norma, the five-year-old daughter of Mrs. John Newcomer, of Washington Valley, died last night. The funeral will be held at the parents' home tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock and interment will be at Scotch Plains.

Mrs. Mulligan's Funeral.

The funeral of Mrs. Maria L. Mulligan, widow of William Mulligan, who died suddenly yesterday morning, will be held at The Margaret, Arlington place, Saturday morning at 10:15.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

ROADSTERS' CALENDAR.
Sun Rises 6:55 a. m.
Sun Sets 5:24 p. m.
Lanterns must be lighted 6:34 p. m.

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THE WEATHER
Fair tonight and Saturday; slightly warmer tonight.
Maximum, 32, minimum, 16.
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MUTUAL BENEFIT PLANT

Employees Share in Profits of Manufacturing Concern's Business.

150 MEN BENEFITTED

Firm Contributes Half of Workmen's Aid Society Fund—Free Coffee For All the Men.

In order to promote a feeling of good-will between employer and employes, the Quincy-Manchester-Sergeant Company, which succeeded the Pudrick & Ayer Company, has adopted several novel ideas to attain the desired result and to all appearances has succeeded. The concern has 150 men on its payroll and at the present time there is not a more contented force of workmen in the city.

A short time ago one of the officials noticed that the men who remained in the shop at noon time partook of a cold lunch and decided that they would be much the better for the rest of the day by having a hot cup of coffee and gave instructions to see that they got it at the company's expense. Since then a woman comes to the place every day and when the noon whistle blows she has a great quantity of the beverage prepared. On an average about 125 pounds of coffee are used in a week and the amount is steadily growing. Since the innovation has been introduced the number of shop diners has almost doubled.

The shop force has a mutual benefit society for the protection of the members against sickness or injury and the company has further shown its kindness by aiding it in no small way. The men were notified that for every dollar they raised for this purpose the concern would add a similar amount and it has since been done. It means a donation of about $15 a week or $720 a year.

Still another plan that has been put into effect is to divide the company's profits for the year with the employes on a percentage business. When the amount is learned all the men who have been in the works for twelve months will receive a share based on the salary he commands. This method has been adopted by other factories in the State and is said to have worked to the advantage of both capital and labor.

R. A. ENTERTAINMENT.

Plainfield Council Entertains Its Women Friends.

Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum, gave a "ladies' night" entertainment in its rooms in the Babcock building, last night. The programme was in charge of a committee consisting of H. W. Hanaford, chairman; William Carr and Regent William R. Townsend. There were piano selections by Miss Boss and then the first part of the evening was occupied by Prof. Irving, who gave a clever exhibition of magic. Grand Vice Regent Harry D. Ward, of Trenton, made a short address in which he set forth the objects and benefits of the order, citing several instances where widows and orphans have been well taken care of by reason of the fact that their husbands and fathers were Arcanumites.

Charles Simonson, who is not a stranger here, entertained with humorous stories and topical songs. He was accompanied on the piano by Miss Boss. The programme closed with additional sleight -of-hand by Prof. Irving.

King's Daughters on a Strawride.

Thirty members of Emanuel Circle, King's Daughters, of Faith chapel, enjoyed a sleigh ride to Rahway last night. The affair was arranged by a committee consisting of Miss Mackey, Miss Viebrock and Miss Bertha Peck, and besides clearing expenses the circle cleared $7.50 for its work. It was about 11:15 when the party returned to Plainfield and then a social hour was spent at the home of Mrs. Valentine Utzinger, on Grandview avenue, where refreshments were served.

Quietly Observe Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Murray, Jr., of West Fourth street, who observed the twenty-fifth anniversary of their wedding, yesterday, entertained members of the family at their home, last night, including Mr. Murray's parents, his brothers and sisters. The celebration was a quiet one owing to the serious illness of Mr. Murray's sister-in-law, Mrs. James Murray, of New York.

Rev. Dr. Chambliss Will Preach.

Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss, pastor of the First Baptist church, will occupy his pulpit on Sunday and preach both morning and evening. After the morning service, Captain George Benn, who is identified with the Mission Yacht Association, of Brooklyn, will speak for a few minutes. No collection will be taken for this work.

ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT AT WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

MR. AND MRS. ST. JOHN 25 YEARS MARRIED—DAUGHTER TO WED.

In honor of the twenty-fifth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. B. V. St. John, about fifty of their friends called at their home in Division street, last night, to extend congratulations. The evening was spent in an informal social manner, and the couple received a great many handsome gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. St. John were formerly residents of Leonardsville, N. Y., where they were married. They removed to this city about twelve years ago. Mr. St. John is employed at the Potter Press Works.

Last night's affair had a double significance, the engagement of Mr. and Mrs. St. John's daughter, Miss Mary Alice St. John, to Rev. Eli Forsythe Loofboro, of Riverside, California, being announced. She is the private secretary for Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis, editor of the Sabbath Recorder and has always been active in affairs at the Seventh-Day Baptist church.

Mr. Loofboro was formerly acting pastor of the Seventh-Day Baptist church, New York, succeeding Rev. George Shaw, when he came to Plainfield. He has since taken a charge at Riverside, Cal.

INDICTED FOR THEFT; PATRICK FOX MAY GO FREE.

Case Against Dunellenite Who Is Charged With Stealing Watch Likely to Be Dropped.

The case of Patrick Fox, who was indicted by the present grand jury on a charge of stealing a gold watch from the store of Carl Silbert, a local jeweler, some weeks ago, came up yesterday for trial before the court at Elizabeth. The witnesses for the State as well as for the defendant were present and the defendant represented by S. S. Swackhamer, of the firm of Codington & Swackhamer, was ready to make a defense. After a short conference, however, between defendant's counsel and the prosecutor the prisoner was allowed to go game with his witnesses and it is understood that his case will be nolle prosed on Wednesday, February 27.

For more than three years Fox has been employed by the Central Railroad as a gate-keeper at the Dunellen crossing. He is a young man and is said to have a good record.

JOHN BING BANGS ENGLISH.

Elizabeth Celestial Is Plaintiff in an Assault Case.

The interesting spectacle of a Chinaman battling with the difficulties of the English language in an effort to substantiate his charge of assault and battery, was witnessed in the Court of Quarter Sessions at Elizabeth yesterday. The case was that of Charles Bing against James Coughlin, and the former claimed that Coughlin had "glib me black eye and knocked me down."

Coughlin, in his turn, testified that the Celestial had first attempted to strike him, and that he had merely acted in self-defense.

Owing to the enforced absence of several of the witnesses, the case was allowed to go over until tomorrow morning.

Miss Campbell Entertains.

Miss Anna May Campbell, of Grove street, gave a valentine party at her home last night, but instead of carrying out the usual idea of such a celebration, the company of thirty-five young people engaged in an old maid party. Many of the guests appeared gowned as old maids. Several novel games were played in addition to "old maid," and Miss Marion Hall won the prize. Handsome and unique favors were distribuated among the guests. Refreshments were served after playing games. Miss Norma Northrup won the card prize and Miss Marion Hall the other. The guests included Miss Mildred Williams, of Glastonbury, Conn.; Miss Margaret Lewis, Brooklyn; Miss Florence Johnson, Providence, R. I.; Miss Chambliss, Tennessee.

Hope Chapel's New Superintendent.

Because the condition of his health will not permit him to continue the work, R. H. Munger, of Washington avenue, has relinquished the superintendency of Hope chapel Sunday-school and he will be succeeded at the next session by G. Herbert Condict. The latter has been in charge of the junior department of the school for several years and is thoroughly familiar with the routine as outlined by the late Henry C. Squires. A reading room has recently been established at the chapel and it has been planned to broaden the scope of work under the new superintendent.

Mrs. Frank Bennett, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. John Clapp, of Mercer avenue, has returned to her home in Gloucester, Mass.

BACK IN BOYS' WORK

Mr. Robbie Will Take Mr. Barrows' Place at the Y. M. C. A.

CHANGE ORGANIZATION

Routine of General Secretaryship to Be Lightened by Appointment of Assistant—Farewell Party for "Pop."

Haydn W. Barrows, who resigned as boys' secretary of the Y. M. C. A. last month, will leave the association staff this afternoon. His place on the staff will be taken by J. F. Billet, who was engaged in Y. M. C. A. work in this city four years ago.

Announcement of Mr. Billet's appointment was made by General Secretary Kenneth Robbie this morning. Mr. Billet will not take up Mr. Barrows' work in the boys' department. He will become assistant secretary, and Mr. Robbie, relieved of considerable routine in his department, will conduct the boys' work. Mr. Robbie was the most successful boys' secretary the association ever had, and it was deemed best to arrange his work so that he might oversee the junior work. He will have charge of the Boys' Club, Sycamore street, which is part of the Y. M. C. A. organization, as well.

Mr. Barrows will go directly to Jacksonville, Fla., tonight, to engage in his new work. He will be the engineer in charge of the construction of a circle swing, an amusement device, for the Circle Swing Company.

The juniors gave Mr. Barrows a surprise party last night. Thirty of them tip-toed upstairs and burst in on him as he was packing a trunk and overwhelmed him with shouts and hugs. The boys think a heap of Mr. Barrows; they call him "Pop."

Without flustering any more than a healthy boy ought to with a speech choking him, Stan Karner gave "Pop" a pair of gold cuff buttons and a dandy pearl-handled nife, with one big blade and a nail cleaner that's fine for digging out nuts and things. "Pop" was properly overcome and said things in a way that sounded as if something was tickling his throat.

There was a great time in the boys' room after the surprise was sprung. A log fire crackled in the grate, whereat real corn was popped, and songs and stories knocked the tickles out of everybody's throat. There were other things to eat besides corn.

FANWOOD CRUSHER CO. WITH $100,000 CAPITAL.

H. Weldon Are the Incor-H. Wedon Are the Incorporators.

A certificate of incorporation has been filed in the office of the Union County Clerk by the Fanwood Stone Crushing and Quarry Company, the principal office of which is in Scotch Plains. The objects for which the corporation is formed, are to own, buy, sell, mortgage and operate quarries, to quarry, crush, screen, buy and sell crushed stone of every kind and description.

The total authorized capital stock is $100,000, divided into 1,000 shares at a par value of $100 each. The incorporators are William H. Weldon, Rahway; Frank E. Weldon and John Z. Hatfield, Scotch Plains.

In the Borough Court.

Mrs. Edward Potts, of Grove street, preferred charges of disorderly conduct and the use of profane language against Mrs. Charles Jenkins before Recorder Dolliver, yesterday. A warrant was served and Mrs. Jenkins was to have been arraigned in court last night but she was too ill to appear and the case was put over until Saturday. Both parties are colored.

Jensen Sells Hotel Business.

Charles Jensen, who has been owner and proprietor of the Arlington hotel at Somerset street and Greenbroow road for several years, has sold the business to Benjamin Farbman, of West Third street, who will take possession March 1. Mr. Jensen will take a trip to his old home in Germany and upon returning will enter the real estate business.

Will Speak at Masonic Gathering.

Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss has received and accepted an invitation to speak before a large Masonic gathering at Orange on the evening before Decoration Day. The occasion will be an auspicious one and the various Masonic bodies of the Oranges will participate.

Clerks Have a Dance.

Under the auspices of a committee composed of the Misses Young, Sara Hopewell and Ann Kelly, of the Woodhull & Martin Company store, a number of clerks from that store enjoyed an informal dance in the Camera Club rooms, last night.

NEGROES WILL CONDUCT A DEPARTMENT STORE

PLANS COMPLETED BY A CONCERN WHICH OPERATES IN THIS CITY.

The Metropolitan Mercantile Company, which operated a grocery store on Plainfield avenue for some time and which recently erected ten houses on the north side of West Fourth street, near John, has decided to enter the New York retail dry goods trade. The concern has purchased the abandoned grocery warehouse at 8th Ave. and 46th street, New York, and will remodel it into a department store to be operated for negroes. The building is four stories, fronting fifty feet on the avenue and 125 feet on the street, with a twenty-five foot L running north. The ground belongs to the Astor estate and has been leased.

E. R. Williams, a negro architect and a member of the company, has filed plans for the reconstruction of the building and places the cost at $30,000. An additional $200,000 will be spent in stocking and equipping it and it is hoped to be ready for business by May 1. Williams is well known in Plainfield, having designed the West Fourth street houses and superintended their construction. All the work was done by negroes. The company owns the plot of ground on the south side of West Fourth street, running from Plainfield avenue to the Vail corner at John street and it is said plans are underway to put up more houses there in the spring.

The Metropolitan Mercantile Company started on a small scale in New York a few years ago, at first operating grocery stores for negroes. The venture proved successful and deals in real estate were conducted. It now operates a negro department store and a bank in Savannah, Ga., an apartment house in Orange and deals in Plainfield real estate. The grocery business in this city was sold soon after it was established. The organization is composed solely of negroes.

MATCH HEAD STARTED BLAZE IN FRUIT STORE

FLAMES SWEPT THROUGH TONY LUSARDI'S PLACE CAUSING LOSS OF $200

Someone struck a match in Tony Lusardi's fruit store at Front and Somerset streets at 5:30 yesterday afternoon and part of the lighted head flew to the ceiling, igniting a lot of inflammable decorative papers. Inside of a moment or two the whole interior of the place was a mass of flames and the interior was threatened seriously. An alarm was turned in from box 12 and the department put out the blaze with extinguishers. Though it lasted but a short time, the loss from the fire will probably reach $200, most of it on stock.

In responding to the alarm, the drivers of the apparatus had considerable difficulty in keeping their horses from falling. The chief's horse went down at Second street and Park avenue and one horse of the truck team took a tumble on Park avenue but neither was hurt.

A still alarm was received at headquarters this morning for a fire in the house at 401 Plainfield avenue. It was caused by plumbers working about some frozen pipes and sprang up after they had left the place. Chief Doane went out with a hose wagon but was unable to locate the house because of a wrong address given by the man who telephoned. He said 401 Fourth street at first and discovered his mistake after the apparatus had left the house. He 'phoned a second time and the West End chemical engine was sent out. They had practically extinguished the fire when Chief Doane and his men got the tangle straightened. The damage is put at $75.

Exceptions Dismissed.

The Orphans' Court at Elizabeth decided the case of the exceptions filed by a Jersey City lawyer as counsel for the guardian of Josepine L. Pound to the account of Mrs. Mary J. McClurg, administratrix of George R. Pound, referred to in yesterday's issue, immediately after the close of the argument. Every point made by Craig A. Marsh, as counsel for Mrs. McClurg, administratrix, was sustained by the court, and Mrs. McClurg's accounting was found to be absolutely correct in every particular. The exceptions filed by Mr. LeFetra, guardian of Josephine L. Pound, were ordered dismissed and a decree of the court was made allowing and confirming Mrs. Pound's account as filed with the addition of a counsel fee to Mr. Marsh.

—Neuman Brothers will have an unusually fine lot of fancy fruits and fresh vegetables tomorrow. The prices will be low.

"BISHOPS' ACT" IS SAFE

Democratic Majority in House Determined at a Caucus To Let It Alone.

FRIENDS CALL MEETING

Minority Party Committee to Report to General Caucus Monday Night What Action Will Be Taken.

No attempt will be made by the Democratic majority in the House of Assembly at Trenton to repeal the so-called "bishops' law" or to legalize directly the sale of liquor on Sunday.

That was determined in caucus Wednesday after Laurence T. Fell had been named as the minority choice for State treasurer and when a committee was appointed to consider the several excise bills now pending and report to the general caucus next Monday night what action, if any, the Democrats may take toward a modification of the existing Sunday laws.

The committee, as named, consists of Senator Silzer, Assemblymen Baker, Brady and Holcombe, with Senator Minturn, as chairman of the joint caucus, an ex-officio member, and not one of the members will agree to a report in favor of the absolute repeal of the existing law.

All admit that it should be modified to meet existing conditions in the larger cities, but that is a matter which they hold should be left to the judgment of the local governing bodies.

As to the enactment of the Blohm bill, which permits the sale of liquor on Sunday during certain hours, provided such action should be approved by a majority vote of the residents of municipalities affected, the mewbers of the committee are very much in doubt. A majority are unqualifiedly opposed to having the Assembly go on record as favoring a law that might be construed as abolishing the American Sabbath, but all admit that the people may be safely trusted in the management of their own affairs, and suggest that inasmuch as the Blohm bill has a referendum clause it might be a happy solution of the problem on a local option basis.

The idea of the Democrats favoring anything savoring of local option seems so amusing to the Republicans that the latter have given no consideration whatever to the several excise bills already introduced. So far as the Senate is concerned it is probable that a modification of the screen feature of the present law, leaving the regulation in the custody of local excise boards, would be acceptable, as that is the form in which the "bishops' law" originally passed the Senate last year.

Governor Stokes is silent as to his attitude in respect to an attempted change in existing conditions, but the promptness he displayed in signing the "bishops' law" on April 13 (the day after final adjournment last year), which did not become operative until July 4, indicates that he is in favor of the existing law.

Meanwhile Peter Backes, counsel to the interdenominational committee which promotted the excise legislation of last year, has issued a call for a meeting of that committee to be held Monday afternoon at the Trenton House at 2 o'clock to arrange for the making of a formal protest against any attempted repeal of the "bishops' law" or an effort to legalize the sale of liquor on Sunday. Incidentally the committee will renew its effort for a further restriction of the number of saloons which, according to statistics collected by Mr. Backes, are under existing laws too numerous. This will be attempted by a further increase in the minimum license fee or a law limiting the number of saloons to each municipality to one for each 1,000 inhabitants, which would be practically equivalent to one saloon for each 200 adult male inhabitants.

The anxiety of Mr. Backes is prompted largely by the apparent confidence of the Saloon-keepers' Association concerning the repeal of the "bishops' law," and Assemblyman Klenert's refusal to accord a hearing on the excise bills now pending.

Mr. Klenert said that the people appeared to have determined the question at the polls, and this led Mr. Backes to infer that the Democratic majority in the House intended to repeal the law as it now exists. The caucus action of Wednesday demonstrates that such action is not intended.

That something will be done, however, was confidently asserted Wednesday night by President Thomas C. Hayes, of the State Liquor Dealers' Association, who is watching developments as closely on behalf of his organization as Mr. Backes is for the interdenominational committee.

—A lot of childs' and misses' rubber boots 98c and $1.15. VanArsdale's special sale.

PARK AVE. BAPTISTS GREET PASTOR AND WIFE

ANNUAL RECEPTION LARGELY ATTENDED BY HIS FLOCK.

The members of the Park Avenue Baptist church joined in giving their pastor, Rev. A. E. Finn, and wife a reception at the church, last night. It was the fouth annual reception to the pastor and his wife. The Sunday-school room was appropriately decorated for the occasion by Miss Charlotte Tennant, there being an arrangement of red hearts. Another feature was that the women wore small red hearts and the men wore arrows and upon each appeared the name of the wearer.

There was a programme of music by the amateur orchestra under the leadership of G. W. V. Moy, which gave addition pleasure.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the church, of which Mrs. F. T. Ostrom is the president, Mrs. Walter Freeman, secretary, and Mrs. J. Wesley Johnson, the treasurer, was in charge of the reception. The following young women assisted as waitresses: The Misses Marguerite Ostrom, Alice Brown, Margaret Brown, Arline Brown, Mabel Stutsman, Eleanor Stutsman, Grace Weeks, Mary Leveridge, Sarah Boyd, Anna Clark and Mary Clark.

OSCAR STRAUS LODGE I. O. S. OF J. ORGANIZED.

Max J. Leitner Chosen President of New Jersey Hebrew Organization.

The Oscar Straus Lodge, No. 39, of the Independent Order Sons of Jacob, was organized last night, officers were elected and installed. The installation was in charge of Grand Organizer I. D. Rose, Grand Secretary Joseph Kleins and Grand Master of Charities Samuel Fayer.

The lodge is purely fraternal and its purpose is to provide sick and death benefits for its members. There are about 4,000 members in the order, and it is expected that the membership of the local lodge will be about one hundred.

Speeches were made by the grand lodge officers and the newly-elected ones. The following officers were elected and installed: President, Max J. Leitner; vice president, Leo Slonim; recording secretary, Jacob Danziger; financial secretary, Samuel Rothberg; treasurer, Marcus Silbert. Kalman Rothberg was elected a delegate to the next grand lodge convention.

TO EXHIBIT MODEL.

Consumptive's Tent Made Under Direction of Dr. Hughes.

It was in accordance with suggestions made by a physician in the Adirondacks, that Dr. Fred Hughes, of the borough, directed the making of the tent which was used for caring for the late Michael Muldowney during his long illness with consumption. It was the first experiment of the kind made in New Jersey. Dr. Hughes, who attended Mr. Muldowney during his illness, was especially interested in the outdoor treatment, so much so that at his suggestion the model referred to in The Daily Press of yesterday, is to be made and will be a part of the State exhibit. This model is now being made by Michael Rimmer, who is employed by James Cuzen, the contractor.

It is proposed to exhibit the model not only in Plainfield, but throughout the State and give lectures on the care and treatment of consumption and tuberculosis. Arrangements are now being made to give these lectures in this city in the near future. The model will be an exact reproduction of the original which stands on the Casino grounds.

Albert E. Brown a Lieutenant.

Acting Lieutenant Albert Ellcott Brown, of Rahway, stationed at Manila with the position of adjutant upon Col. H. Bankholtz's staff, has received his promotion to a lieutenancy, transferring him from the Philippines to the United States regular army, with a life position. Out of 5,000 students only sixty were chosen to take the examination and of the number only forty applicants. Lieut. Brown is a descendant of Revolutionary stock.

Mrs. William Taylor Injured.

Mrs. William Taylor, of 814 Kensington avenue, fell on the sidewalk opposite the residence of Marion S. Ackerman on Crescent avenue, this morning, and it is believed that her leg was fractured. Michael Gill, driver for H. W. Marshall, of the American Steam Laundry, happened to be passing at the time and he took Mrs. Taylor home, where a physician was summoned.

Frelinghuysen for Governor.

State Senator Joseph Frelinghuysen, chairman of the Somerset county Republican Committee, is being groomed by State leaders for the gubernatorial nomination.

POND WORKMAN KILLED

Two Others Injured When Casting in Molding Shop Fell Over.

MANY ESCAPE INJURY

Victim Had Been In Country But Five Months and Leaves a Wife and Family.

By the sudden dropping of a huge casting which they were cleaning, one man was killed, and two others injured in the molding shop of the Pond Machine Tool Works at 5:30 last night. The ponderous mass, weighing nearly five tons, crashed down among a group of helpers and there were at least four who narrowly escaped death. Frank Penel, an Italian, aged thirty-three years, was dead when taken out and "Mike" Barsick and "Jimmy" Manten had to be removed to Muhlenberg Hospital. Barsick has a severe scalp wound and a compound dislocation of the right leg beside a fracture of the small bone just above the ankle. Manten's injuries are principally severe contusions about the hips and back. Manten will recover but Barsick's case is in doubt.

The casting the men were working about is known as a "table" and is practically a square mass of iron. It had just been taken from the mold and was held up at an angle by the shop crane, one end resting on the floor. It was kept in this position by the foreman in order to allow the helpers to get beneath and clear away the sand that always clings to castings. The gang was busily engaged in this way when the chain hook from the crane slipped off and the table fell over.

The fact that a lot of sand was on the floor below probably saved some of the men as their feet were pressed into it and held tight until the weight was lifted up. One of the men who suffered in this way was Godfrey Bascoe, a well known local colored man, but he was able to walk around soon after being released. Penel's body did not have a mark upon it and it is thought he died from shock. He was bending down at the lower part of the casting when it dropped and he had no possible chance to get from under.

Penel came to this country from Italy five months ago and had been employed at the shop but a short time. He leaves a wife and two children in his native country and also a brother in Raritan. The body was removed to Cole's undertaking rooms and mass will be said in St. Mary's church tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

DISTINGUISHED PIGLETS.

Grandchildren of Caruso the Great Born In New Market.

Porcine society in New Market is in a flutter, and the exclusive sets of the stock world everywhere will be interested in the event that has caused the stir. Bessie, daughter-in-law of the great Caruso, the only 1,000 pound hog ever raised in this State, has become the mother of seven piglets. The piglets, besides being grandchildren of Caruso Maximus, are genuine O. I. C.'s, and no better blood is found in any hog family. The happy pa is Duke, a fine specimen of hog himself, but not, of course, the distinguished leader of society his father was.

Capt. B. A. Cole is the owner of Bessie. He has hopes that among the seven is one inheritor of Caruso's tendencies to embonpoint.

Entertained Sunday-school Teachers.

The teachers in the Sunday-school department of Warren chapel were entertained by Superintendent E. E. Parvin at his home on Watchung avenue, last night. The gathering was in reality a Valentine party and a feature was an auction sale of appropriate articles conducted by Rev. J. O. McKelvey. They were catalogued in a novel way and the bidding was accomplished by beans, the one securing the largest number being awarded a prize. Pretty valentines were also presented and supper was served at 11 o'clock.

To Address Editors.

James E. Martine has accepted an invitation to speak at the fifteenth celebration and banquet of the New Jersey Editorial Association to be held at Hildebrecht's, West State street, Trenton, on Monday afternoon, February 25, at 2 o'clock.

New Market Dog a Winner.

At the dog show held this week in Madison Square Garden, New York, the best specimen in the class of deer hounds and the winning dog was St. Roman's Regina, the property of Edward J. Mackenzie, of New York.

—A lot of childs' and misses' shoes, 75c and 98c, at VanArsdale's clearing sale. Value $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50.

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Ladies' White Lawn Aprons, plain, hemstitched and embroidery trimmed, with bretelle, also some fancy round aprons. These are very special value and are worth from 35c to 50c. Saturday evening's price will be ..... .22

For Friday and Saturday

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

BOUND BROOK.

William Trimmer, of Roselle, was recently entertained at the home of his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William Eichman, at Madison and High streets, South Bound Brook.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas DuFour, of Brooklyn, were recently entertained at the home of Mr. DuFour's brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Leon DuFour, in Main street, Bound Brook.

Miss Mary Williamson, of Neshanic Station, is the guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. S. Howard Williamson, in Elizabeth street, South Bound Brook.

After spending some time with relatives in Brooklyn, Mrs. Ralph Reed and daughter, Miss Bessie Reed, have returned to their home in Bound Brook.

Miss Flora McFarlane, of Rocky Hill, has gone to Cocoanut Grove, Fla., where she will spend several weeks.

Rev. G. M. Conover, who had been visiting relatives at Clinton, has returned to his home at Rocky Hill.

RARITAN.

Mrs. E. Cooper, of Plainfield, has been spending this week with her mother, Mrs. Edward Cain, here.

Miss Margaret Fuller has returned from Califon, where she had been staying.

Mrs. C. D. Hickey, who had been laid up at her home with grip, is out again.

John Purcell and his son, of this place, have been visiting in Newark.

RAHWAY.

P. J. McCartney on his way home from his business Tuesday night found a man lying on the sidewalk, where he had slipped and fallen, nearly frozen to death. Mr. McCartney assisted the sufferer, returned with him to the store, warmed him thoroughly, kept him over night, and Wednesday paid his fare to Philadelphia. The man was a stranger in town, and about forty years old.

A rehearsal of the Rahway orchestra was held Tuesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Hunt, Milton avenue. Refreshments followed the music.

A Dutch supper will be participated in by the members and families of the Rahway Yacht Club Thursday night, February 21, at the club parlors.

The Roosevelt Auto Company commences running regular trips between here, Woodbridge, Carteret and other towns today.

The new Church street, with a bridge across the Robinson branch of the Rahway River, will be opened in the early spring.

Miss Elnor Marsh, of Christ Hospital, Jersey City, is the guest of Mrs. Anna Corsa, of this city.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

No Farmers' Institute will be held at New Market to take the place of the one killed by the storm a week ago. New Market will have to wait for the next date assigned to it.

Title to Apgar's hall has been passed in due form from Willard Augar to William G. Holton Council, Jr. O. U. A. M.

The Oriole Glee Club met last night with Miss Edna Shiveley. Plans for a minstrel show were discussed.

Rev. W. W. Casselberry attended a meeting of the Presbyterian Brotherhood in Trenton this week.

The Monday Club held a valentine social at the Methodist Episcopal church last night.

The Grange held a lively meeting last night. A batch of candidates went through.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hardy returned, this week, from a few days' stay out of town.

Archibald Brakeley has returned to Princeton after a week's stay at home.

Valentine McLaughlin celebrated his birthday yesterday, quietly.

Herbert Pierce was in New York on business yesterday.

Mrs. Charles Day has been ill for several days.

SOMERVILLE.

Mrs. Alvah A. Clark is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Charles A. Reed, in North Plainfield.

Miss Julia A. Vincent, of Newark, is a guest of Mrs. Austin Moore, of West End avenue.

Miss Ella Smith is a guest of Dr. and Mrs. Beekman at Bedminster.

PERSONAL.

Howard Case, of Craig place, has recovered from an attack of the grip.

Benjamin Mills, of Orange, is spending several days in town on business.

Julius Williams, of West Front street, has returned from a western business trip.

Mrs. J. P. Gidson, of Putnam avenue, is spending a few weeks at Palm Beach, Florida.

Miss Minnie Anderson, of Somerville, has been spending a few days with friends in town.

Miss Agnes Brown, of the West End, has returned from a visit with relatives in Brooklyn.

Charles T. Woolston, of Riverton, is visiting his brother, L. B. Woolston, of Fairview avenue.

Dr. Charles B. Lufburrow, of West Front street, has been entertaining his father from Atlantic Highlands.

Mrs. Nat. Samuels, of Somerville, who has been visiting her parents on West Front street, has returned home.

Miss Fanny Rafferty, of White Plains, N. Y., has returned after a visit with her parents on Sandford avenue.

Fred'k J. Pope, of Watchung avenue, has returned from a visit with his brother, Stuart Pope, at Yonkers, N. Y.

Mrs. George Neff, of Fairview avenue, who was injured while coasting on Hyde's hill, on Tuesday, is improving rapidly.

Miss Mabel Hawkins, of Newark, who has been visiting Miss Ethel Laing, of East Front street, for several days, has returned.

Albert Steiner, teller at the Plainfield Trust Company, who was severely cut about the head while coasting on Tuesday, is improving slowly. His injuries are not serious and he will be able to return to his position within a short time.

Thomas Hughes, of East Second street, has sold his residence to Clarence L. Murphy, of the Stirling building, and the latter will take possession about April 1. Mr. and Mrs. Hughes have not yet decided where they will reside.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Christofferson, of Perth Amboy, who have been visiting in town several days, have returned. They were called here by the serious illnes of Mrs. Christofferson's mother, Mrs. R. C. Fisher, of West Fourth street.

—Abram Kunzman, who purchased James C. Manning's flats at West Second street and Central avenue, has decided to spend several thousand dollars improving the property.

—In the Sagamore Musical Club, Plainfield possesses a well-drilled and thoroughly capable group of musicians. Constant concerted practice, and painstaking leadership, have combined to place their music on a par with that of the finest college clubs. To add variety to its annual entertainment, in the Casino February 18, the club has secured the services of Miss Aimee L. Emmons, reader; Malcolm Shackleford, humorist, and Fred F. VanEps, banjoist, thus securing a delightful evening to those attending. A dance of twenty numbers will then follow.

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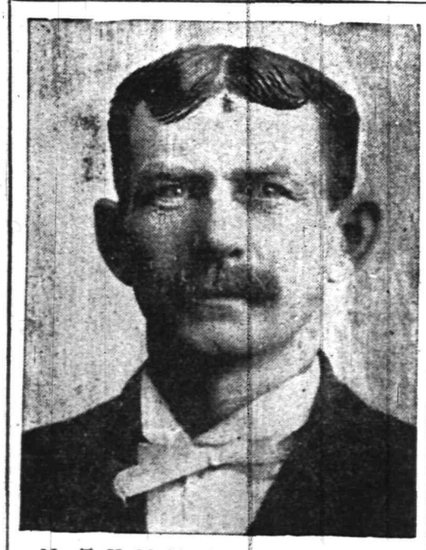

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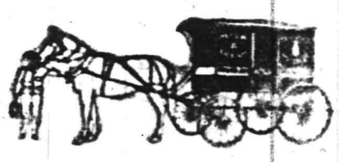

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It will pay you to buy now if only for the wear you will get out of the coats the remainder of the season, and you can count on having good use for these garments next fall and winter. The prices are so absurdly low as to make buying a regular picnic. Values **$10, $16.50, $29.50, $39.50 and $59.50.**

Special Prices $3, $5 and $10.

Pick These 12.50 to 22.50 Coats at 4.50 and 6.50.

It's the best thing we've had yet in coats. The cloak man thinks so, the advertising man thinks so, the salespeople thinks so and every woman who lays eyes on them will say so too. Why, the minute we opened up a show window full of them folks began running for them and we've been passing them out right along!

Fortunately the maker, who used up ends of materials from which fine garments had been cut, let us have a goodly number of these smart, stylish coats, so we are ready for a big rush tomorrow.

These Coats are in the fashionable full length—are made of beautiful Checks, Stripes and Fancy Plaids in light and dark grays and browns; most of them with velvet collars; some in collarless effects; some with cuffs of velvet; some with large fancy buttons; yokes and sleeves satin-lined; sizes 32, 34, 36, 38 and 40; values $12.50 to $22.50; choose from the lot at

4.50 and 6.50.

W. V. SNYDER & CO.

From February 15 to February 28 a

12-Day Glove Sale.

Commencing today and continuing for twelve business days there will exist a most important sale of Gloves at very special prices—lower by far than ordinarily despite the advance in the cost of the natural skins and labor. Every woman in Newark or in the vicinity should study with interest the prices and values below, and if good values are appreciated—and we know they are—every pair will be sold. All are standard makes which we have weighed in the balance and found **not** wanting in any particular. Read every price—it's worth your while.

SAVOY GLOVE.

This is one of our strong specialties. 'Tis the best glove at the price that we know of. Made of carefully selected foreign skins well inspected and particularly soft and pliable. They are 2-clasp gloves, self-embroidered with strong gusseted fingers and thumbs. Assorted shades of tan, white, mode, gray, pearl, green and blue. Sizes 5¾ to 7. Regularly sold at $1.25. Special **$1.10**

NEPTUNE GLOVE.

This glove has made for itself a wide reputation for its correct fit, superior workmanship and for the excellence of the fine, soft, imported skins used in its manufacture. These also are two-clasp, self-embroidered gloves in assorted shades of tan, white, mode, gray and pearl. Sizes 5¾ to 7. Without doubt an exceptionally fine glove, suitable for any occasion. Regularly sold at $1.50. Special **$1.35**

JOUVIN GLOVE.

The famous "Jouvin," best in 1834 when first made, and best today. Grenoble, the home of the glove industry—from whence the best gloves in the world come—is the place of their manufacture. Made of specially selected skins in a perfectly accurate shape for fit and comfort. White, tans, pearls, modes, blues, green, gray, heliotrope and black with white stitching. Sizes 5¾ to 7. Regularly sold for $1.75. Special **$1.50**

$2.50 Mousquetaire 8-Button Glace Gloves Special $1.50.

We have about 150 pairs of these 8-button mousquetaires made from the best selected imported skins. They are the famous Alexander Gloves in assorted shades of tans, gray, white and black in assorted sizes. Regularly sold at $2.50, special for this sale..... **$1.50**

$3.00 Jouvin Mousquetaire 12-Button Suedes Special $2.00.

The Jouvin mousquetaires hold the same high position in the glove world as the Jouvin glove, only the best selection of skins are used and its fit is perfect in every detail. We have them in white and black—assorted sizes only. Regularly sold at $3.00, special, pair.... **$2.00**

Broad St. Cedar St. | **W. V. SNYDER & CO.** NEWARK, N. J. | Broad St. Cedar St.

PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Mueck, of East Second street, will soon move to Elizabeth.

Miss Sadie Lee, of this city, has returned from a visit of several days at Somerville.

Mrs. Edward Cooper, of this city, has returned from a visit with her mother at Raritan.

Mrs. Caspar Bolsterle, of Watchung avenue, has about recovered from a recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Case, of Plainfield, have been visiting Robert Dunham, of Lamington.

Miss Dorothy Morgan, of New Haven, has returned home after a visit of several days in town.

Mrs. Harry Auten, of Somerville, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Young, of Central avenue.

Mrs. A. A. Clark, of Somerville, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Charles A. Reed, of Myrtle avenue.

Miss Lackland, of St. Louis, who has been visiting friends in town for several days, has returned home.

The Misses Sadie Purcell and Sadie Chamberlain, of Raritan, have been spending a few days in town.

Miss Mary T. Davis, of Somerville, who has been visiting friends in town for a few days, has returned home.

Garret T. Dunham, of West Front street, has taken a clerical position with the Rushmore Dynamo Works.

Harvey Moynihan, who has been in Cleveland on a business trip, has returned to his home at Bound Brook.

Miss Painter, of Pittsburg, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Story Rowland, of West Seventh street, has returned.

Mrs. Paige, wife of Dr. Paige, of Oneonta, N. Y., who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. D. J. Yerkes, of Grove street, has returned.

Miss Nan. Rafferty, of Sandford avenue, who has been spending several days at home, has returned to her studies at the Madison Convent.

Mrs. John Chamberlain, of Lee place, gave a musical at her home Wednesday night in honor of her brother, who was visiting her from Newark.

Mrs. Arthur S. Jeffries, of East Second street, will give a party tomorrow for her daughter, Miss Maude Jeffries, who will be fourteen years old at that time.

SPECIALS

Fresh Jersey Eggs

If you want some good strictly fresh eggs we have them. A fresh supply two and three times a week direct from the hennery at Flemington. Price per doz 38c

MOLASSES.

We have just received a new barrel of that fine New Orleans Molasses. The genuine old fashioned open-kettle and absolutely pure. We can honestly call this the finest molasses in the city.

Per quart 15c

Per gallon 60c

POTATOES.

Our supply of those fine mealy potatoes is nearly exhausted. Our sales of potatoes have been enormous this season and we lay it all to the fine cooking quality.

Per ½ bushel basket 39c

Per 3 bushel bag 2.30

Gold Medal Flour

In order to move a large consignment quickly we will make the price low; per bag 69c

Canned Vegetables.

We claim to carry as fine a line of canned goods in the city. Our canned vegetables are all packed where grown and retain their natural fresh flavor, which is an important factor in canned goods.

Fred H. Firstbrook,

316 Liberty St. Tel. 376-L.

Over eleven years at the same old stand.

The Rayo Lamp

Cannot be equalled for its bright and steady light, simple construction and absolute safety. Equipped with latest improved burner. Made of brass throughout and nickel plated. Every lamp warranted. Write to nearest agency if not at your dealer's.

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Plainfield, N. J., February 15, 1907.

PRINCETON TO RECEIVE ITS BIGGEST BEQUEST.

President Wilson Makes Startling Announcement at Alumni Banquet.

Princeton University is about to become the greatest seat of learning and institution of research in the world.

From an unknown source the old university is about to receive the largest bequest ever received by any college or seat of learning. When the large sum becomes available very soon, it is to be used to increase the equipment of the college, add numerically to the staff and send men into a broad, unlimited field of research, covering every useful field.

President Woodrow Wilson made this fare announcement in his address at the dinner given in Horticultural Hall at Philadelphia last night before members of the Princeton Club and the alumni of the college. When requested to go into further details as to the source of the fund that would allow such important results, President Wilson said the present time was premature.

"Had this dinner been delayed a few weeks," continued President Wilson, "I might have been in a position to state in more definite terms just what that bequest is. I will say that it is not from one individual. It is so large that it will allow us to enter researches on an almost unlimited scale. Our forces and equipment will be brought up to perfection, and, I believe, will rank us the first institution of learning in the world."

TRENTON PAWNBROKER LOCATED IN THIS CITY.

Customers Worried Over Unredeemed Pledges; Goods at Newark; Going to Move Again.

Captain Cleary, of the Trenton police, yesterday learned that Harry A. Norton, the pawnbroker of that place, who left town suddenly, is now located in this city.

Many persons who had unredeemed goods with Norton at the time he left Trenton have been calling on the police for information as to his whereabouts. Captain Cleary learned that Norton took the goods belonging to the customers to 29 Academy street, Newark, where they can now be found.

It was said this morning that Norton had decided to give up his place here. There isn't trade enough in his line, it is said, to make the shop profitable.

Urges Humane Education.

New York, Feb. 15.—That the New York Humane Society should enlarge its sphere and take a stand against all things which tend to incite cruelty was a suggestion made by Herbert N. Casson at a meeting of the society yesterday at the Waldorf-Astoria. One of the most important things to do, he declared, was to go to sections where the newly arrived immigrants live and teach them the American idea of kindness to animals. Among other things he said the society should work to stop girls selling papers in the sereets. David Bellais, president of the society, announced that a bill had been introduced into the Legislature giving policemen power to kill any horse abandoned on the street suffering from disease or accident.

Sons of Veterans to Reorganize.

For the purpose of reorganizing John Hand Camp, No. 28, Sons of Veterans, a meeting will be held in G. A. R. Hall, East Front street, tomorrow night at 8 o'clock. The prospects for a strong organization are good. The camp went out of existence a few years ago because of lack of interest, and it is now hoped to revive it. The organization's treasury is in good condition. At the meeting tomorrow night there will be a general discussion of plans, ways and means for reinstatement in the New Jersey Division of the order.

ARE WE GETTING YOUR BUNDLE ?

Our Domestic Finish on Shirts, Collars and Cuffs cannot be approached by any other laundry in Plainfield.

American Steam Laundry

H. W. MARSHALL' Proprietor.

'Phone 820-R. 122 East Front St.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The Junior Society of the First Baptist church will meet in the parlors of the church this afternoon.

Every week day during Lent services will be held at St. Joseph's church at 6:30 o'clock in the morning.

The Bible school of the Park Avenue Baptist church will hold a "Cherry Tree Social" at the church on Thursday night, February 21.

The Women's Home Missionary Society of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will hold a sewing meeting in the chapel this afternoon.

Rev. E. E. Roberson will preach the third of his series of sermons at the Y. M. C. A. Sunday afternoon on "An Enemy It Is Impossible to Escape."

Rev. Samuel D. Price, of Camden, will describe "Nansen's Polar Expedition" at the Park Avenue Baptist church Thursday night, February 28. The lecture will be illustrated.

Beginning Sunday night, Rev. Dr. J. S. Zelie, of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, will preach a course of four sermons on "Life Lessons from the Book of Proverbs."

CITY JOTTINGS.

—A. J. Leader's horseless carriage has arrived and was given a trial this morning by the agents, Messrs. L. D. Morris & Co. The machine was found to be in perfect condition, and soon we will see "one ike" enjoying his latest toy.

—George H. Webber, the aged father of Mrs. R. Q. Cumback, of West Front street and Elmwood place, fell on West Front street, near Oxford place, while out walking yesterday afternoon. At first it was believed that he had sustained serious injury, but later examination disproved this. He will be out again in a few days.

—Charles Lee, Jr., of Grove street, says that it was Frank Webster's bob that was run into by Albert Steiner on Hyde's hill Tuesday. The bob was hired by George Neff and Mr. Lee happened to be coasting in that party. He says that the sled was not in the path of the other coasters, but that it was to one side and that Mr. Steiner followed the same course as the preceding sled and ran into it.

CLOSED PORTALS.

Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., at its meeting this week accepted an invitation to a lunch-box social to be given Washington's birthday night by the Women's Relief Corps.

The Plainfield members of Salaam Temple, Ancient Arabic Order Nobles Mystic Shrine, of Newark, accompanied by their wives, will leave tonight on the 6:18 o'clock train for Newark, to attend the "ladies' night" entertainment provided by the Shriners.

Cobb Changes Plea.

Leslie M. Cobb, colored, of this city, who was indicted by the Grand Jury on a charge of assault and battery, appeared in the Union County Court this morning and retracted his plea of not guilty to one of simple assault. The court fixed Wednesday, February 27, as the time for passing sentence.

County Board Bill.

A bill introduced in the Legislature yesterday amends the act of last year, appointing county boards of equalization of taxes, by increasing the number to five members, not more than three of whom shall be of one political party. At least one of the members shall be an architect, and two shall be real estate dealers. It is further made the duty of the members of said board in first class cities to personally view and inspect the assessed property.

—Men's and women's shoes at $2.75. VanArsdale's special sale. Elegant values.

Dave Braham, Jr., As "Push Miller" in "Checkers," N. P. T. Next Tuesday Night.

Suits and Cloaks.

Closing them out now at next-to-nothing prices.

SATURDAY SPECIALS.

READ CAREFULLY.

Ready-to-wear Hats

Less Than Half Price.

$1, $1.50, $2 Hats now 50c

$3, $4, $5 Hats now $1.50

Children's Russian Blouse Suits in Red, Blue and Black Serges, sizes 2 to 7 years...$3.98 and $4.98

Children's Reefer Jackets in Golf Red and Gray, at ..... $3.98 and $4.98

Lion Brand Shirts. The new Spring patterns are here, plaited and plain, light and dark, attached and detached cuffs, including coat styles. The best $1.00 shirt ever made.

Men's Madras Shirts at 50c
In checks, stripes and plain colors, plaited and plain; extraordinary value.

Boys' Negligee Shirts in madras, light and dark colors, attached and detached cuffs; all sizes, at 50c & 39c

Special for Boys—Fine Cassimere 2 and 3 piece suits $3.98
Knee Pants, Knickerbocker and Blouse styles, at 43c

Specials for Men—Regular 50c Suspenders at....25c
Black Cashmere Socks, 2 pairs for.....25c
Medium weight Shirts and Drawers, ribbed...25c

New Spring Neckwear 25c
All shades and styles, including new Scotch Plaids, equal to regular 50c goods.

Sham Holders, adjustable, regular price 25c; sale price 19c

Scrub Brushes 15c
Made of Tampico, solid backs, regular 25c kind.

Galvanized Ash Cans 98c
Full size, with iron drop handles; regular price $1.48.

JOIN THE CLUE TODAY.

It enables you to buy a regular $50.00 Demorest Sewing Machine for $25.00 on the easy payment plan. It costs only a dollar to join.

Ladies' Night Gowns 98c
Instead of $1.25 and $1.50. Good quality Cambrics, neatly trimmed with lace and embroidery.

A White Goods Special—Fine figured madras for shirt waistings, 27 in. wide; regular price 25c a yard, at 19c

Couch Covers in Bagdad effects, full size at....$1.00
Regular price $1.50.

Bargains in Dress Goods.—We are closing out all the odds and ends of winter dress goods at greatly reduced prices.

Sale of Parlor Tables $4.98
In oak and mahogany samples, pieces that sold from $6.50 to $9.50 each.

Kitchen Chairs at 59c
Oak finished, well made chairs that sell regularly for 75c each.

A Mattress Bargain—Cotton felt mattresses, full size, in two parts, good quality ticking, regular $9.50; sale price $6.98

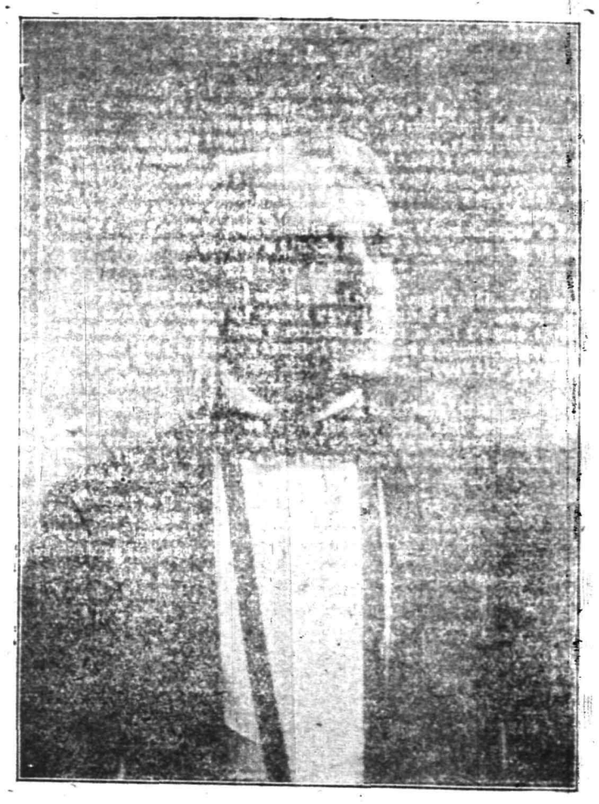
Curtain Stretchers ..... 98c a set
The "No Sag" kind; regular price $1.25.

Sleeve Boards 15c
Strongly made, covered with felt, regular price 29c.

Adjustable Bath Seats 98c
Will fit any size tub, made of solid oak with nickel plated rubber covered ends; regular $1.48.

"OPENING SALE OF SPRING CARPETS AND RUGS."

The Woodhull & Martin Store



Kyrle Bellew, Who will be seen in his new play, "A Marriage of Reason," at the N. P. T. Next Wednesday night.

Scene from "The Daughters of Men," Charles Klein's new play, to be presented at the N. P. T. Washington's Birthday, matinee and night.

Joe Welch, In "The Shoemaker," at the N. P. T. Tomorrow Afternoon and Night.

New Plainfield Theatre.

Plainfield's Popular Play House.
Playing all the Leading Attractions.
W. J. COUNIHAN Proprietor and Manager

Saturday, Mat. and Night, Feb. 16—
JOE WELSH, IN
THE SHOEMAKER.
Prices—Matinee 25c and 35c.
Night 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c.

Mat. and Night, Monday, Feb. 18—
Special Matinee at 2:15.
PARTED ON HER BRIDAL TOUR.
A dramatization of Miss Middleton's Lover, By Laura Jean Libbey and James R. Garey.
PRICES—Matinee, 25c, 35c.
Night 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, Box Seats $1
Remember the Bargain Matinee.

Tuesday, February 18—Cheer Up—
CHECKERS is coming.
PRICES—25c, 50c, 75c, $1, $1.50

Wednesday, February 20
Mr. Kyrle Bellew in
A MARRIAGE OF REASON.
PRICES—25c, 50c, 75c, $1, $1.50

Washington's Birthday—Mat. and Night—
THE DAUGHTERS OF MEN.
By Charles Klein, the Author of "The Lion and the Mouse" and "The Music Master."
Matinee price, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, $1
Night prices, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1, $1.50

Annual Entertainment of
THE SAGAMORE MUSICAL CLUB
AT THE CASINO
Plainfield, February 18, 1907
Assisted By
Aimee Louise Emmons, Reader,
Malcolm Shackleford, Humorist,
Fred F. VanEps, Banjoist.
DANCING
Concert at 8:15. Admission 75 cts.
ALL SEATS RESERVED.
Tickets can be exchanged at Schreiner's Drug Store on and after February 12.

CANARIES ALL SINGERS Seeds, Cages, etc
Kurzhal's, THEATRE BUILDING.
Barber WEST SECOND STREET

Peck's Goods

are worth what they are marked and marked what they are worth.

DON'T MISS THIS SPECIAL SALE OF COUCHES.

Those who come early will secure Remarkable Values. We have bought a sample line of these Handsome, Comfortable Couches they are Well Made, Strong and Durable. In order to sell them quickly and make room for other goods, we have marked them way below the usual price. Our large assortment of New Spring Goods is now complete. Very desirable Furniture, Carpets, Bedding, Mattresses, etc., at tempting prices. Now is a good time to make your selection

SHIRLEY & JOHNSTON,
BABCOCK BUILDING, PLAINFIELD, N. J.

WE PAY 3 PER CENT. INTEREST on Satisfactory Daily Balances, Allowing You To Check Against Them.

WE PAY 3½ PER CENT. INTEREST On Deposits In Our Savings Department, Interest Commencing on the First of Each Month.

CITY NATIONAL BANK

VAN ARSDALE'S
Special Clearance Sale
contains the usual GENUINE BARGAINS.

One lot Misses' and Children's Lace and Button Shoes, 6 to 10½ at **75c;** 11 to 2 at **98c;** regular 1.00, 1.25 and 1.50.

About 200 pairs Women's Welt Sole, button and lace, were 5.00, 4.50, 4.00 and 3.50, widths A to D, *not* all sizes in every style, but most all sizes in *the lot.* Sale price **$2.75.** Elegant bargains.

Same price—**$2.75**—on a lot of men's that were 3.50 to 5.00. Now is the time to get the selection.

VAN ARSDALE
127 East Front St.
P. S.—Lot of Children's and Misses' Rubber Boots **98c and $1.15**

12 BIG ONES AT
Applegate's Meat and Produce Market,
163 Somerset Street.
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 16.

SIRLOIN STEAK	16c	LEGS LAMB	14c
PORTERHOUSE STEAK	16c	SAUSAGE	14c
ROUND STEAK	16c	FOREQUARTERS LAMB	11c
PRIME RIB ROAST	14c	POT ROAST	10c
LAMB CHOPS	14c	LEG MUTTON	13c

EXTRA SPECIALS:
LOIN AND RIB LAMB CHOPS..22c POTATOES, BUSHEL 70c

Our Meats are all Cut from Good Corn Fed Cattle.

Clifford L. Applegate
Tel. 360-W Orders Delivered Promptly.

PLAINFIELD EXCHANGE FOR WOMAN'S WORK.
502 Watchung Ave.

Sale of Infants' and Children's Knitted "Hoods and Sacques," Work Bags and Aprons. Burned wood fruit bowls, glove boxes, etc.
Come in and visit us.

When Your Teeth need attention consult Dr. D. G. Atwood, 308 W. Front St. Tel. 448-F.

NEWS IN THE SUBURBS

'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

It is reported that WilliamDeegan will retire from the hotel business this spring. "Willie" will devote his time entirely to baseball. He has several offers under consideration, but will probably sign to pitch for the Toronto team.

The several committees appointed to canvas the town for donations for Excelsior's three days' fair on the 21st-22d-23d, have started work and are meeting with encouraging success.

The explosion yesterday morning at the Standard Oil Co. plant at Constable Hook was plainly felt in town, the windows in the houses rattling as though caused by an earthquake.

The weekly prayer and praise service will be held tonight in the parlors of the Baptist church. Rev. T. Moore-Smith will lead the meeting.

The Suburban Club is arranging to hold another club dance in the club's hall on Thursday night, March 7.

George Harper, Jr., and family will take possession of the Marsh property on Front street, March 1.

Mrs. Louis B. Coddington, of Park avenue, has been entertaining out of town friends.

Charles N. Flanders, who has been ill for several weeks, is reported as improving.

John Falvey is spending several weeks at his home at Dover.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

Miss Margaret Randolph, who has been ill for sometime with rheumatism, was taken to her grandfather's home yesterday.

The Young People's Social Club will hold a rehearsal of "Mme. Jarley's Wax Works" tomorrow night.

The regular meeting of the P. O. S. of A. was held last evening in Washington Hall.

The Young People's Club held a valentine social at the Baptist church last night.

POINTS FOR THE BUYERS

Coal is still King. And the kind sold by John Johnson, South avenue, is King of all coal.

Catering in all its branches, by D. Demolli & Co., West Front street. Confectionery and pastries, bread de luxe.

There is only one place to get the right kind of confectionery—Hodge's pharmacy, East Front street. Mell Meade sweets.

The *tobacco in the cigars made by* M. C. Dobbins, North avenue, is solid Cuban leaf. Richness and free-smoking mark them.

For works of art and artists' materials patronize the Plainfield Art Store in the Y. M. C. A. building, J. W. Brady, proprietor.

Fred Endress' meat market, West Front street, is the place to get the best cuts of meat. Poultry of the kind the epicure dreams about.

William Hand & Sons, of East Second street, will contract to move your goods to any part of the country and the firm carries on a general trucking business.

An Edison phonograph or a Victor talking-machine will make your life a happy one and H. K. Lister, of North avenue, has a full line of both; also a big stock of the latest records.

A. M. Griffen, the hardware merchant, is offering exceptional bargains in housefurnishing goods, cutlery and general hardware. Mr. Griffen also contracts to do all kinds of sanitary plumbing and heating work.

Rubbers for rubber weather, at M. C. VanArsdale's store, East Front street. Rubbers for dry weather may be had anywhere, but the kind Van Arsdale sells is the kind that keeps your feet dry when the walks are slushy.

The Woodhull & Martin Co., of East Front street, is receiving new goods daily and it will pay you to inspect the large and desirable stock to be found in every department. The white goods offered are the best and the firm is also offering bargains in cloaks, coats and furs for women at very low prices.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

"GLYCEROLE OF ARNICA"

For Chapped Hands.

There is no preparation which has given such general satisfaction as Randolph's "Glycerole of Arnica." It has successfully "stood the test" for many years and is a very healing remedy, perfectly absorbed by the skin, without any greasy after effect. Delightfully perfumed with Extract of White Rose.

25c per bottle.

L. W. RANDOLPH,
The City Pharmacy,
143 W. Front St.

SEVEN WANT TO BE POSTMASTER

Men, In All Walks of Life, Seek South Amboy Office.

South Amboy, Feb. 15.—It is expected here that Frank E. De Graw, a former Freeholder, will be appointed postmaster, to succeed the late Bernard Roddy. There are several applicants for the office, but De Graw has the strongest backing.

The term of Postmaster Roddy had expired last April, and at that time a petition, signed by a long list of prominent men, was forwarded to Congressman Howell and Senator Kean, asking that Mr. De Graw be appointed to succeed Mr. Roody, but owing to the poor health of Mr. Doddy it was deemed inadvisable to make any appointment at that time.

Among the other candidates for the office are Andrew H. Slover, former Assemblyman; J. Frank Fulton, borough clerk; Edwin Williams, a machinist; Charles Steuerwald, a hotel-keeper and game warden; John E. Montgomery, former Assemblyman and County Freeholder; Edwin Roddy, grandson of the late postmaster. The salary is $1,700, and one clerk is allowed.

GUN BRASS FOR STATUE.

Elizabeth, Feb. 15.—Augustus S. Crane, secretary of the Scott Monument Association, yesterday sent to the New Jersey members of Congress letters requesting them to support the joint resolution introduced by Senator Kean for the appropriation of 25,000 pounds of condemned brass cannon to be used in casting the equestrian statue which it is proposed to erect here in honor of Lieutenant-General Winfield Scott.

If the appropriation is made, the cost to this city will be reduced by about $7,500. The association will probably petition the Legislature for assistance, and a committee consisting of Colonel Dennis F. Collins, James White, assistant postmaster, and *Assemblyman John Moxon*, will consider the advisability of making such a request.

Knox Defends Smoot.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 15.—Senator Knox, of Pennsylvania, in one of the most forceful speeches made in the Senate for several years, defended yesterday the right of Reed Smooth, of Utah, to a seat in the United States Senate. Analyzing the situation from a legal standpoint, Mr. Knox held that the State electing a Senator was the proper judge of his qualifications, subject only to his expulsion by a two-thirds vote of the Senate should he be guilty after entering the Senate of an offence sufficient for his disqualification or should his offensive status extend into the period of Senatorial service. *Senator Knox thrust aside the argument* that Senator Smoot, who has served for four years, should be expelled because his service is a menace to the sancity of the American home. He dwelt upon the evidence that Mr. Smoot has always set his face against polygamus practices, and had taken his oath as United States Senator without any mental reservation whatever. Mr. Smoot's *mere faith in Mormonism, Senator* Knox contended, was no reason for disqualification in a country where religious freedom was guaranteed to all persons.

"Hudson Ice Solid Sewage."

Albany, N. Y., Feb. 15.—Declaring that some of the ice fields on the Hudson river are solidified sewage, Edward Hatch, Jr., of the Merchants' *Association, in a letter to Governor* Hughes asks for executive intervention in behalf of the people of New York city and other consumers of Hudson river ice. The crop of ice is now being gathered. A severe indictment against Dr. Eugene H. Porter, State Health Commissioner, is made by Mr. Hatch. His letter states that the most casual assertion of authority on the part of the State Health Commissioner in prohibiting the cutting of ice on certain portions of the Hudson river would have prevented mixing up frozen sewage with good ice in this winter's crop.

Moments of History.

Cornwallis hesitated to surrender until he had made the proper terms. Calling the Father of this country aside, he put the case plainly.

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WANTED—White girl for general housework in family of three; no washing. 329 Franklin place. 2 7 tf

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at once at Mrs. Day's Intelligence Office, South Plainfield, N. J. 2 9 tf

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LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

The playgoers of this city are to have another chance next Tuesday night to see "Checkers." The play, which is by Henry M. Blossom, Jr., is a breezy dramatization of the breezy book of the same name, and is breezily acted. Since its initial appearance "Checkers" has been dividing its time between New York, Chicago, Boston and Philadelphia, and a few smaller towns, and not only did the New York critics speak as if in one voice (for the first time, lo! in many moons), and in emphatic praise of the play, company and production, but self reliant and young Chicago and conservative Boston and Philadelphia endorsed their opinion. It played its fourteenth engagement in New York last season and will play another later this season. The play is praised for its human nature. It is commended because it tells an up-to-date tale of every day life of people whose blood is fresh and young, in such excellent fashion as to charm not only those who shrink from the suggestive and unclean which mar so many of the playwright's efforts of today, but to win the alert interest and swift applause of the old-time, more or less blase playgoer who has seen pretty much everything since Ben Butler went to war and wants a little tobasco in his, to keep his palate awake.

When "The Shoemaker," the latest Hal Reid melodrama, is produced at the New Plainfield theatre tomorrow afternoon and night, local playgoers will have an opportunity of seeing Joe Welch, the inimitable character actor and comedian, in an entirely new role. Mr. Welch impersonates Morris Goldberg, a mender and maker of shoes. Morris is a typical East Side Jew with a loving and doting nature and an honest heart. His aim in life is to be a dutiful father to his only child, Dora. She is abducted by a pair of as villainous cutthroats as has ever apepared on any stage. Morris goes in search of his child and has many exciting adventures. The search leads to the far West, where, despite his new and strange environments, the poor Jew retains all his peculiar characteristics. In the hands of Mr. Welch, the role is made a flesh-and-blood creation. He does not attempt to burlesque or exaggerate the type, but portrays it as it really is. Morris is a type one seldom forgets and one cannot help laughing and crying with him in his troubles and triumphs. It is a play that strikes a human chord in the breast of all of us and as for wholesome years, comedy and pathos it is fairly surfeited with it. There is not a dull period in all the play's four spirited acts, a rather unusual event nowadays. The cast supporting Mr. Welch is all that could be desired.

In "Parted On Her Bridal Tour," by those well known writers, Laura Jean Libbey and James R. Garey, Charles E. Blaney has again demonstrated his title as chief caterer to the theatre going public. Laura Jean Libbey needs no introduction to the American public; for years her books have had phenomenal successes and none more so than "Miss Middleton's Lover" on which this great play is founded. It is a story of home and of love, its characters are human and possible. "Parted On Her Bridal Tour" comes to the New Plainfield theatre next Monday afternoon and night. This will be the premiere performance in Plainfield and it will prove no doubt to be a repetition of the wonderful success that has attended "Parted On Her Bridal Tour" wherever produced. The company headed by Miss Victory Bateman is a large one, numbering twenty, and the scenery is a splendid example of the scene painter's art.

Kyrle Bellew will return to Plainfield next Wednesday night when he will present his brilliant new play, "A Marriage of Reason," at the New Plainfield theatre. The new piece by J. Hartley Manners, deals with the much discussed topic of international marriage and though the playwright is a Briton he holds a brief for the American girl whom he represents in the person of a fascinating Chicago heiress who is quite the most lovable girl who ever left these shores to marry a title. Mr. Bellew has the stellar role of a debonair, likeable, thoroughbred, bankrupt Earl who makes a commercial marriage with the aforesaid wonderful girl and then falls desperately in love with her after many moving incidents. The part suits him down to the ground and permits all his elegancy of artistry. Miss Fannie Ward plays the girl. The cast is a remarkable one.

At the New Plainfield theatre on Washington's birthday, afternoon and night, Henry B. Harris will offer Charles Klein's greatest American play, "The Daughters of Men," direct from a run of two hundred nights at the Astor theatre, New York. The story involves the fortune of John Stedman, a labor leader, whose idea in life is to bring about the milennium and who stands between the masses and the classes, believing that two wrongs will not make a right and that the country must be ruled by intelligence and not by the majority. His great fight for harmony and his love for one of the capitalists who is diametrically opposed to his ideas form the basis of the play. Mr. Harris has organized for the interpretation of the different roles a cast of players who stand for the best in acting, inluding Dorothy Donnelly, George Howard, Marie Shotwell, Edwin Brandt, Margaret Drew and George W. Dale.

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Bird Rock Lobster, 1-lb can 35c
Little Neck Clams, a can 10c
Sardines, in oil, a can 4c
Sardines, in mustard, large tin 8c
Smoked Salmon, thinly sliced in glass 16c and 28c
Boneless Herring, glass tumblers 10c
Russian Sardines, a bottle 10c
Fresh Ground Horseradish, a bottle 8c

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Pumpkin, Queen Quality, can 10c; per dozen $1.10
Peas, Fort Hill Brand, can 12c; per dozen $1.30
Spinach, Nabob Brand, can 14c; per dozen $1.60
Asparagus, Shrewsbury Points, can 20c; per dozen $2.20
Pears, in heavy syrup, large can 15c; per dozen $1.70
Peaches, Wheeler Brand, a can 14c; per dozen $1.65
Apples, gallon can 25c
per dozen $2.75
Blueberries, hand selected, can 15c; per dozen $1.70

N. O. Molasses, finest quality, best Plantation, open kettle, gallon, 58c; a quart 15c
Syrup, Golden Drips, pure sugar syrup, a gal. 45c; a qt. 13c
Flour, Hecker's Hygenic, whole wheat flour, 12 lb bag 39c
Buckwheat, new Sussex County, 25 lb bag, 76c; 12 lb bag, 39c
Graham Flour, fresh ground, 6-lb bag 17c
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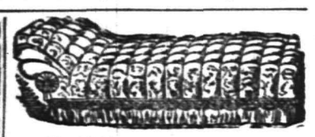

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CHAPTER IX.

The Girl and the Rabbit.

Wind and rain rioted in the wood, and occasionally both fell upon the library windows with a howl and a splash. The tempest had wakened me; it seemed that every chimney in the house held a screaming demon. We were now well launched upon December, and I was growing used to my surroundings. I had offered myself frequently as a target by land and water; I had sat on the wall and tempted fate; and I had roamed the house constantly expecting to surprise Bates in some act of treachery; but the days were passing monotonously. Twice I had seen the red tam-o'-shanter far through the wood, and once I had passed my young acquaintance with another girl, a dark, laughing youngster, walking in the highway, and she had bowed to me indifferently. Even the ghost in the wall proved inconstant, but I had twice heard the steps without being able to account for them.

Memory kept plucking my sleeve with reminders of my grandfather. I was touched at finding constantly his marginal notes in the books he had collected with so much intelligence and loving care. It occurred to me that some memorial, a tablet attached to the outer wall, or perhaps, more properly placed in the chapel, would be fitting; and I experimented with designs for it, covering many sheets of drawing paper in an effort to set forth in a few words some hint of his character. On this gray morning I produced this:

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I had sketched these words on a piece of cardboard and was studying them critically when Bates came in with wood.

"They're unmistakable snowflakes, sir," he remarked from the window. "We're in for winter now."

It was undeniably snow, great lazy flakes of it were crowding down upon the wood.

Bates had not mentioned Morgan or referred even remotely to the pistol shot of my first night, and he had certainly conducted himself as a model servant. The gardener at St. Agatha's, a Scotchman named Ferguson, had visited him several times, and I had surprised them once innocently enjoying their pipes and whisky and water in the kitchen.

"They are having trouble at the school, sir," observed Bates.

"The young ladies running a little wild, eh?"

"Sister Theresa's ill, sir. Ferguson told me last night. And Ferguson says that Miss Devereux's devotion to her aunt is quite touching."

I stood up straight and stared at Bates' back—he was trying to stop the rattle which the wind had set up in one of the windows.

"Miss Devereux!"

"That's the name, sir,—rather odd, I should call it."

"Yes, it is rather odd," I said, composed again, but not referring to the name. My mind was busy with a certain paragraph in my grandfather's will:

"Should he fail at any time during said year to comply with this provision, said property shall at once revert to my general estate, and become, without reservation, and without necessity for any process of law, the property, absolutely, of Marian Devereux, of the county and state of New York."

"Your grandfather was very fond of her, sir. She and Sister Theresa were abroad at the time he died. It was my sorrowful duty to tell them the sad news in New York, sir, when they landed."

"The devil it was!" It irritated me to remember that Bates knew exactly the nature of my grandfather's will. Sister Theresa and her niece were doubtless calmly awaiting my failure to remain at Glenarm House during the disciplinary year.

I had given little thought to Sister Theresa since coming to Glenarm. She had derived her knowledge of me from my grandfather, and, such being the case, she would naturally look upon me as a blackguard and a menace to the peace of the neighborhood. I had therefore kept rigidly to my own side of the stone wall.

"Bates!"

He was moving toward the door with his characteristic slow step.

"If your friend Morgan, or any one else, should shoot me, or if I should tumble into the lake, or otherwise end my earthly career—Bates!"

His eyes had slipped from mine to the window and I spoke his name sharply.

"Yes, Mr. Glenarm."

"Then Sister Theresa's niece would get this property and everything else that belonged to Mr. Glenarm."

"That's my understanding of the matter, sir."

"Morgan, the caretaker, has tried to kill me twice since I came here. He fired at me through the window the night I came,—Bates!"

I waited for his eyes to meet mine again. His hands opened and shut several times and alarm and fear convulsed his face.

"Bates, I'm trying my best to think well of you; but I want you to understand,"—I smote the table with my clenched hand,—"that if these women,

I Smote the Table With My Clenched Hand.

or your employer, Mr. Pickering, or that damned hound Morgan, or you—damn you, I don't know who or what you are!—think you can scare me away from here, you've waked up the wrong man; and I'll tell you another thing,—and you may repeat it to your school teachers and to Mr. Pickering, who pays you, and to Morgan, whom somebody has hired to kill me,—that I'm going to keep faith with my dead grandfather, and that when I've spent my year here and done what that old man wished me to do, I'll give them this house and every acre of ground and every damned dollar the estate carries with it. And now one other thing! I suppose there's a sheriff or some kind of a constable with jurisdiction over this place, and I could have the whole lot of you put into jail for conspiracy, but I'm going to stand out against you alone,—do you understand me, you hypocrite, you stupid, slinking spy? Answer me, quick, before I throw you out of the room!"

I had worked myself into a great passion and fairly roared my challenge, pounding the table in my rage.

"Yes, sir; I quite understand you, sir. But I'm afraid, sir—"

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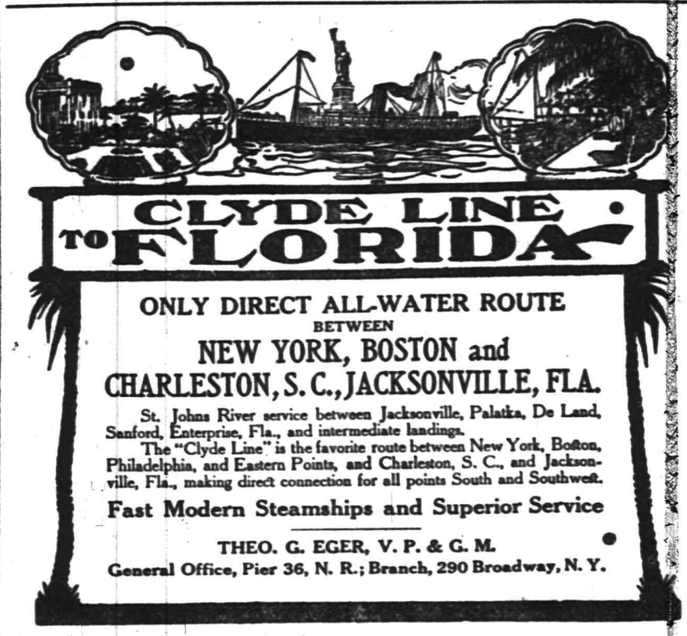

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Buster Brown Stockings for boys and girls, a pair 12½c

Sample lot of Ladies' Neckwear, values up to 50c, for 19c

A ROYAL OFFER—60c VALUE FOR 25c.

1 box Royal Tooth Powder, 1 box Royal Violet Talcum, 1 box Royal Foot Powder, 1 box Royal Silver Polish, all four for ..... .25

Men's Fast Black Seamless Socks, a pair ... 9c

FINAL CLEAN-UP OF CLOAKS AND SUITS

Ladies' $12.00, $15.00 and $18.00 Suits, now ..... $7.98 and $9.98
Ladies' $10.00 Coats now $5.98
$12.00 and $15 Coats now $7.98
$3.00 Skirts for $1.98
$5.00 Skirts for $2.98

Bowling and General Sports

PARK BOWLERS LOSE THE CHAMPIONSHIP

CRANFORD'S GOOD WORK LAST NIGHT PUT END TO THEIR HOPE.

After holding the lead in the Central Journal Bowling League tournament practically from the beginning of the series, the Park Club bowling team fell down last night at the critical moment and by being defeated in three games by Cranford Casino, lost the lead and the championship of the league. Cranford had a total of fifty-seven strikes against thirty-seven for the Parks. The latter was credited with twenty-two splits against eighteen for Cranford and they had a total of nineteen missed spares against twenty-one for their opponents.

There were two high men on the Park team, Long who rolled 202 in the first game and Barlow who put up 200 in the second. Even Ball, who has never failed to roll 200 in at least one game, did not go higher than 152 last night. The other scores generally were below the average. While Cranford did not put up any remarkable scores, excepting Page, who rolled 226 in the first game, their work generally was the kind that counts.

Cranford took the first game by a score of 876 to 806, the second by a score of 871 to 869 and the third by a score of 902 to 820. The scores are as follows:

PARKS.			
Barlow	151	200	181
Lyman	146	168	172
Daniel	165	189	168
Long	202	160	151
Ball	142	152	148
	806	869	820
CRANFORD.			
Bates	131	188	183
Page	226	140	154
Plummer	175	191	168
Cram	182	173	195
Saphar	162	179	201
	876	871	902

KEEP ON WINNING.

Boys' Five Scored Tenth Straight Victory Yesterday Afternoon.

The Y. M. C. A. boys' basketball five garnered their tenth straight victory yesterday afternoon at the expense of the Leal's seconds. Score 30 to 9. The Leal's boys worked hard, but a mysterious something that looked like the Y. M. C. A. team got in the way of their scoring.

Line-up and summary:

Y. M. C. A. JRS.		LEAL'S 2DS.
Bohan, Vail		Runyon
Robbins, Vanderbeek		Day
	forwards	
Conroy		Campbell
	center	
Mauley, Lindzey		Duke
Richardson, Miller.	Lawrence, Adams	
	guards	

Goals from field—Bohan, 4; Manley, Conroy, 10; Day, Duke, 3. Goals from fouls—Campbell.

THE "PONY" TEAM STRIKES A STREAK OF HARD LUCK

DROPPED FIVE OUT OF SIX GAMES ROLLED IN TOURNEY.

Misfortune seemed to be the lot of "Willie" Mullen and John Conklin in the bowling tourney last night and the hitherto aggressive "pony" team lost five out of six games rolled. They were pitted against Mack and Meyer first and dropped two, then went against Sheelen and Alberts and lost three straight, though they kept steady throughout. In the series with Mack and Meyer, Conklin started with a 214 but dropped to 148 and 168 and "Willie" came along with a 135 at the end. In the second game Mack and Meyer piled up a total of 423, the best for the night.

Another series was rolled between Causebrook and McLaughlin and Thompson and Leland, the latter team getting two out of the three. Causebrook started off bad, getting only 118, but Thompson tried to be sociable in the next game and went one below that. Leland got two double centuries despite the fact that he was rolling with an invalid thumb.

The scores:

Conklin	214	148	168
Mullen	157	165	135
	371	313	303
vs.			
Mack	165	231	164
Meyer	180	192	203
	345	423	367
McLaughlin	174	146	176
Causebrook	118	173	182
	292	319	358
vs.			
Thompson	144	147	142
Leland	224	212	154
	368	359	296
Mullen	171	153	192
Conklin	167	175	159
	338	328	351
vs.			
Alberts	168	206	203
Sheelen	182	175	210
	350	381	413

DIAMOND DUST.

"Red" Waller, formerly pitcher for the Westfield team, has been sold by the Bridgeport Club to the Wilmington team.

BASKETBALL.

The P. H. S. five will meet the Erasmus High School five, of Brooklyn, at the Y. M. C. A. February 20.

Trap Shooting.

Scott Terry beat Fred Roccheitte, of Rahway, by three breaks in a fifty-bird bluerock match at the traps on Brantingham's hotel grounds, Park avenue, yesterday afternoon. Tom Brantingham took Roccheitte on and beat him by six birds. Terry and Brantingham took everything in a sweepstakes against a field of seven. F. C. Bissett, of South River, who was to have shot against Brantingham, was sick abed. Brantingham has a match on with Roccheitte for next Thursday at the Rahway Gun Club, 100 birds for $25 a side. On Thursday Brantingham will shoot Belloff at the roadhouse for the same stake, giving Belloff ten dead birds.

Y. M. C. A. Competitors.

The running long dive and the running high jump were run off in the senior athletic championship at the Y. M. C. A. last night. Douglass won the dive with 11 feet 3 inches and Burgess the high jump with 5 feet and ¾ of an inch. The first three in the jump, Burgess, Lueder and Odell, will represent the Y. M. C. A. in that event in the meet with Passaic. Conroy won the high dive in the boys' competition yesterday afternoon, and Freeman won the same event in the High School competition.

League Contest Postponed.

The match that was to have been rolled between the Elizabeth and Newark Bay clubs, of the Central League, last night, was postponed at the request of the latter organization till some date next week.

—The Hawks tied the Storks for the lead in the Bible class basketball league yesterday afternoon by winning from them, 28 to 6.

Big Motor Works Fire.

New York, Feb. 15.—Involving a loss estimated at $500,000, the plant of the Dalmler Motor Works, in the Steinway section of Long Island City, was burned early yesterday morning. Eight complete automobiles, built to order by the company, were burned, also forty others which were in course of construction. In addition to these there were two racing machines, used for demonstration purposes by the company, one of which was entered in the Vanderbilt Cup race last year and one which had been raced in Florida.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

Weinberger's New York Clothing Co.

202 West Front St., Plainfield, N. J.

J. WEINBERGER, Manager.

The Largest Retail Clothiers in Union County.

After Inventory Sale!

Look this over carefully as it is the wind up of the winter stock. We are offering some special lots in Suits and Overcoats not all sizes complete—find your size and get great value.

SPECIAL!

We have a number of Overcoats for men, sizes 34, 35, 36 and 37, and a few 44 and 48. They are worth $15, $18, $20 and $22.50, in Black, Grey, Oxford, in long cut and some French back; extra well tailored. To be sold for

$6.90.

SPECIAL!

Youths' Suits and Overcoats, sizes 16, 17, 18 and 19 years. These garments are valued at from $10 to $16.50; are high grade make, in finest cut and fitting suits; some in Blue and Black Serges and Thibets. To be sold at

$4.98.

SPECIAL!

Child's Suits in sizes 10, 11 and 12 years of age, in knickerbocker suits, worth up to $5.00; special at $2.24. Special Child's Suits in Double-breasted, plain pants, worth up to $5.00, ages from 8 to 15 years. To be sold at

$1.19.

SPECIAL!

Child's Overcoats, sizes 3 to 8 years in Oxford, Blue and Mixed Goods, values up to $7.00; special at $1.99. Special—Youths' pants in 26 to 31 in waist, 27 to 30 inches length, strictly all wool and guaranteed finest class make and fit. To be sold at

98c.

SPECIAL!

Men's fancy Silk Embroidered Fast Black Sox, 9½ to 11½, wonderful bargain at

11c.

SPECIAL!

A very special line of Linen Collars, guaranteed as good as the best, in all up-to-date styles, 14 to 17 sizes, at

9c.

BARGAIN SATURDAY

Here is an anouncement, crowded to the limit with bargains of an unmatchable sort. Every line represents MONEY SAVING

PANAMA SKIRTS.

Strictly all wool handsome gray mixture skirts. The Panamas are in the latest pleated spring models, black, blue and brown. While they last $1.98

WOMEN'S COATS.

They are made from good quality mixtures. The greatest value ever offered.. $2.98

FOR GIRLS.

Girls' Dresses, balance of our winter stock, at..... .44

PETTICOATS.

Black Mercerized Sateen, full umbrella flounces of pleating and ruffle finish, worth $1.75, special ..... .98

WAISTS.

A lot of odds and ends consisting of Lawns, Madras and Flannnelettes, at ..... .29

KIMONAS.

Balance of our 75c Kimonas at ..... .19

Women's $5.00 and $6.00 Skirts at..... $3.19

SWEATERS.

Sweaters were $2.00 to $3.00 at ..... .98

Sweaters were $1.00 and $1.50 at ..... .29

CHINA SILK WAISTS.

A lot of 10 dozen, none less than $2.00; special at this money saving at..... .98

GIRLS' COATS.

Girls' Full Length Coats, made from wool cheviots, melton or fancy cloth, sizes 6 to 14 years, at $1.98

THE PARIS

214 WEST FRONT STREET

Moving Picture Show.

A boys' entertainment will be held at the Y. M. C. A. auditorium Washington's Birthday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Robertson's moving pictures will be shown.

Engagement Announced.

Dr. and Mrs. Allen H. Sill, of Westfield, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Sadie Louise Sill, to William Edward Webb, Jr., of New York.

ROADSTERS' CALENDAR.
Sun Rises 6:53 a. m.
Sun Sets 5:36 p. m.
Lanterns must be lighted 6:36 p. m.

THE DAILY PRESS.

THE WEATHER
For New Jersey—Partly cloudy tonight and Sunday; colder Sunday.
Maximum 32, minimum, 10.
24 hours ending at noon. Ther. at noon 32.

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BRIG. GEN. DEADLOCKED

Forty-Five Ballots and Still Col. Collins Fails to Get Elected.

POLITICS THE CAUSE?

Senior Colonel Is a Democrat and that Is Alleged to Be the Reason Why South Jersey Opposes Him.

Forty-five ineffectual ballots were cast by the field officers of the Second and Third regiments, comprising the Second brigade of the New Jersey national guard, last night, in an effort to elect a brigadier general to succeed General Quincy O'M. Gillmore, commander of the brigade, resigned.

Colonel Dennis F. Collins, commander of the Second regiment, and Colonel John A. Mather, of the Third regiment, were the only candidates. Each controlled the five votes of his regiment, and after a two hours' session there was nothing to indicate that either side would break.

After the 45th ballot had been taken, Major C. Walter Shivers, of the Third regiment, was taken suddenly ill and Major General P. Farmer Wanser, commander of the division, who presided over the election, called a halt. When it became apparent that Major Shivers was in no condition to remain at the meeting, the general ordered the meeting adjourned.

It had been confidently expected in local military circles that after a few complimentary ballots had been cast for Colonel Mather by the officers of his regiment the South Jersey colonel would throw his support to Colonel Collins.

The basis for this was that Colonel Collins is the senior colonel of the brigade. The officers of the Second Regiment believed that both for the good of the guard and through courtesy the Third Regiment officers would bow to the order of seniority.

The meeting was conducted in the board room at the armory, at Trenton, and there were present all of the officers qualified to vote for a brigadier general. They were Colonel Dennis F. Collins, Elizabeth; Lieutenant Colonel Nelson Y. Dungan and Major George L. Forman, both of Trenton; Major Horace M. Reading, of Stockton, and Major William B. Martin, of Elizabeth, all of the Second Regiment; Colonel J. A. Mather, of Camden; Lieutenant Colonel Thomas D. Loudon, Bordentown; Major Daniel F. Mather and Major C. Walter Shivers, Woodbury, and Major Winfield S. Price, Camden.

Some assigned politics as the real motive for the Third's officers holding out. Colonel Collins is a Democrat, while the majority of the electors from the South Jersey regiment are Republicans.

This opinion was scouted by the majority of the militiamen.

The generally accepted reason for the attitude assumed by the officers of the Third is the fact that those who are supporting Colonel Mather saw a chance for advancement in their own regiment and were indisposed to let the opportunity pass without a contest.

SALAAM MYSTIC SHRINERS HOLD "LADIES' NIGHT."

Plainfield Members and Their Women-folk Well Represented at Big Affair in Newark.

Salaam Temple, Ancient Arabic Order Nobles Mystic Shrine, gave a "ladies' night" entertainment at Krueger's Auditorium, Newark, last night, which was attended by several hundred members and their wives, including a large delegation from this city. There was a vaudeville entertainment, followed by a banquet and a dance. The Plainfielders went to Newark on the 6:18 train and returned home in a special trolley car, making the trip to this city in less than two hours.

Those attending from this city included Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Woodruff, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Rugg, Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Ewart, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Liefke, Miss Irene Samuels, Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. James F. Buckle, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Woolston, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Williams, Mr. and Mrs. B. Frank Coriell, Thomas Hanna, Mr. and Mrs. Christian Gloeckler, Edward Sebring, Mr. and Mrs. William R. Codington, Miss Martha Codington, Miss Lucy Coriell, Miss Clara Buckle, Miss Edna Sebring, Mr. and Mrs. James T. Mac Murray, Mrs. Fred Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest A. Lowe.

—Hear Peary, New Plainfield theatre, March 4. ***

—The regular meeting of the Plainfield Operatic Association will be held at the Casino on Tuesday night, when rehearsals for "Pinafore" will begin.

TWO VETERAN PYTHIANS

They Observe Their Lodge Birthday at Meeting of Perserverance.

SOME REMINISCENCES

Asa Pope and Thomas Caleen Tell the Brethren of Days Agone In the Order.

Members of Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, Knights of Pythias, who turned out to meeting last night had the pleasure of hearing reminiscences exchanged between Asa D. Pope and Thomas Caleen, two of the oldest living members of the lodge. It so happened that last night was the twenty-fifth Pythian birthday of Mr. Caleen, while it was twenty years ago last night that Mr. Pope was initiated in the lodge. Messrs. Caleen and Pope have both "gone through the chairs" and are past chancellor commanders. Mr. Pope is still one of the most active members of the lodge and seldom misses a session. For several years past he has served the lodge as representative to the Grand Lodge at its annual sessions. In his capacity as a member of the Grand Lodge he has served with credit several years on the committee on laws.

Following the business session the good and welfare period was turned over to these two patriarchs of Pythian brotherhood. Mr. Pope recounted the many good times he had enjoyed while a member of the lodge, and although he did not feel older himself he reviewed with much sadness that the goat was not quite so frisky as in the days of yore. He graphically illustrated his fidelity and love for Perseverance Lodge in his description of being a regular attendant for twenty years. In that time, he said, he had gone through floods, snowstorms, blizzards and sweltering hot weather, but had always been repaid for his trouble.

After Mr. Caleen made remarks in a similar vein, Morgan Fenton, another old veteran of the lodge, took a glance at the past, and reviewed the many changes brought in a long stretch of time. On August 3 he will have been a member of Perseverance twenty-four years. Mr. Tenton was one of the sponsors for Mr. Pope when his application for membership was filed with the lodge. Peter Stram and Mr. Moore and other old "vets" were present and drank in the testimony of the other patriarchs along with the younger members. Short addresses were also made by Chancellor Commander William Baker, Walter L. Hetfield, Jr., J. B. Higgins, V. W. Nash, Jr., and others.

The lodge completed preparations for entertaining the Newark lodge bowling team, which will compete with the Perseverance quintet on McLaughlin's alleys next Tuesday night. V. W. Nash, Jr., was appointed chairman of a committee to arrange for a collation to the visitors after the match is rolled.

EPWORTH LEAGUERS ENJOY INDOOR PICNIC.

Heart Hunt, Golf Tournament, Bean Bag and Picnic, Refreshments Some of the Features.

More than 200 young people of the First M. E. church enjoyed an indoor picnic in Vincent chapel, last night, under the auspices of the social committee of the Epworth League, of which Miss Helen Whitney is the chairman. Miss Edna French and her assistants decorated the chapel with rustic seats, hammocks, evergreen roping, giving the place the appearance of good old summer time. In one corner of the chapel were two tents, where Miss Lillian Glen and Miss Antoinette Aalholm told fortunes by the reading of the palm.

When the young people gathered a large chain was formed and each one was introduced to the other. Then a heart hunt kept every one busy for awhile until a golf tournament was started by Charles B. Morse. A number engaged in this sport, which furnished lots of fun. Another feature was the bean bag game. During the evening Eldon Miller, attired as an old "Rube," sold peanuts. There was a silver offering for the flower fund. Later picnic refreshments were served by the committee. Those who assisted Miss Whitney were Miss Huber, Miss Clark and Miss French.

Will Sing "Love and Praise."

The combined choirs of the First M. E. church, of this city, and the Presbyterian church, Westfield, under the direction of J. Edmund Skiff, organist and choirmaster, will give West's cantata, "Love and Praise," at the First M. E. church on Sunday night, March 3. The cantata will give that afternoon in the Presbyterian church, Westfield, by the two choirs.

—Get your tickets for Peary's lecture at drug stores. ***

MARTINE WOULD ACCEPT

"Farmer Orator" Willing to His Party's Candidate For Governor.

OPTIMISTIC AS EVER

Believes That Democrats Will Win—Will Preach Party Creed Until His Dying Day.

Although he absolutely refuses to accept the advice of political friends about the State and groom himself for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination next fall, James E. Martine, known far and wide as "the farmer orator of New Jersey," admits that if a nomination were forced upon him by the convention he would be in honor bound to lead the fight to wrest the State from Republican control. Mr. Martine's announcement is considered important, inasmuch as the press of the State has frequqently stated that the Plainfield veteran would in no circumstances all ow his name to go before the gubernatorial convention of his part".

"I have no desire to run again for public office," said Mr. Martine. "The fact is that I have been before the people in such capacity so often that I think it is high time that I be given a perpetual leave of absence from such duty. Of course, I propose until my dying day to preach the pospel of Democracy, for it is my religion. It has always been my ambition to go to Congress, and while I have come very near attaining the goal, the fact remains that I have not achieved my life's aim."

When asked point blank whether he would decline absolutely to run for the Governorship if the opportunity were presented to him, the "farmer orator" pondered a moment, running his hand through his hair in his peculiarly characteristic way, and the blurted out, "Yes. Should it so happen, and I consider it almost an impossible condition," he said, "that the convention should unanimously tender me the nomination, I would be honor bound as a Democrat to answer the call of my comrades. That would be as much my duty as it is for me to act as a Grand Juror when I am summoned.

"I am constantly getting letters from Democratic leaders in various counties, particularly in the rural districts, suggesting and offering their support. The whole idea, however, is distasteful to me. As I grow older, and you know I am not a young man by any means, I am more and more convinced that 'the office should seek the man, and not the man the office.'

"The Democratic party in New Jersey is blessed with having an abundance of true, honest and loyal men who would be most creditable as chief executives. To my mind now come the names of splendid Democrats in a dozen counties who would serve the State well in this capacity, and I would take to the hustings and work with might and main for any one of them should he be nominated. Of course, you know I'm an optimist, but I want to say right here that I believe sincerely that we are going to rescue the State from the Republicans next fall. The people are sick of Republican rule and its consequent mismanagement and extravagance.

"The election of Briggs in place of Dryden for United States Senator has not helped them any. Briggs is a fine fellow, but he bears the Dryden label and represents nothing but interests inimical to the masses. We'll meet the Republicans squarely on the issues and there will be plenty of them on which we will make a winning fight."

B. Collins Firstbrook Engaged.

The engagement of Miss Gertrude Geier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Geier, of Madison avenue, to Bertram Collins Firstbrook is announced. The wedding ceremony will be solemnized at the home of the bride-elect's parents, next Wednesday evening. Mr. Firstbrook has been identified with amateur theatricals for a number of years as a song and dance artist. He is also an end man of the Muir Gold Medal Minstrels. He is a tea and milk merchant.

Police Offices to Be Filled.

Among the important matters for the Common Council to take up at an early date will be that of filling the new positions in the police department provided for in the amended ordinance, that of captain, sergeant and detective sergeant. Mayor Fisk made appointments for these offices, but they were held up by the Common Council. It is likely that the question will be settled at the March meeting of the Common Council.

—Hear Peary, New Plainfield theatre, March 4. ***

—Thirty sample couches at a big saving in price, right now, at Shirley & Johnston's. 2 16 2 ***

PETER A. EMMONS DIES AFTER A WEEK'S ILLNESS

PASSED AWAY AT HIS HOME ON JACKSON AVENUE THIS MORNING.

Following an illness of one week, Peter A. Emmons, one of the best known residents of the borough, died at 10:30 this morning at his home on Jackson avenue. He was taken sick last Saturday with an ailment that quickly developed acute Bright's disease and he bagn to fail rapidly. For the past two or three days his condition was known to be serious and the end was not unexpected.

Mr. Emmons was in his fifty-ighth year and came to the borough from New York in 1882. From the outset he evinced an interest in its affairs and in 1888 he was elected a member of the Common Council. He served but one term as a pressure of business matters prevented his taking the office a second time. He did not retire from public affairs entirely but at intervals served the borough in various political matters, being affiliated with the Republican party and one of Mayor Smalley's lieutenants. He was a delegate to the county convention last fall and was prominent in the Good Government Club.

As a member of the Masonic order Mr. Emmons was known by the fraternity throughout the State. He had advanced from Anchor Lodge, in which he served as worshipful master, to Jerusalem chapter and to Salaam Temple, Mystic Shrine. He was also a member of Trinity Commandery, No. 17, Knights Templar, and he seldom missed a gathering of the Grand Commandery. He was also an attendant at Trinity Reformed church.

Mr. Emmons was engaged in business in New York for a long time, in recent years importing and selling laces and linens to the retail trade. He is survived by a wife, two daughters, Mrs. Gilbert Fletcher and Mrs. Arthur Smith, both of the borough, and two sons, Walter and William Emmons. Beside these there are two brothers, John P. Emmons, of Prospect place and James Emmons, of South River; also three sisters, Mrs. Margaret Little, of Fords Corner; Mrs. Elmira Holman and Mrs. Ada Otis, of New Brunswick.

SENATOR COLBY DENIES SOME POLITICAL TALES

RUMOR THAT HE WILL REMOVE HERE IS WITHOUT FOUNDATION.

The story circulated in political quarters here that State Senator Everett Colby, of Essex county, the Republican reform leader in New Jersey, was about to transfer his place of residence to Plainfield turns out to be one of the many political canards that pop up every day. In reply to a query from The Daily Press, Senator Colby has telegraphed from Atlantic City: "There is no foundation for the rumor whatever." The Senator has been staying at the seashore resort for sometime, his wife, who was formerly Miss Edith Hyde, of this city, having been taken there for the benefit of her health. She has been suffering from a severe case of nervous prostration and her mother, Mrs. Charles Hyde, and other relatives also being at her bedside. Some credence was given the report that the Senator contemplated removing here because of the fact that his wife's relatives live here and also because Mr. Colby has a host of personal and political friends in Union county and particularly in Plainfield.

Another tale about the Senator's plans, which proves equally untrue, had it that he was about to be honored by President Roosevelt with some important appointment. This story also gained circulation here, being looked upon as possible inasmuch as Mr. Colby has frequently visited the President at Washington and is said to be held in high esteem by the Chief Magistrate of the Nation. The Senator, however, declares that there is absolutely nothing in the report.

The Same Number of Applicants.

For the first time in several years there is no increase in the number of applicants for liquor licenses. The twelve licensed places have renewed their applications and all are likely to be granted at the meeting of the Common Council Monday night, March 25. This year's licenses expire March 1, hence the necessity for action prior to that time.

Mrs. Bergen's Will Probated.

Mrs. Mary Bergen's will was probated in the Orphans' Court at Elizabeth yesterday by Counsellor F. J. Blatz. Mrs. Metcalf, the executrix, refused to serve, and Miss Mary E. Bergen was appointed to her place. The estate is of fair size.

—Get your tickets for Peary's lecture at drug stores. ***

REPLY TO MR. SAUNDERS

Made by President R. Henry Depew of the Protective Association.

MONTGOMERY INCIDENT.

Councilman Was Only Told An Executive Committee Session Was About to Begin.

A reply to William L. Saunders' strictures on the P. P. A. was made public by President R. Henry Depew, of the Protective Association, this morning. Mr. Saunders, in withdrawing from the association, wrote a letter to Mr. Depew in which he expressed disapproval of what was intimated to be the association's assumption of a representation of the people higher than that reposed in the Common Council. Mr. Depew's reply is ts follows:

"While I am, of course, ignorant of the differences which you believe to exist in our views regarding the policy of the Plainfield Protective Association, it is so clear from your letter of February 1st that your position is based upon an entire misapprehension of the association's policy, actions, and methods that I deem it the duty of myself, as president, toward you, as a valued member of its executive committee, to make clear by written reply what I evidently failed sufficiently to explain, previous to the publication of your letter, in my conversation with you upon the same subject.

"It is true that an association formed for the uprooting of error in any communnity must necessarily create antagonism among those whose business or political interests are connected directly or indirectly with the sources of such error, and I suppose that the governing body of such an association will at times inevitably subject itself to the criticism of such interests.

"It naturally follows that these interests will not only, themselves, oppose the association and the prinnciples of honest and straightforward dealing for which it stands, but will endeavor through wilful misunderstandings and garbled accounts to shake the confidence of the community and win a perverted and dangerous sympathy.

"For years a complaint has been made, with apparent justification, that our city lighting has been insufficient, and the contracts therefor more honored in the breach than in the observance. Our association, formed for the amelioration of conditions in the city and borough, deemed this condition a proper subject of investigation, and adopted the ordinary business method, where technical matters are involved, of employing an expert to prevent mistake and possible injustice, and paid him out of its own funds, and likewise sought from the city government information and co-operation, frankly stating the purpose thereof, and Mayor Fisk, being, in fact, one of our executive committee, was specifically informed by myself as to the proposed investigation.

"Such expert report being naturally the private property of the association must necessarily have been, as it was, presented in the first instance to the executive committee for appropriate action, and it would have been not only manifestly improper, but entirely outside of my power to have previously submitted it to a city official, or to any other person.

"At the time of Mr. Montgomery's appearance before the executive committee, he was not 'told that his presence was no longer required,' but on the contrary, he was received with courtesy and expression of appreciation for the information furnished, and when the committee convened an executive session it was politely explained to him that as he was not a member thereof, I was naturally unable to ask him to participate, in which explanation he as politely acquiesced. You, of course, understand that Mr. Fisk, being a member of the committee, might have attended had he so desired, and was urged to do so.

As you also know, the association's constitution prohibits the consideration of any political question whatever, and upon this prohibition it has rigorously insisted, with the single exception of the resolution, favoring consolidation, offered by yourself, unadvisably passed, and of which I afterwards unsuccessfully requested you to allow the rescission upon this ground. But, aside from this fact of such prohibition The Executive Committee not only never assumed that "the City Council, or that any of its committees are either incompetent or corrupt," but had not even a thought of considering officially, or otherwise, the connection of the said City Council or its committees with the subject of the investigation.

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TO ORGANIZE Y. W. C. A.

Women to Meet Tuesday to Plan For the Formation of an Association.

Y. M. C. A.'S APPROVAL

Secretary Robbie Endorses Idea—Miss Kelly to Address the Gathering.

Plans for the organization of a Young Women's Christian Association, which have been under consideration for several weeks, will be presented for action at a meeting of those interested to be held at Warren chapel Tuesday night at 8 o'clock. Miss Snyder, of New York, one of the traveling secretaries for the association, who has been in Plainfield looking over the ground, will attend the public meeting and explain the objects and purposes and it is desired that as any young women as possible attend the meeting.

During the past two weeks several meetings have been held in the interest of the movement and there is now considerable enthusiasm shown, not only among the leaders, but others as well. Kenneth Robbie, secretary of the Y. M. C. A., has given his endorsement and others prominent in Christian work have assured their support.

If such an association is formed here there will be classes in dressmaking, millinery and there will be gymnasium for the development of the physical, as well as the mental nature. It is particularly desired that young working women attend the meeting Tuesday night for it is largely this class that the movement is intended for. Visits have been made to the local factories and shops and the proprietors have become very enthusiastic in their efforts to help the thing along. Miss Snyder has just organized an association in Camden and it was attended with great success. The movement here has the support of many wealthy and influential women.

PROGRESSIVE SIN.

Small Boy's Theft Led to Shoving the Queer and Lying.

Reuben Johnson, a tough small boy, was arrested by Patrolman Payne yesterday afternoon for attempting to pass a counterfeit half-dollar. Johnson sent George Hubbard, another small boy, to Timbo's restaurant with the coin, to have it changed. It was a very bad counterfeit and Sig. Timbo spotted it right away. Payne was in the restaurant and the arrest followed.

Reuben lied valiantly in court this morning, to convince the magistrate that he was an innocent little angel with a taste for candy as his only failing, but a prodding examination in which Chief Kiely and Capt. Irwin, of the children's court, took part, brought out the facts that Reuben had stolen a dollar bill from his mother to begin with, and then, finding the bad half-dollar in the change he received after breaking the bill, foxily sent the Hubbard boy to pass it on. Reuben was swelled up a bit over his arrest yesterday afternoon, but he was crying like any ordinary small boy in trouble before Capt. Irwin got through with him. The probation officer ordered him to go to school Monday, and to report to him next Saturday, at headquarters. Incidentally, the Hubbard boy was pounced on and ordered to school; he hadn't been going very regular.

FREE LENTEN RECITAL.

Will Be Given at Church of the Holy Cross Today.

The first of the free Lenten recitals will be given at the Church of the Holy Cross this afternoon at 4 o'clock. The public generally is invited to attend these recitals to be held every Saturday afternoon during Lent, excepting during Holy Week. This afternoon, F. Clinton Lee, assistant organist at Trinity chapel, New York, will preside at the organ and Fred'k J. Pope, baritone, will assist. This programme will be given:

Triumphal March, Buck; Grand Chorus, Offertory, Fughetta, Lemaigre; solo, Out of the Deep, Woodman; Allegretto Grazioso, Tours; At Evening, (Idyklle) Buck; solo, There Is a Green Hill Far Away, Gounod; Andante and Allegro, Bache; Second Sonata, Mendelssohn.

Evening prayer will follow the recital.

Organ Recital at Grace Church.

These numbers will be rendered at the organ recital at Grace church to morrow afternoon at 4:15 o'clock by William E. MacClymont, organist: Sonata, Guilmant; Question and Answer (by request), Wilstenholme; Funeral March of a Marionette, Gounod.

—Get your tickets for Peary's lecture at drug stores. ***

HIS TRADE SCHOOL IDEA

Rev. George A. Warner Is Working It Up With Vigor.

HE HAS A LOT OF DATA

And Is Going to Get More—Will Study New York Trade Schools and Consult With Local Shop Men.

Rev. George A. Warner is actively engaged in securing data relative to the trade school idea, which he broached at the Board of Trade dinner Tuesday night. He has gathered a lot of information already and is adding to it daily.

Mr. Warner is sure a trade school would be a good thing for Plainfield, and he means to work up the idea until it is either well on the way toward successful execution or shown to be impractical beyond any doubt. He will consult a number of workers in the trade school field in New York

Rev. George A. Warner.

and earn their views and methods. He will visit schools in operation and see how the work is done. Grounded in the generalities of the field after a course of such investigation, Mr. Warner will then go about among the shops and the shopmen of this city and learn just how a trade school would be received. He will consult with the men who ought to know conditions here, and find out whether a school would be a good thing, and, if so, how best to start and maintain it.

Mr. Warner believes that a trade school would be of great value in Plainfield's educational scheme. He believes there are boys of a certain trend of mind who are unfit for the higher branches of schooling but who are peculiarly adapted to, and would enjoy, trade schooling. He is convinced such a school could be endowed without any great difficulty.

KING'S DAUGHTERS ENTERTAIN FOR DAY NURSERY BENEFIT.

Brightside Circle and Its Friends Gather at the Home of Mrs. F. W. Jones.

Under the auspices of Brightside Circle, King's Daughters, and for the benefit of the Day Nursery, a musical and literary entertainment was held last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Jones, on Mountain avenue. Over sixty members and friends of the circle attended the affair and it was a great success financially and socially. Assisting in the entertainment were Clarence B. Hayes, tenor soloist at Christ's church, New Brighton; Miss Searles, accompanist, of New York; Miss Ethel Englehart and James Vail. The programme was as follows:

Piano solos, Perle Du Nord, La Polka De La Riene, Nearer My God to Thee, variations, Cradle Song, Old Black Joe, variations, Polish Dance, Old Oaken Bucket, vartations, Home, Sweet Home, James Vail; tenor solos, My First Love, You Had Better Ask Me, Love Me and the World Is Mine, Until God's Day, Clarence B. Hayes; recitations, So Was I, Miss Ethel Englehart; Angelina Jackson, Miss Fowler.

The new officers of the circle just elected are as follows: President, Mrs. J. A. Powlison; vice president, Miss Claypool; secretary, Miss Kiernan; treasurer, Mrs. Frank W. Jones. After the entertainment a social hour was enjoyed.

Sagamore's Annual Entertainment.

The annual entertainment of the Sagamore Musical Club will be held at the Casino Monday night. The club will be assisted by Miss Aimee Louise Emmons, reader; Malcolm Shackleford, humorist, and Fred VanEps, banjoist. The concert will begin at 8:15 and will be followed by dancing.

"Primitive Arts and Crafts."

George Wharton James will lecture on "Primitive Arts and Crafts," before the Monday Afternoon Club at the Casino, Monday afternoon at 3:30. The lecture will begin at 3:30 o'clock.

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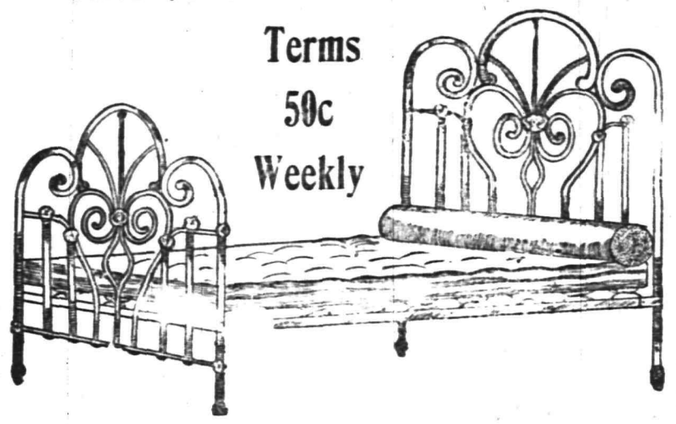

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Services tomorrow at the Baptist church will be held at the usual hours: Morning preaching, 10:45; B. Y. P. U. meeting, 7:15; evening preaching, 8 o'clock. Rev. T. Moore-Smith will preach at both services, having recovered from a severe attack of the grip, which has detained him at home for two weeks.

Lincoln's and Washington's Birthdays will be observed together by the public school on Thursday afternoon at 1:30 in the assembly room of the school. A pleasing programme has been arranged and the parents and friends of the school are invited to attend and enjoy the exercises with the school.

The weather the past week has been pretty hard on those who have tried to get any warmth in the trolley cars out of the two or three hot coals the P. S. C. calls a fire.

The baseball team has about closed a lease for the use of the lot adjoining the Episcopal church for a baseball grounds this season.

Mrs. Joseph Schwalbach, who recently underwent a serious operation at Muhlenberg Hospital, is recovering very nicely.

Rev. A. H. Cook will have charge of the weekly prayer and praise meeting tonight in the Methodist church.

Mrs. Otto Peterson, of Newark, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Clark, of Prospect avenue.

Mrs. Isaac Ryno, of Park avenue, has been entertaining her mother, Mrs. Woodruff, of Westfield.

Frank Rapp, a former resident here, but now of Lincoln, has been visiting friends in town.

Miss Anna Parse, of Plainfield, was the guest of friends in town yesterday.

WESTFIELD.

The organization of the Westfield Choral Society has been completed and rehearsals will be commenced next Monday evening at Willard Hall, on Prospect street. The officers of the society are: Douglass Lane, of Newark, conductor; T. W. Murray, secretary and treasurer.

Mrs. Elizabeth Coles, daughter of the late Benjamin Pierson, of Westfield, died Wednesday at Morris Plains. She leaves a sister, Mrs. J. E. Brewer, of Westfield. Mrs. Coles was in her sixtieth year.

The cases of violation of the snow ordinance called in Westfield Police Court Thursday had nearly all been settled out of court. The three or four called were adjourned pending a settlement.

Westfield residents are again asking for an extension of the free delivery system. The application of Mountainsville for rural free delivery has not yet been acted upon.

NORTH BRANCH.

Invitations have been issued for the wedding of Miss May B. Petty, of this place, and Frederick W. Dealaman, of Martinsville. The ceremony will be performed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Van Doren, at Readington, February 26, at 4 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Kiple, of South Branch, have been entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lane and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rudeback, of Centreville, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Holman, of Roycefield, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert K. Van Fleet, at South Branch, for a few days.

The annual meeting of the Mission Band will be held at the parsonage of the Presbyterian church at Pluckemin this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Van Dyke, who live near here, have returned from a visit to Miss Emma Ballentine, at Peapack.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Lane and Miss McLaughlin have returned to Pluckemin, after a visit to relatives at Pottersville.

The woman's prayer meeting was held Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Stewart Brown, of Pluckemin.

John Glaser, of Somerville, has been spending a few days with his father, J. C. Glaser, in this place.

SOMERVILLE.

Mrs. C. H. Bateman and Miss Porter entertained the Woman's Club, at the club rooms on West Cliff street yesterday afternoon. It was a valentine party.

Mrs. C. Koehler has returned from a visit of several weeks to her mother, in New York.

Miss Mary Dodd, of Orange, is a guest of Miss Emma Porter, of West Cliff street.

RARITAN.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Grove have been spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Grove at Cranbury.

Miss Ethel M. Chamberlain and Miss Mary Smith have returned home after visiting in Bordentown.

Mrs. John Tierney, of Philadelphia, was a recent guest of her mother, Mrs. Thomas Dorsey.

Miss Ruth Lane, of Bloomfield, has been spending a week in Raritan.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

The Athletic Club met last night to consider the rental and furnishing of rooms. It is expected that the club will make its home in the bank building. Athletic apparatus, games and furniture will be purchased at once.

Henry Wiedenhaupt, of Basking Ridge, has returned home after a visit to his father-in-law, Paul Kratzel.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Zimmerman are happy over the arrival of a baby boy.

John Dineen is recovering from the effects of the injury he received while at work two weeks ago. He expects to return to his work in a day or two.

Rev. L. H. Copeland, of Liberty, N. Y., will preach at the Baptist church tomorrow. He is a candidate for the pastorate.

George Schenck filled his ice house this week. The last batch of cakes was twelve and sixteen inches thick.

The good and welfare committee of Lakeside Council met last night at the home of Ogden Meeker.

The Young Ladies' Sodality attended communion in a body at St. John's church this morning.

The Misses Nettie and Mary Baldwin have returned from a visit to friends in Newark.

Miss Estelle Sofield returned, this week, from a visit to friends in Port Richmond, S. I.

A new member was admitted at the last meeting of the Holy Name Society.

Miss Edna Baldwin has returned to work after several days of illness.

Mrs. George Craig is recovering from an attack of the grip.

Willard Apgar is on the sick list.

RAHWAY.

A. Schneider, of Rahway, has sold his farm of 178 acres, below this city, to the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. The new freight road has to pass through the farm. This makes the last but two, of the farms needed for the route. As soon as the freight route is completed, it is claimed that the elevation of tracks through Rahway will be commenced by the company.

The Rahway Branch Sunshine Club was addressed at its Thursday meeting by Rev. William T. Stuchell, the meeting being held at the home of Mrs. Abram Terrill, of Fulton street. Miss Elsie Meyer and Miss Elsie Hallen played several piano selections and refreshments were served.

The Holy Angels' Society of St. Mary's church has elected Miss Catharine Fox, president; Miss Margaret Brophy, vice-president, and Miss Loretta Bedow, treasurer.

Reliance Lodge, No. 101, K. of P., will attend the gathering at Wallace's Hall, Y. M. C. A. building, New York, February 24, to celebrate the founding of the order.

Twenty pinochle-playing experts, who are holding a tournament, were entertained as guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Sullivan recently.

Mrs. W. W. Pendleton, of Rahway, and Mrs. W. S. Pendleton, of Brooklyn, will start for Palm Beach today for a few weeks' stay.

The Baptist Ladies' Aid Society met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George C. Miller, of Campbell street.

Mrs. Frederick Pitt celebrated her birthday anniversary last night by entertaining a party of friends at her home.

The Y. P. Federation of Clubs will meet at the First Presbyterian church next Monday night.

Members of Barry Post, G. A. R., will attend the encampment tonight.

Dr. J. T. Brickell is ill with the grip at his Milton avenue residence.

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CRANFORD.

Commissioner of Police Edwin G. Woodling has issued a notice that the new telephone signal boxes are now in service, and that an officer can be called at police headquarters by telephone at any hour of the night after 8 o'clock. The call number is 170.

The Rose Villa Musical Society gave a musicale at the residence of Mrs. John H. Thompson, Thursday afternoon. The compositions of Schubert were rendered by members. Mrs. J. Caldwell Park entertained.

An accountant has been employed by the Township Committee to audit the township and tax collector's accounts. The work will be started next week.

The library committee will hold a candy and cake sale this afternoon in the library rooms.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. A. S. Amerman, of Somerville, has been visiting Mrs. Abram Holder, of this city.

Miss Marie Anderson, of South Branch, has been spending several days in town with friends.

Mrs. Berne Egel, of West Front street, has been entertaining her mother from Bound Brook.

James S. Trimmer, of this city, has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Lemuel Neighbor, of Middle Valley.

Mrs. Charles Fiske, of Somerville, who has been spending several weeks in Plainfield during the absence of her husband in the west, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Ketcham, who were married in this city last week, are expected home next week from their honeymoon. They will reside at Westfield.

Noble C. King, of Oak Park, Chicago, for years a resident of Plainfield, has recently suffered the loss of his mother, who died in the sixty-ninth year of her age.

Harry K. Lister, of Grant avenue, who has been confined to his home for three weeks with the grip and other complications, expects to be out the first of the week.

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REMEMBERS AARON BURR

Interesting Reminiscences by Mrs. Mary Chetwood, of Elizabeth.

DEFENDS HIS MEMORY

She Believes He Has Been Grossly Maligned—Tells of His Place in American History.

No town in New Jersey is richer in Revolutionary lore than is Elizabeth, which furnished more men for Washington's army than any other locality in the colony. No other town in New Jersey was so beset by the enemy during the seven years' struggle, and no community made greater sacrifices of blood and treasure. Elizabeth enjoys the distinction of having furnished more commissioned officers than any other town, the most daring and distinguished men having their homes there when the war broke out. Some of them rose to national prominence in field and forum.

Quite a number of the lineal descendants of these heroes and statesmen are still living in the town, notably Mrs. Mary Chetwood, still hale and hearty at the age of 90 years. Mrs. Chetwood, widow of John Chetwood, born here in 1817, is a granddaughter of Colonel Aaron Ogden, aide-de-camp to General Washington and General Lafayette, and one of the most famous soldiers of the American Revolution.

In a recent intensely interesting conversation with Mrs. Chetwood she narrated many personal recollections of General Lafayette, Colonel Aaron Burr and other noted heroes of the war of independence.

"I am glad to know," said this patriotic and most amiable lady to me, "that you are an admirer of Colonel Burr, whom I repeatedly met and conversed with at the home of Colonel Aaron Ogden, my grandfather. No American was ever more foully aspersed than he. I never saw a more unselfish character, and never talked with such a brilliant conversationalist. No one who ever looked into his keen, black, luminous eyes, could forget them. I was in my early childhood when first presented to Colonel Burr at my grandfather's home, and was so fascinated with his appearance that I could scarcely withdraw my gaze. Perhaps he noticed this, as directly he made h is way across the great drawing room and asked me in a silver-toned voice if I played on the piano. When I told him I did not, he smiled sweetly and remarked: 'It is as well; you will have more time to improve your mind.'

"Colonel Burr, my grandfather and his brother, General Matthias Ogden, were bosom friends, almost inseparable, and of about the same age, 19 years, when the war broke out. General Ogden was two years their senior. The intimacy and burning love existing between the three was formed at the home of Colonel Burr's uncle, Timothy Edwards, (son of President Edwards of Princeton College,) who had married Rhoda Ogden, daughter of Robert Ogden, and a sister of Matthias and Aaron. Colonel Burr's mother was a daughter of President Edwards.

"Colonel Burr's parents dying when he was 5 years old, he and his sister made their home with their uncle, Timothy. Young Burr inherited a considerable estate, which allowed him the privilege of living and regulating his conduct according to the bent of his own inclinations. Burr's grief at the loss of his parents, to whom he was devotedly attached, seems to have completely changed his character, and historians, taking advantage of this, have been very hard on him, painting him in the blackest colors. Some writers in aspersing his character, have gone so far as to say that Colonel Burr died unbefriended, and his place of sepulchre is unknown.'

"I never understood why so-called historians wrote so venomously of a man who had faithfully and brilliantly served his country on its battle fields. Colonel Burr died at a pleasant home on Staten Island, his bedside surrounded by sorrowing relatives and friends. His mortality was interred at Princeton, near the happy scenes of his college days. Some of the relatives present at the obsequies were Pierrepont Edwards, son of the distinguished Jonathan Edwards. Pierrepont Edwards and Colonel Burr's mother were descendants of Colonel Burr's uncle, brother and sister. Mrs. Lily Devereaux Blake's mother was a daughter of Pierrepont Edwards. Ogden Edwards, who long lived on North Broad street, Elizabeth, and died there, was a great-grandson. His family still lives there.

"Ogden Edwards at one time possessed an oil painting of Theodosia Burr (Mrs. Alston), Colonel Burr's only daughter. It hung in the parlor for many years, where I frequently admired it. One night the house was entered and the canvass cut from the frame and carried away. The painting could never be traced, and a fine work of art, together with the picture of a lovely and fascinating woman, whose fate was melancholy, was thus forever lost. Theodosia Burr, in both girlhood and womanhood, was all brain and heart, the former too active and the latter too

loving for the fragile casket in which nature had enclosed them.

"I delight in recalling recollections of Colonel Burr, and the many thrilling stories I heard when a girl, of his great bravery and gallantry; of his long, perilous and fatiguing march through the enemy's country, amid deep snow and intense cold, to carry a dispatch from his commander—General Benedict Arnold—to General Montgomery, then besieging Quebec; of his carrying the latter, after falling desperately wounded through a red sea of the enemy's shots to a place of safety; of his pleasant association with General Israel Putnam, on whose staff he ably served, and of his distinguished conduct at Monmouth, in which campaign he was stricken with a disease which necessitated his retirement from the army, to whose interests he had been entirely devoted for more than four years.

"In stature, Colonel Burr was about five feet six inches; of spare, meagre form of elegant symmetry; fair and transparent complexion. He did not dress flashly, but well, and was of a commanding presence, erect and dignified deportment. His forehead was prominent and broad. His eyes, of which I have already spoken, were of ordinary size, of a dark hazel, appearing almost black, and scintillated with the most tremulous sensibility. They rolled with poetic fevor and beamed at all times with the piercing rays of genius. His mouth was large, his voice manly, clear and as melodious as a lute. His face, analyzed, showed unimportant traits, but upon a superficial view they were obscured like the spots in the sun by a radiance that dazzles and fascinates the sight.

"Colonel Burr in a promiscuous company was rather taciturn, but when he spoke it was with frankness. He was the most perfect model of an accomplished gentleman that could be found, even by the wanton imagination of poetry or fiction.

"I am heartily glad," said Mrs. Chetwood, in conclusion, "to learn that Americans are beginning to appreciate the great services rendered our country by Colonel Burr, and to bestow upon him that meed of praise of which he has so long been bereft by the machinations of envious men, who have labored to blacken his character and thus effect his ruin." J. Madison Drake in the Newark Sunday Call.

POINTS FOR THE BUYERS

Ike Richards, of Somerset street, buys second-hand clothing and pays highest prices.

Titus H. Laury, the contractor of East Front street, is always glad to furnish estimates for construction work of all kinds.

M. F. Gano, the real estate broker, of Park avenue, would like to explain his methods of securing a home easily. He also sells and leases desirable property.

CLOSE TO THE PEOPLE.

The Joy Hand in Greenwater.

Ewald Kune, hale, hearty, big as life, jovial, and ever full of the vim that counts, is "just," as it were, "got in" from Chicago and other eastern points.

G. T. Nighbert, a jolly good-natured fellow, is in from Bakersfield, Cal. What a rollicking laugh he has, such a jovial friendly handshake.

An old-time mining factor, one of those who has been in on the booming of most of the western mining camps, is Frank Cawley. Mr. Cawley is a fountain on the growth and development of what is today the mighty west.

Whoever would have thought it? But it is true. Mike O'Brien is an elocutionist, with all the gestures and inflections of voice that carries it from the melody of a sweet-toned bell to that of a rolling, terrific thunderstorm. What deep, soul-stirring pathos he puts into some of his recitations, and then some others like that of the rollicking fellow who makes tears transports themselves into "Laugh and the world laughs with you."

Billy Rice was in from Dry Camp. Billy is one of those whole-souled fellows who is always in clover, and as a consequence has many friends. He treated the boys generously while here and when he went home left many regards.—Greenwater (Cal.) Times.

Schedule in Kansas.

Since the pass is no more he has taken out the railroad time cards, and runs this instead: "Trains are due when you see the smoke."—Barber County (Kan.) Index.

Laws of Health.

Tramp—Thanke kindly, mum; I'd no hope of gettin' sich a fine supper today, mum. May heaven bless ye!

Housekeeper—As you've had a good supper, I think you might chop some wood.

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In Eagle Eyes.

"Where's the bahbah?" asked the soft young chap from the east.

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FOR SALE—Yost typewriter, No. 10; nearly new; price $30. Rawlins, 33 Willow avenue. 2 15 3

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FOR SALE—A fine lot between Park and Watchung avenues, on Second street. M. F. Gano, 221 Park avenue. 2 5 tf

FARM, 24 acres, for sale, near Somerville, on macadam road; good buildings. McNabb, lawyer, 209 North avenue. 1 28 1m

REAL ESTATE for sale, rent and exchange at bargain figures; insurance in strong companies at lowest rates; money t oloan at five per cent. Thickstun & Emmons, 197 North avenue. 9 28 tf

FOR SALE—House and lot on Webster place, near Watchung avenue; fine location; 8 rooms; all improvements. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

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JOSEPH B. COWARD,
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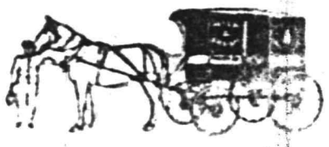

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LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

Joe Welch, the versatile character actor, will be seen in a new play entitled "The Shoemaker," especially written for him by Hal Reid, at the New Plainfield theatre this afternoon and tonight "The Shoemaker" is said to hold the attention of the audience from start to finish, and mirrors human nature in all of its salient and truthful phases.

A four act comedy drama by Laura Jean Libbey and James R. Garey entitled "Parted On Her Bridal Tour," founded on the novel "Miss Middleton's Lover," will be the attraction at the New Plainfield theatre Monday afternoon and night. The play is one of laughter and tears and deals with the love affair of a young and beautiful heiress who has been sadly wronged, and of the gradual mending of all heart rends by the man she loves. In the third act Miss Victory Bateman, the leading character, will have splendid opportunities to display her emotional abilities. The piece is under the management of Charles E. Blaney, who promises a production better than the ordinary.

"Checkers" is announced as the attraction at the New Plainfield theatre next Tuesday night. "Checkers" contains no deep problem of life. It is as breezy a play as has been on the boards in the memories of the present playgoers, and it is as clean as it is breezy. There is nought in it to which one can take exception. It is just a tale of clean love and luck and it ends as all the world (which wise people say "loves a lover") would have it. "The greatest show that ever struck New York," is the way an enthusiastic writer of the New York Herald described it. And though that is doubtless a bit of an exaggeration, there is small doubt that few plays have exceeded "Checkers" in popularity. "Checkers" has played seven engagements in Philadelphia, five in St. Louis, three in Chicago, three in Pittsburg, and will play one more in each of the above cities this season.

Playgoers are always interested when Kyrle Bellew comes to town. Local playgoers are to see him at the New Plainfield theatre next Wednesday night, in J. Hartley Manners' new play, "A Marriage of Reason," for which Mr. Bellew waited nearly two years while the playwright filed and polished his work. As soon as the manuscript was delivered Mr. Bellew droped "Brigadier Girard" and immediately began rehearsing the new piece. Mr. Bellew's method has grown more polished and finished with the years until today he stands in the words of William Winter, "as the highest type of the actor of aristocratic manner and feeling." In the full sense of the word he is a thoroughbred. As the son of a prominent churchman, a graduate of Oxford, an officer for several years in Her Majesty's Navy, and as leading man to Sir Henry Irving and Lester Wallack, and the star of the highest distinction for many years, Mr. Bellew was born to the purple and patrician things of life and has ever lived upon the highest levels. "A Marriage of Reason" is pronounced to be worthy of the finest traditions of the stage. It is the great world of wealth and nobility presented in its most sparkling and interesting aspects.

Charles Klein's latest play, "The Daughters of Men," which is to be presented at the New Plainfield theatre on Washington's Birthday, afternoon and night, made an instantaneous success by the timeliness of its theme, the skillful handling of the struggle between capital and labor and the splendid manner in which it is presented by a cast of really extraordinary strength. So powerful and interesting is "The Daughters of Men" that it promises to rival in popularity Mr. Klein's previous success, "The Lion and the Mouse." So cleverly and impartially has Mr. Klein handled the conflict between labor and capital that capitalists can well believe that they are in the right, while the laboring class also finds that its arguments have been splendidly and impartially presented.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Staats Veghte, of Belle Mead, has been visiting relatives in town.

Miss Bertha Brewer, of Stone street, has recovered from an attack of the grip.

Mrs. James Smith, of Raritan, has been visiting relatives in town for a few days.

Miss Myria Veghte, of Belle Mead, who is a pupil at the Plainfield Business College, has returned to this city, after a visit of several days at home.

Mrs. Howard Allegar, of West Fourth street, has purchased through Charles Hand, the Bryant homestead on Division street, owned by J. P. Homan.

Miss M. S. Randall, of Jersey City, is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Simon Mantz, of this city. Miss Randall was graduated from the Jersey City High School in January.

Mrs. Francis DeLacy Hyde, of Mountain avenue, left yesterday for Atlantic City, where she will visit Mrs. Everett Colby and Mrs. Charles Hyde, who are stopping at the Marlborough-Blenheim.

Mrs. Everett Colby is still at the Marlborough-Blenheim, Atlantic City, slowly recovering from a severe attack of nervous prostration. Her illness has prevented Senator Colby from attending the sessions of the Legislature regularly.

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There are disappointed aspirants whom the Senatorial lightning failed to strike and who would very much like to stand in the shoes of Senator-elect Briggs just at this time, and the year 1911 seems so far remote to wait for another political lightning bolt.—Newark Star.

This is undoubtedly true; and it might be added that the majority of the friends of good government in New Jersey are equally disappointed.

"Farmer-orator" James E. Martine's announcement that he will run for Governor provided he is given an unanimous nomination by the Democrats will cause no surprise to those who know that good old soul. But if there is any chance for a Democrat to win, the bosses may be depended upon to see that a less deserving and less conscientious one will be picked for the race.

It is a might small piece of business for the South Jersey officers to deadlock the election of a brigadier general. Col. Collins holds senior rank and bears an unblemished military record. That he should have received the honor on the first ballot, every fair minded citizen of the State will admit.

President Woodrow Wilson hastens to deny the report that some friend of the institution was about to furnish a big endowment for the college. We may therefore dispell the fear that "The Sage of Princeton" was going to unloosen his purse strings.

The borough of North Plainfield suffers a distinct loss in the death of Peter A. Emmons. For years he had been actively interested in civic affairs and always did more than his share in promoting the interests of the community in which he lived.

One of those so-called "practical jokers," it develops, started a run on a Bayonne bank last week. Men of his type deserve a long term in the penitentiary, where they might have time to think over the meaning of a jest.

It is made to appear by "machine organs" that Governor Stokes was only joking when he linked Colby's name with that of Hughes. If it be so, the Governor has certainly a queer idea of humor.

Mr. Rockefeller must have come to the conclusion that "a little learning is a dangerous thing" when he set aside $42,000,000 for an abundance of education.

Cambridge University needs $7,500,000. How would a Carnegie library donation satisfy it?

Death of Mrs. J. A. Perrine.

Mrs. James A. Perrine, of Wamrock Farm, near Freehold, died on Wednesday night at her home after a brief illness. Mrs. Perrine was the mother of Dr. Frederick A. C. Perrine, of this city, who is a son-in-law of the late John A. Roebling, of Trenton, and up to a few years ago was professor of electrical engineering at the Leland Stanford University, Palo Alto, Cal.

Buys Front Street Lot.

The lot on East Front street, opposite the Woodhull & Martin store, the last bit of unoccupied ground on that block, was sold yesterday by W. R. Codington and Albert Pope to George Finger. The consideration was not made public. The lot has a frontage of twenty-five feet. Mr. Finger, it is understood, will build at once. The sale was made by M. F. Gano.

Giles Must Stay Home.

John Giles, arrested for drunkenness last night, was released under suspended sentence by Judge Runyon this morning on his promise to stay in South Plainfield, to where he moved recently, from Lake street, for six months. Giles has been arrested frequently. His twelve-year-old son was killed by the explosion of an old musket a month ago.

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First—Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss, pastor—10:30, preaching; 3:00, Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching.

Park Avenue—Rev. A. E. Finn, pastor—10:30, subject, "Receiving and Transmitting the Message;" 2:45, Bible school; 7:45, evangelistic service, subject, "A Wonderful Mirror."

Faith chapel—Rev. J. W. Musson, pastor—10:45, subject, "A Picture of the Church;" 2:30, Sunday-school; 3:00, Baraca Class; 7:00, Christian Endeavor; 7:45, subject, "Healing the Poisoned Food."

Mt. Olive Baptist—Rev. A. M. Alexander, pastor—11:00, preaching; 3:00, Sunday-school; 7:30, preaching.

Calvary Baptist—Rev. G. W. Bailey, pastor—1:30, preaching; 3:30, Sunday-school; 6:30, missionary meeting; 7:45, preaching.

Ebenezer—Rev. P. T. Morris, pastor—11:00, preaching; 3:00, Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching.

Reformed.

Trinity—Rev. Dr. Cornelius Schenck, Ph. D., pastor—10:30, preaching by Rev. E. P. Johnson, D. D., of New Brunswick, subject, "Waste in Modern Life;" 2:30, Sunday-school; 6:45, Y. P. S. C. E.; 7:45, preaching by Mr. Johnson, subject, "Saying So."

German—Rev. C. H. Schneegas, pastor—10:45, preaching in German; 8:00, preaching by pastor in English.

Marconnier chapel—Rev. J. Tucker Lansdale, pastor—11:00, preaching; 3:00, Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching.

Presbyterian.

First Presbyterian—Rev. Charles E. Herring, pastor—10:00, preaching; 11:00, Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching.

Crescent Avenue—Rev. Dr. John Sheridan Zelie, pastor—10:30, preaching; 7:45, preaching.

Hope chapel—Rev. L. R. Howard, pastor—Services 10:30 and 8:00, preaching.

Warren chapel—Rev. J. O. McKelvey, pastor—10:30 a. m., preaching; Sunday-school at 2:30; regular evening service at 8:00 p. m.

Bethel chapel—Rev. F. D. Tildon, pastor—Services 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Episcopal.

Grace church—Rector, Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson; rector-emeritus, Rev. E. M. Rodman—7:30 a. m., holy communion; 10:30, holy communion and sermon; 3:00, Sunday-school; 4:15, organ recital; 4:45, evening prayer.

Mission Church of the Heavenly Rest—Rev. Charles L. Short, rector—9:45, Sunday-school; 11, morning service.

St. Stephen's—Rev. Arthur S. Peck, pastor—7:30, low celebration; 9:45, Sunday-school; 11:00, matins, litany and sermon; 4:00, evensong.

Holy Cross—Rector, Rev. George A Warner—7:30 a. m., holy communion, 9:45 a. m., Sunday-school meets in parish house (except first Sunday in the month); 10:00 a. m., rector's Bible class for young men and women in the parish house; 11:00 a. m., morning prayer and sermon (except first Sunday in month), 7:45 p. m., evensong and sermon.

Grace Church Colored Mission—Rev. E. E. Miller, curate—11:00 a. m., morning prayer and sermon; 8:00 p. m., evensong and sermon.

Methodist Episcopal.

First—Rev. A. C. McCrea, pastor—10:30, sermon by pastor; 12:00, Sunday-school; 7:00, Epworth League; topic, "The Divine Purpose For Us," leader, Haydn W. Barrows; 7:45, subject, "Looking Backward," third in a series for young folks.

Grace M. E.—Rev. Charles Wesley Parsons, psator—10:30 preaching, subject, "It Pays;" 2:30, Sunday-school; 6:45, Epworth League, Miss Effie G. Horn, leader; 7:45, preaching, subject, "A Talk On Abraham Lincoln."

Monroe Avenue M. E.—Rev. Dr. E. E. Roberson, pastor—11:00, preaching; 7:15, Epworth League; 8:00, preaching.

Mt. Zion A. M. E.—Rev. H. C. Ashley, pastor—11:00, preaching; 3:00, Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching.

Roman Catholics.

St. Mary's—Rev. Bernard M. Bogan, rector—Masses, 6:30, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school at 2:30; vespers at 3:30.

St. Joseph's—Rev. William H. Miller, rector—Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 3:00; benediction of the blessed sacrament at 3:30.

Congregational.

Congregational church—Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor—10:30, preaching; 11:55, Sunday-school; 4:30, concert; no evening service.

Swedish Evangelical Pilbrim church—Rev. Theodore Englund, pastor—10:30, preaching; 4:00, Young People's meeting; 8:00, preaching service.

Friends.

Meeting house, Watchung avenue and Third street—Meeting First-day at 11:00 a. m.

Unitarian.

All Souls'—Rev. A. C. Nickerson, pastor—10:30, preaching 12:00, Sunday-school.

Lutheran.

German Lutheran—Swedish service, 8 p. m., preaching.

St. Peter's German Lutheran—Rev. J. Duerschner, pastor—Grove street—9:30, Sunday-school; 10:30, preaching, service in German; 4:30, Cathetical Instruction; 8:00, preaching in Swedish.

Christian Science.

Services 11 a. m., in room 323, Babcock building.

Disciples of Christ.

Christian Church—Rev. Phil A. Parsons, pastor—11:00, Prayer and communion; 2:30, Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching.

Not Classified.

Gospel Mission, East Front street and Bank place—7:30 p. m.

Grove Street Rescue Mission—4:00.

W. C. T. U.—4:00.

Y. M. C. A.—4:00.

Salvation Army—11:00, Holiness meeting; 3:00, Sunday-school; 8:00, Salvation meeting.

Hunter Avenue Tabernacle (C. E. Union)—3:00, Sunday-school.

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Wings and Flies

By Tom Muir.

With the ending of the current season at Daly's theatre, New York city, which will more than likely occur on Saturday night, April 27, this famous and historical play house will pass out of the hands of the Daly estate who have controlled its destinies for a period of thirty-five years and whose able direction by its late manager, Augustin Daly, made it easily the leading play house in America. On the closing night there will be gathered in the auditorium men and women prominent in society, the arts, literature and the stage. It is the intention of the management for this occasion to make this closing night one of the most memorial in the event of New York theatricals, far excelling the last performance given in Booth's theatre before it was razed, many years ago.

Miss Annabelle Whiton O'Rielly, a chambermaid in the Hotel Walton, of Philadelphia, is telling a bear story that for realism and thrills has the tales of Rocky Mountain "grizzlies" beaten both ways. The fair Annabelle, a few mornings ago, while at peace with the world and merrily chirping one of Chauncey Olcott's latest ballads, unsuspectingly entered the suite occupied by Miss Julia Sanderson on the third floor. All unconscious of the terrible scare past due for her, Miss O'Rielly threw open the door with all the strength of her young Celtic soul, then paused, screamed and promptly fainted—a gigantic brown bear stood on the threshold and gravely confronted her. The affrightened maid's screams prior to the swooning episode aroused the entire hotel and a delegation of pajamaed, night gowned guests invaded the actress' apartment. They found Miss Sanderson, who had hastily gotten out of bed and donned a kimona, bending over the prostrate woman while the great "Teddy Bear" who had been the innocent cause of all the trouble continued his attitude of grave attention. Miss Sanderson explained that her song "Bessie and Her Little Brown Bear," which she is singing in vaudeville, had taken the fancy of a manufacturer of "Teddy Bears," who, to show his appreciation, had presented her with the offender. The actress had dropped him on the floor the night before where the maid had found him.

Eighty-five millions of dollars, with all its possession implies, has not been sufficient to deaden the ambition for histrionic honors of Mrs. Fannie Ward. Lewis, wife of Joe Lewis, the multi-millionaire, diamond king of Kimberly and gold mining magnate of Johannesburg, and who is as well known on the London stock exchange as J. Pierpont Morgan is in New York. Mrs. Lewis is Kyrle Bellew's leading lady in "A Marriage of Reason," which will be at the New Plainfield theatre next Wednesday night. This will be her first appearance on the stage since the days when as a girl in her 'teens she was the most photographed beauty of American light opera, and the famous Cupid in "Adonis" at the Casino. Still in her 'teens Miss Ward went to London and became the bride of Joe Lewis, who had risen to enormous wealth as a partner with Cecil Rhodes, the empire builder, and Alfred Beit, the ruler of the Rand. He dug and dealt in gold and diamonds, and upon his beautiful bride he has lavished the finest collection of jewels that there is to be found in all Europe outside the boudoirs of royalty. Mrs. Lewis' collection of jewels is now valued at more than $2,000,000.

Social in Hope Chapel Series.

A social in the series being conducted by the Ladies' Aid Society of Hope chapel for the benefit of the organ fund was held last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Jones, of Essex street, last night. Games; musical selections, songs and recitations combined to pass several hours very pleasantly. Those who contributed to the informal programme were Mrs. L. R. Howard, Miss Bertha Jones, Miss Mary Radford, George Leighs, Mrs. Donald McInnes, Fred Wharton, Miss Sarah Head and Mr. Brockfield. Refreshments were served in conclusion and a liberal amount was contrioufed to teh organ fund.

Trinity Commandery, No. 17, K. T., will hold a regular conclave Monday night.

Plainfield Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., will meet Monday night, when it is expected that there will be initiation of several new members.

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Casino. Admission 25 cents.

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NORTH POLE
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Commander Robt. E. Peary, U. S. N.,
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MONDAY, MARCH 4,
New Plainfield Theatre 8.15 o'clock.
Tickets may be secured at drug stores. Reserved seats $1.00, 75c, 50c. Admission to Family Circle 25c.
Tickets to be exchanged for reserved seat at the box office on and after Feb. 25th. 2 16 12

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I shall sell at public action at my stable, 200 West Second street, Monday, February 25, 1907, 1 large gray horse, the property of John King, now held by me for payment of board on same. GEORGE W. COLE.
Dated February 9, 1907. 2 9 2 s

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

The topics of the services at the Baptist church will be as follows: 10:30 a. m., "Blessed Are They Which Do Hunger and Thirst After Righteousness;" 7:45 p. m., "The Negro Question." The Christian Endeavor meeting will be held in the lecture room at 7:00 p. m. Mrs. Bigley will lead the meeting.

Mrs. Henry Teeple has returned from Trenton, after a visit with her son, Benjamin Teeple, who will soon move to the west.

William E. Smith and family will return to the summer residence in the village on April 1.

Miss Smalley will return to her regular school duties on Monday after a week's illness.

The Lehigh Valley is making several shipments at Harlem River freight from here.

John S. Linabury is visiting friends in New Brunswick over Sunday.

(Additional suburban news on page 2).

CHARLES GEIESE STRICKEN BY FATAL HEART ATTACK.

Was a Member of the Plainfield Police Force for Nine Years.

Charles Geiese, a former local resident and for nine years a member of the police force, died suddenly at his home in Washington Valley pust back of Scotch Plains, yesterday afternoon. He was stricken with heart disease while standing in the kitchen of the house and sank to the floor unconscious. His wife ran to the nearest neighbors and summoned a physician by telephone but life was extinct when one arrived.

Mr. Geiese was in his sixty-sixth year and came to Plainfield from Germany. He was a cigar maker by trade and was in business locally for many years. He retired to go on the police force and as a patrolman served with distinction. Three years ago he removed to Washington Valley to engage in farming in a small way but was in town very frequently. Beside his wife he leaves two daughters, Mrs. Casper Waglow, of Elm place, and Mrs. Frank Conde, of High Bridge; also one son, Philip Geiese, a letter carrier in the Plainfield office. A brother is a policeman in Rahway.

The funeral will be held at Mrs. Waglow's home, Monday afternoon, at 2 o'clock.

TYPOS ELECT OFFICERS.

Farewell Reception to James Kermode Who Goes Abroad.

Plainfield Typographical Union, No. 399, elected these officers last night: President, Roy Woolley; vice-president, Henry Dresselt; secretary and treasurer, Peter Caldwell; sergeant-at-arms, Frazee Putnam.

The newly-elected officers provided a spread and smoker for the members and a farewell reception was given to James Kermode, of The Daily Press, who sailed this morning on the Cunrad Liner "Carmania," to visit his native home in the Isle of Man. He will remain abroad several months.

Miss Gertrfude Willis, of Watchung, is visiting friends in Elizabeth.

REPLY TO MR. SAUNDERS

(Continued from Page 1.)

If such investigation makes it patent to your mind that successive City Councils, composed in whole or in part of the same membership as the present Council, might have ascertained for themselves the facts shown by our expert's report and corrected the existing conditions, this certainly cannot be in your judgment, or in the judgment of any other thinking citizen of our commonwealth, a source of criticism of our association, which at its own expense has made such investigation and without compensation has presented the results thereof to our city and borough governments for their assistance.

Moreover, it is not true that the report was given to the press before it was furnished to the Council, they knowing that its distribution among the members of the association would probably cause it to reach the press, the executive committee showed both the city and borough governments the courtesy of forwarding to them at the same time as to its own members, copies thereof. In other words, the association obtained and paid for an expensive expert's report upon certain business conditions, and without one word or thought of criticism because its governments had not themselves made a similar investigation into conditions which had existed for years, furnished them, free of charge, with such report and offered to co-operate in any manner desired in obtaining an amelioration of the conditions shown.

I am sure that upon second thought you will agree with me in feeling that the publication of your communication to me regarding the action of your associates on the executive committee was hardly in order before you had conferred with them respecting the same, but as such letter has been published, and as your position taken therein has now been shown to have been based upon mistaken facts, I am equally sure that you wil also agree with me in feeling that justice to your said associates and the association at large will best be promoted by the publication of this reply.

If, after considering the above, you care to withdraw your resignation, we shall be glad to have you do so.

Yours very truly,
R. HENRY DEPEW,
President.

HENRY FRANCIS ALLEN CROSSES GREAT DIVIDE.

Passes Away at the Hotel Iroquois This Morning After a Long Illness.

Henry Francis Allen, a resident of Plainfield for forty years, died at 5 o'clock this morning at the Hotel Iroquois, where he had lived for several years. Death was due to paralysis, Mr. Allen being stricken two months ago. Since that time he failed rapidly and there was no hope from the first, owing to his advanced age.

Mr. Allen was born in Bridgeport, Conn., eighty-one years ago, his birthday occurring on January 29 last. During the early part of his career he was engaged in the shipping business in New York, but for many years he has lived in retirement. He was a cousin to Mrs. Thomas B. Brooks, of North Plainfield, and his wife, who died about five years ago, was a sister to Mr. Brooks. Mr. and Mrs. Brooks are the nearest relatives surviving.

The funeral services will be held from the Church of the Holy Cross Monday morning at 9 o'clock and interment will be in Greenwood cemetery, Brooklyn.

Democrats Appoint Committees.

The Union County Democratic Executive Committee met at Elizabeth, Thursday night, and the following committees were appointed: Executive, John L. Crowell, chairman; James E. Martine; finance, R. H. McAdams, Walter L. Hetfield, Sr.; organization, Edward L. Nugent, John P. Owens; entertainment, Henry C. Coulter, J. V. S. Fiets; naturalization, Fred Zior, Stephen Schleif; printing, Van S. Roofa, Michael D. O'Keefe; speeches and halls, A. P. Mahon, Edward J. McCue.

Judge Atwater Sworn In.

Judge Edward S. Atwater, who was recently re-appointed Judge of the Court of Common Pleas for a term of five years, was sworn in at the Court House, Elizabeth, this morning by County Clerk James C. Calvert. Among those present were Justice Swayze and Judge Benjamin A. Vail.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

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India River Grape Fruit.

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CHRISTIAN FIELD.

Kenneth Robbie, secretary of the Y. M. C. A., will speak at the Plainfield Rescue Mission tomorrow night at 8 o'clock.

Under the auspices of the Plainfield Rescue Mission a praise service will be held in the W. C. T. U. rooms on Madison avenue, tonight.

The Young Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will hold a colonial supper at the church Tuesday night.

Rev. Dr. Allan Maerossie will occupy the pulpit at the First Presbyterian church tomorrow in the absence of Rev. C. E. Herring.

Rev. A. C. McCrea, pastor of the First M. E. church, will preach the third in a series of sermons to young people, tomorrow night. The subject will be "Looking Backward."

The Boys' Mission Band, of Trinity Reformed church, met last night, and decided to give an entertainment in the church Friday night, March 15. It will be literary and musical.

Rev. Dr. W. C. Snodgrass, of Perth Amboy, will preach at the First M. E. church, a week from tomorrow in exchange with the pastor, Rev. A. C. McCrea.

The Sunday-school of the Park Avenue Baptist church will commence the rehearsal of Easter music tomorrow. This year's programme will be an elaborate one.

The first of the free Lenten recitals will be held this afternoon at the Church of the Holy Cross. Clinton Lee, of Trinity chapel, New York will preside at the organ and Frederick J. Pope will sing.

Haydn W. Barrows, who has given up his position as boys' secretary at the Y. M. C. A., will conduct the Epworth League meeting at the First M. E. church, tomorrow night at 7 o'clock. The topic will be "The Divine Purpose for Us."

Owing to the lack of a quorum the Christian Endeavor Congress was not held at Faith chapel Thursday night. Another date will be fixed for the meeting to discuss the question of carrying on mission work at the Hunter Avenue Tabernacle. It is proposed that all of the Endeavor societies in the city contribute to the support of the work.

Sleighride and Dance.

Forty young people from this city and borough enjoyed a sleighride last night, followed by a dance and supper at Hugo Maul's at Watchung. The affair was arranged by Louis MacLoughlin, Miss Mabel Hamilton and Edward Bellis. The party met at the home of Miss Hamilton in the borough. The trip included Scotch Plains and returning a stop was made at Maul's Hotel, where dancing was enjoyed until a late hour. During the evening there were solos by Jack Todd.

The Opdyke Property Sold.

The property belonging to the Opdyke estate, in North Plainfield, has been sold by Phillips & Wells, Tribune Building, N. Y. The same agents recently sold the Darby farm at South Plainfield. c

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CITY JOTTINGS.

—It has been decided to hold the sixth annual banquet of Company K at Truell Inn on Monday night, January 25, at 9 o'clock.

—William Marchant, of North avenue, of the firm of Marchant Brothers, has been visiting at Annandale inspecting the firm's cremeries at that place.

—Street Commissioner Gavett had some of his men on West Front street yesterday removing the ice from the gutters, in preparation for a warm spell.

Miss Reighton's Wedding Day Set.

Invitations have been issued for the wedding of Miss Bessie Reighton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Reighton, of 75 Webb avenue, Ocean Grove, to William Everitt, of New York. The ceremony will be performed at the home of the bride's parents on Wednesday afternoon, February 27, at 4 o'clock. Both Miss Reighton and Mr. Everitt were former local residents.

Visitors to the Borough.

John Maguire and James Devine, arrested last night by Patrolman Higgins for panhandling, were chased out-of-town this morning by the police after Judge Runyon had suspended sentence. Chief Kiely told them to go straight to the station; they went into North Plainfield.

Mr. Kampf, Jr., Breaks His Leg.

Rudolph Kempf, Jr., the ten-year-old son of Rudolph Kampf, of Steiner place, fell on the ice yesterday and fractured his left leg at the thigh. Dr. A. H. Dundon was called and set the broken bone. Owing to the location of the break it will require a long time for the bone to knit.

Right of Property Case.

The right of property case of Isaac Feinberg against J. Powlaunburg will be heard in the District Court March 12. F. J. Blatz is counsel for Feinberg.

New Assistant Secretary.

J. F. Billett, the new assistant secretary at the Y. M. C. A., took up his work in the association building this morning.

Miss Hattie VanDeventer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Augustus VanDeventer, of Washington avenue, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Herbert Whittingham, of Baltimore.

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DIED.

ALLEN—At Plainfield, N. J., on Saturday, Feb. 16, 1907, Henry Francis Allen, aged 81 years.

Funeral services at The Holy Cross church, on Monday, Feb. 18, at 9 a. m. Interment at Greenwood.

GEIESE—Suddenly, on February 15, 1907, Charles Geiese, in his 66th year.

Funeral at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Caspar Waglow, 25 Elm place, Monday afternoon, February 18, at 2 o'clock.

Other classified ads on page 3.

Classified Advertisements

Rates for advertisements under this heading one cent a word for first insertion, one half a cent a word for consecutive insertions of the same advertisement running for less than one month; one month, fifty cents a line (6 words to a line), double rate for advertisement set in capitals.

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Arctic Exploration.

Abruzzi, Duke of the.—Luigi Amedeo of Savoy. On the "Polar Star" in the Arctic sea . . . . with the statements of Commander C. Cagni upon the sledge expedition.

Astrup, E.—With Peary near the pole.

Blackwood, F. T. H., Earl Dufferin.—Letters from high l atitudes: account of a voyage in 1865 in the "Foam" to Iceland, Jan Meyen and Spitzbergen.

Gilder, W. H.—Ice-pack and tundra: an account of the search for the Jeanatte and a sledge journey through Siberia.

Gilder, W. H.—Schwatka's search: sledging in the Arctic in quest of the Franklin records.

Greely, A. W.—Report on the proceedings of the U. S. expedition to Lady Franklin Bay, Grinnell land. 2v.

Greely, A. W.—Three years of Arctic service: an account of the Lady Franklin bay expedition of 1881-'84, and the attainment of the farthest north. 2v.

Hall, C. F.—Arctic researches and life among the Esquimaux, 1860-.62.

Hayes, I. I.—Arctic boat journey in 1854.

Jackson, F. G.—Great frozen land: narrative of a winter journey across the Tundras and a sojourn among the Samoyads, edited from the author's journals.

Jackson, F. G.—Thousand days in the Arctic.

Kane, E. K.—Arctic explorations: the second and last Grinnell expedition in search of Sir John Franklin, 1871.

Kane, E. K.—United States Grinnell expedition in search of Sir John Franklin, 1854.

Keely, R. N., and Davis, G. G.—In Arctic seas: the voyage of the "Kite" with the Peary expedition.

McCormick, R.—Voyages of discovery in the Arctic and Antarctic seas. 2v.

Nansen, Fridtjof.—Farthest north: voyage of exploration of the ship Fram, 1893-'96.

Hansen, F.—First crossing of Greenland.

Nansen, F.—Norwegian North polar expedition, 1893-1896. v. 1-6.

Nordenskiold, A. E.—Voyage of the Vega round Asia and Europe.

Nourse, J. E.—American explorations in the ice zones.

Peary, R. E.—Northward over the great ice: Northern Greenland in the years 1886 and 1891-'97. 2v.

Peary, Mrs. J. D.—My Arctic journal: a year among icefields and Eskimos.

Peary, R. E.—North polar exploration: field work of the Peary Arctic Club, 1898-1902.

Richardson, Sir John.—Arctic searching expedition.

Russell, Frank—Explorations in the far north: being the report of an expedition under the auspices of the University of Iowa, 1892-'94.

Smithsonian Institution.—Letters from the Andree party: the balloon expedition to the pole. (Annual report, 1897.)

Bolton, S. K.—Famous voyagers and explorers.

Bull, J. B.—Fridtjob Hansen: a book for the young.

Elder, W.—Biography of Elisha Kent Kane.

Kingston, W. H. G.—Notable voyagers.

Greely, A. W.—Explorers and travellers.

Prentiss, H. M.—Polar papers: DeLong, Nansen, Peary.

Verne, Jules.—Exploration of the world.

Whymper, F.—Heroes of the Arctic and their adventures.

Note.—For articles on the life and work of Commander Peary consult recent magazines.

Eskimo Life.

Grinnell, G. B.—Natives of the Alaska coast: region: the Eskimo we saw.

Nansen, F.—Eskimo life.

Packard, A. S.—Labrador Eskimos.

Peary, Mrs. J. D.—My Arctic journal: a year among icefields and Eskimos.

Peary, Mrs. J. D.—Children of the Arctic.

Peary, Mrs. J. D.—Snow baby: a true story.

Schwatka, F.—Children of the cold.

Fairy Tales in The Public Library.

Anderson, Hans Christian.—Fairy tales, translated by E. Lucas.

Anderson, Hans Christian.—Stories and tales.

Anderson, Hans Christian.—Wonder stories told for children.

Andrews, William, ed.—New fairy book.

Arabian night's entertainments.

Aulnoy, M. C., Comtesse d'.—Fairy tales, tr. into English.

Aunt Louisa's book of fairy tales.

Austin, Mrs. Jane Goodwin.—Moon-folk: a true account of the home of the fairy tales.

Bain, R. N., ed. and tr.—Cossack fairy tales and folk-tales.

Bain, R. N.—Russian fairy tales.

Bain, R. N.—Turkish fairy tales and folk-tales.

Baldwin, James.—Fairy reader, adapted from Grimm and Andersen.

Browne, Frances. — Wonderful chair and the tales it told.

Bunce, J. T.—Fairy tales, their origin and meaning, with some account of dwellers in fairyland.

Burgess, Gelett.—Lively city O'Ligg: a cycle of modern fairy tales for city children.

Craik, Mrs. D. M. M.—Fairy book, the best popular fairy tales.

Crane, Walter, illustrator.—Goody Two Shoes picture book.

Dixon, E., ed.—Fairy tales from the Arabian nights.

Dodgson, Charles Lutwidge, (Lewis Carroll.)—Alice's adventures in Wonderland.

Dodgson, Charles Lutwidge, (Lewis Carroll.)—Through the looking-glass, and what Alice found there.

Frere, Mary.—Old Deccan days; or, Hindoo fairy legends.

Frost, W. H.—Wagner story book: firelight tales of the great music dramas.

Gibbon, J. M., and Canton, William, eds.—True annals of fairy land. 2v.

Griffis, W. E.—Japanese fairy world.

Grimm, Brothers.—Fairy tales, tr. by Mrs. Lucas.

Grimm, Brothers.—Household stories.

Horwitz, C. N.—Fairy lure: German and Swedish fairy tales.

Horwitz, C. N.—Swanhilde, and other fairy tales, adapted from the German.

Jacobs, Joseph, ed.—Celtic fairy tales.

Jacobs, Joseph.—English fairy tales.

Jacobs, Joseph.—More Celtic fairy tales.

Jacobs, Joseph.—More English fairy tales.

Johnson, Clifton, ed.—Oak-tree fairy book: favorite fairy tales.

Kennedy, H. A.—New world fairy book.

Laboulaye, Edward.—Fairy tales of all nations.

Baboulaye, Edward.—Last fairy tales.

Lang, Andrew, sel. and ed.—Arabian nights' entertainments.

Lang, Andrew.—Blue fairy book.

Lang, Andrew.—Brown fairy book.

Lang, Andrew.—Crimson fairy book.

Lang, Andrew—Green fairy book.

Lang, Andrew.—Red fairy book.

Lang, Andrew, ed.—Violet fairy book.

Lang, Andrew.—Yellow fairy book.

Mabie, Hamilton, Wright, ed.—Fairy tales every child should know.

Macdonald, George.—At the back of the north wind.

Macdonald, George. — Dealings with the fairies.

Macdonald, George.—Light princess, and other fairy tales.

Macdonald, George.—Princess and Curdie.

Nordau, Max.—Dwarf's spectacles, and other fairy tales.

O'Shea, M. V., ed.—Old world wonder stories.

Perrault, Charles, and others.—Old fashioned fairy tales.

Perrault, Charles.—Tales of Mother Goose, as first collected.

Perrault, Charles.—Tales of past times.

Rolfe, W. J., ed.—Fairy tales in prose and verse.

Scudder, Horace E.—Book of folk stories.

Scudder, Horace E., comp.—The children's book: a collection of the best and most famous stories.

Smith, J. M., col.—Tales of old Thule.

Tappan, M. M.—Golden goose, and other fairy tales.

Thorpe, Benjamin, ed.—Yule-tide stories: collection of Scandinavian and North German popular tales and traditions from the Swedish, Danish and German.

Treasury of fairy tales for little folks.

Valentine, Mrs. L. J., ed.—Eastern tales, by many story tellers.

Valentine, Mrs.—Old, old fairy tales.

Yeats, W. B., ed.—Fairy and folk tales of the Irish peasantry.

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"The Girl from Vienna" changed to "The White Hen." The title of the beautiful Penfield-West-Kerker musical comedy. "The Girl from Vienna," has been changed to that of "The White Hen," and it is under this name that it will open at the Casino next Saturday night. The Shubert Bros. expect the piece to run the balance of the season and predict great things for the lyrics of Paul West and the music of Gustav Kerker which are said to be the best these two talented writers have ever turned out. Especially is this so of a song called "At Last We Are Alone," which has all the elements of a Broadway success.

Elaborate preparations are being made by William A. Brady and Jos. R. Grismer for the celebration of the one hundredth performance in New York of "The Man of the Hour," which takes place at the Savoy theatre, Monday, Feb. 25. The record of the Broadhurst play itself which has been pronounced by the most eminent reviewers of dramatic subjects to be by all odds the best play of the season. "The Man of the Hour" is destined, it is believed, to have a longer run than any other piece produced in the past decade. "The Man of the Hour" has to an unusual degree a combination of a live and interesting subject treated in a masterly manner by an experienced playwright, and enacted by a company of superior entertainers and wide capabilities. The characters are those to be found in real life in any of the large cities where "graft" is to be discovered in political life. Governor Folk of Missouri Governor Hughes of New Yor, President Roosevelt and those who have led the forces which have uncovered dishonest practices in public life the those who have done most to prepare the public for the reception of "The Man of the Hour."

Henrietta Crosman's New York engagement at the Bijou theatre, and her comedy is "All-of-a-Sudden-Peggy," a London success which at the Duke of York's theatre last year had a long run. *Miss Crosman's* time at the Bijou *is limited* three more weeks. Its brevity is due to the fact that she is booked for the Pacific coast and San Francisco, her first apeparance in the latter city, an event to be made the more notable by her opening a new theatre there. "All-of-a-Sudden Peggy" may be described as a farce. It is a modern play in three acts with scenes laid in England. Miss Crosman as Peggy O'Mara will once again be seen in an Irish role, which means that she will be altogether delightful, as everybody will agree who saw her in "Sweet Kitty Bellairs" and in "Mistress Nell." Peggy O'Mara is an up-to-date Irish girl, a twentieth century young woman with a decided independence of conduct. Her chief startegy is designed to escape marriage to Lord Anthony Crackenthorpe and to have her mother marry him. To clear the way for this project Peggy gets up a mock elopement. "All-of-a-Sudden Peggy" is by Ernest Denny and is considered one of the best comedies that England has ever sent to this country, and one of the cleverest of recent years.

Marah Ellis Ryan's dramatization in collaboration with McPrerson Turnbull of her popular novel, Told in the Hills, was given its initial production in New York city at the Astor theatre in Monday evening, under the title of "Genesee of the Hills." The play is a sturdy, wholesome and breezy one, replete in the atmosphere of its local and made a decided hit, adding another to the already long list of successes in the New York playhouses. In the play, Mrs. Ryan has followed the lines of her story very closely. Rachel Hardy lost in a snow storm on the Montana prairie is rescued by Genesee Jack, the unregenerate hero of the romance. Jack is acting as scout for a detachment of U. S. cavalry stationed on the Hardy ranch and as he is an adopted son of the Kootenai tribe and is free with his speech, besides having a long record behind him, is decidedly unpopular with most of the officers of the detachment. An Indian raid relives the cavalry of several of its horses and Jack, unwillihg to explain his absence from camp at the time of the depredation, is ordered under arrest by a bumptious captain. Rachel alone believes in his innocence and later in the play when the detachment is surrounded by a horde of bloodthirsty savages it is Jack alone, at the risk of his life, who saves them all from certain death and becomes a hero even in the eyes of his enemy. Of course, the play ends as it should, obstacles, apparently unsurmountable, are swept aside and the two lovers united. The production is elaborate, three different settings being shown and the action takes place in Northwestern Montana early in the nineties.

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"Of course you're afraid!" I shouted, enraged anew by his halting speech. "You have every reason in the world to be afraid. You've probably heard that I'm a bad lot and a worthless adventurer; but you can tell Sister Theresa or Pickering or anybody you please that I'm ten times as bad as I've ever been painted. Now clear out of here!"

I knocked about the library all morning without easing my spirit, and after luncheon I went off for a tramp. Winter had indeed come and possessed the earth, and it had given me a new landscape. The snow continued to fall in great, heavy flakes, and the ground was whitening fast.

A rabbit's track caught my eye and I followed it, hardly conscious that I did so. Then the clear print of two small shoes mingled with the rabbit's trail. A few moments later I picked up an overshoe, probably lost in the chase by one of Sister Theresa's girls, I reflected. I remembered that while at Tech I had collected a diversity of memorabilia from school girl acquaintances, and here I was beginning a new series with a string of beads and an overshoe!

A rabbit is always an attractive quarry. Few things besides riches are so elusive, and the little fellows have, I am sure, a shrewd humor peculiar to themselves. I rather envied the school girl who had ventured forth for a walk in the first snow storm of the season, and recalled Aldrich's turn on Gautier's lines as I followed the double trail:

"Howe'er you tread, a tiny mould
Betrays that light foot all the same;
Upon this glistening, snowy fold
At every step it signs your name."

A pretty autograph, indeed! The snow fell steadily and I tramped on over the joint signature of the girl and the rabbit. Near the lake they parted company, the rabbit leading off at a tangent, on a line parallel with the lake, while his pursuer's steps pointed toward the boat house.

There was, so far as I knew, only one student of adventurous blood at St. Agatha's, and I was not in the least surprised to see, on the little sheltered balcony of the boat house, the red tam-o'-shanter. She wore, too, the covert coat I remembered from the day I saw her first from the wall. Her back was toward me as I drew near; her hands were thrust into her pockets. She was evidently enjoying the soft mingling of the snow with the still, blue waters of the lake; and a girl and a snow storm are, if you ask my opinion, a pretty combination. The fact of a girl's facing a winter storm argues mightily in her favor,—testifies, if you will allow me, to a serene and dauntless spirit for one thing, and a sound constitution for another.

I ran up the steps, my cap in one hand, her overshoe in the other. She drew back a trifle, just enough to bring my conscience to its knees.

"I didn't mean to listen that day. I just happened to be on the wall, and it was a thoroughly underbred trick—my twitting you about it—and I should have told you before if I'd known how to see you—"

"May I trouble you for that shoe?" she said with tremendous dignity.

They taught that cold disdain of man, I suppose, as a required study at St. Agatha's.

"Oh, certainly! Won't you allow me?"

"Thank you, no!"

She took the damp bit of rubber—a wet overshoe, even if small and hallowed by associations, isn't pretty—as Venus might have received a soft-shell crab from the hand of a fresh young merman. I was between her and the steps to which her eyes turned longingly.

"Of course, if you won't accept my apology I can't do anything about it; but I hope you understand that I'm sincere and humble, and anxious to be forgiven."

"You seem to be making a good deal of a small matter—"

"I wasn't referring to the overshoe!" I said.

She did not relent.

"If you'll only go away—"

She rested one hand against the corner of the boat house, while she affixed the overshoe to her foot. She wore, I noticed, brown gloves with cuffs.

"How can I go away! You children are always leaving things about for me to pick up. I'm perfectly worn out carrying some girl's beads about with me; and I spoiled a good glove on your overshoe."

"I'll relieve you of the beads, if you please."

She thrust her hands into the pockets of her coat and shook the tam-o'-shanter slightly, to establish it in a more comfortable spot on her head. The beads had been in my corduroy coat since I found them. I drew them out and gave them to her.

"Thank you; thank you very much."

"Of course they are yours, Miss—" She thrust them into her pocket.

"Of course they're mine," she said indignantly, and turned to go.

"We'll waive proof of property and that sort of thing. I'm sorry not to establish a more neighborly feeling with St. Agatha's. The stone wall may seem formidable, but it's not of my building. I must open the gate. That wall's a trifle steep for climbing."

I was amusing myself with the idea that my identity was a dark mystery to her. I had read English novels in which the young lord of the manor is always mistaken for the game-keeper's son by the pretty daughter of the curate who has come home from school to be the belles of the county. But my lady of the red tam-o'-shanter was not a creature of illusions.

"It serves a very good purpose—the wall, I mean—Mr. Glenarm."

She was walking down the steps and I followed, pleased to hear my name from her lips. I am not a man to suffer a lost school girl to cross my lands unattended in a snow storm; and the piazza of a boat house is not, I submit, a pleasant loafing place on a winter day. She marched before me, her hands in her pockets—I liked her particularly that way—with an easy swing and a light and certain step. Her remark about the wall did not encourage further conversation and I fell back upon the poets.

"Stone walls do not a prison make,
Nor iron bars a cage,"

I quoted.

"I have heard that—before!" she said, half turned her face and laughed as she hastened on.

Her brilliant cheeks were a delight to the eye. The snow swirled about her, whitening the crown of her red cap and clung to her shoulders. Have you ever seen snow crystals gleam, break, dissolve in fair, soft storm-blown hay? Do you know how a man will pledge his soul that a particular flake will never fade, never cease to rest upon a certain flying strand over a girlish temple? And he loses—his heart and wager—in a breath! If you fail to understand these things, and are furthermore unfamiliar with the fact that the color in the cheeks of a girl who walks abroad in a driving snow storm marks the favor of heaven itself, then I waste time, and you will do well to rap at the door of another inn.

"I'd rather missed you," I said; "and really, I should have been over to apologize if I hadn't been afraid."

"Sister Theresa is rather fierce," she declared. "And we're not allowed to receive gentlemen callers—it says so in the catalogue."

"So I imagined. I trust Sister Theresa is improving."

"Yes, thank you."

"And Miss Devereux—she is quite well, I hope."

She turned her head my way as though to listen more carefully, and her step slackened for a moment; then she hurried blithely forward.

"Oh, she's always well, I believe."

"You know her, of course."

"Rather! She teaches music."

"So Miss Devereux is the music teacher, is she? Should you call her a popular teacher?"

"The girls call her"—she seemed moved to mirth by the recollection—"Miss Prim and Prosy."

"Ugh!" I exclaimed sympathetically. "Tall and hungry looking, with long talons that pound the keys with grim delight. I know the sort."

"She's a sight!"—and my guide laughed approvingly. "But we have to take her; she's part of the treatment."

"You speak of St. Agatha's as though it were a sanatorium."

"Oh, it's not so bad; there are worse."

We approached the gate. Her indifference to the storm delighted me. Here, I thought in my admiration, is a real product of the Western owrld. I felt that we had made strides toward such a comradeship as it is proper should exist between a school girl in her teens and a male neighbor of 27. I was—going back to English fiction—the young squire walking home with the curate's pretty young daughter and conversing with fine condescension.

"We girls all wish we could come over and help hunt the lost treasure. It must be simply splendid to live in a house where there's a mystery—secret passages and chests of doubloons and all that sort of thing! My! Squire Glenarm, I suppose you spend all your nights exploring secret passages?"

This free expression of opinion startled me, though she seemed wholly innocent of impertinence.

"Who says there's any secret about the house?" I demanded.

"Oh, Ferguson, the gardener, and all the girls!"

"I fear Ferguson is drawing on his imagination."

"Well, all the people in the village think so. I've heard the candy shop woman speak of it often."

"She'd better attend to her taffy," I retorted.

"Oh, you mustn't be sensitive about it! All us girls think it ever so romantic, and we call you sometimes the lord of the realm, and when we see you walking through the darkling wood at evenfall we say, 'My lord is brooding upon the treasure chests.'"

This, delivered in the stilted tone of one who was half quoting and half improvising, was irresistibly funny, and I laughed with good will.

"I hope you've forgiven me—" I kicked the gate to knock off the snow, and took the key from my pocket.

"But I haven't, Mr. Glenarm. Your assumption is, to say the least, unwarranted—I got that from a book!"

"It isn't fair for you to know my name and for me not to know yours," I said leadingly.

"You are Mr. John Glanarm—the gardener told me—and I am just Olivia. They don't allow me to be called Miss yet. I'm very young, sir!"

"You've only told me half"—and I kept my hand on the closed gate. The snow *still fell steadily* and the short afternoon was nearing its close. I did not like to lose her—the life, the youth, the mirth for which she stood. Lights already gleamed in the school buildings straight before us, and the sight of them smote me with loneliness.

"Olivia Gladys Armstrong," she said, laughing, brushed past me through the gate and ran lightly over the snow toward St. Agatha's.

CHAPTER X.

An Affair With the Caretaker.

I read in the library until late, hearing the howl of the wind outside with satisfaction on the warmth and comfort of the great room. Bates brought in some sandwiches and a bottle of ale at midnight.

"If there's nothing more, sir—"

"That is all, Bates." And he went off sedately to his own quarters.

I was restless and in no mood for

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bed, and mourned the lack of variety in my grandfather's library. I moved about from shelf to shelf, taking down one book after another, and while thus engaged came upon a series of large volumes extra illustrated in water colors of unusual beauty. They occupied a lower shelf, and I sprawled on the floor like a boy with a new picture book in my absorption, piling the great volumes about me. They were on related subjects pertaining to the French chateaux.

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Bowling and General Sports

HIGH TEAM SCORE JUST ESCAPES BEING BEATEN

KOONS AND SKINNER COME BELOW IT BY TWO PINS.

By the narrowest sort of a margin, Chief Kiely and Judge Runyon's high team score of 446 made Wednesday, came near being beaten last night. In the last game of a tourney series rolled by Koons and Skinner they aggregated 444 and it should have been at least 450. Koons had 193 in the ninth frame and on the first ball of his tenth picked off seven pins. The remaining three were plumb in the center of the alley in a straight line but to the great disappointment of the large gallery he missed them, something that occurs once out of ten chances. It gave him a score of 200 while Skinner got 244.

The team was rolling against Woolston and Cunningham and beat them two out of three. "Uncle Sam" had a bad attack of offitis and Woolston got only one good score. They got the first game by a margin of thirty-six pins, Koons and Skinner failing to get started properly.

Another series was rolled last night between Gaddis and Dilks and Willett and Britton and the former team dropped two games for the first time in a long while, in fact, up to this point they had lost only three in the entire series. Willett and Britton took the first by twenty-eight pins, lost the second by three and won the last by twenty-seven. In the last game their combined score was 406, second high f or the night. Gaddis and Dilks, especially the former, had hard luck in getting splits, this fact accounting for their going below. They still have a nice lead, however, and there is hardly any doubt but what they will win the tourney.

The scores:

Gaddis	144	191	146
Dilks	147	196	233
	291	387	379
vs.			
Willett	142	195	180
Britton	177	189	226
	319	384	406
Woolston	162	210	162
Cunningham	144	129	147
	306	339	369
vs.			
Koons	133	210	200
Skinner	137	189	244
	270	399	444

COMPETITION STANDINGS.

Leaders In the Three Y. M. C. A. Championship Contests.

The present standing of the leaders in the three athletic competitions at the Y. M. C. A. is as follows:

Seniors—Burgess, 622; Banks, 621; Douglass, 511; Rumsey, 492; Lueder, 472.

Boys'—Conroy, 322; R. Miller, 221; Vail, 216; Cowperthwait, 196; Richardson, 166; Lindzey, 162; Carson, 130.

High School—Morris, 202; Freeman, 199; D. Wilcox, 126; Karner, 107.

Parks Still Have a Chance.

Because the Elizabeth Club failed to roll the Newark Bay team on Thursday night, the question of the championship of the Central Journal Bowling League remains undecided. The Parks, who have been in the lead in this tournament, lost three games to Cranford Casino Thursday night, and it was believed that as a result they had lost the championship. This will depend now on the outcome of the Elizabeth-Newark Bay match to be rolled next week. The Parks still have a chance to win the championship providing Elizabeth loses to Newark Bay.

A Close Game.

The boys' basketball five of the Y. M. C. A. defeated the second junior team this morning. The score was eighty to two. Nobdy knows how the two happened. The last time they met the firsts scored 62 to 1. It is evident the seconds are improving.

Jim Corbett's Brother Dies.

San Francisco, Feb. 16.—Harry Corbett, brother of James J. Corbett the pubilist-actor, died here today after a short illness. Corbet was one of the best known sporting men on the Pacific coast and made a fortune in bookmaking on California racetracks.

Briggs Presents Credentials.

The credentials of Frank O. Briggs, elected to the Senate from New Jersey, were presented in the Senate at Washington yesterday by Senator Dryden, whom he will succeed on

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NEW BOWLING ALLEY SCHEME FELL THROUGH

NEWARKERS' PLAN FOR A "PALACE" ON PARK AVENUE DIDN'T GO.

Unable to get a building according to plans prepared by themselves, Johns & Sturr, of Newark, owners of the Oxford alleys, of that city, gave up a scheme, this week, to open a bowling and billiard "palace" in this city. Lee R. Johns, head of the firm, is engineering a scheme to put alleys in all the chief cities of the State, and he turned his attention to Plainfield in furtherance of it.

Johns picked out the lot where Justice V. W. Nash's old office stood on Park avenue, near the railroad, as the desirable site for the alleys. D. S. Smalley owns the land, and Johns went to him with a proposition. He asked Mr. Smalley to erect a building designed especially for alleys, and offered to take a long lease. It was his plan to install about six alleys, and a number of billiard and pool tables. He was certain that the location would be the best in the city, and couldn't see how the place could fail to make money.

It looked like a good scheme from Johns & Sturr's standpoint, but Mr. Smalley looked as it from a different angle. He couldn't see where the erection of a building designed primarily for bowling alleys and billiard parlor offered any too certain a return as an abiding investment. He decided against it. Sturr came here with Johns to urge Mr. Smalley to carry the deal through, but the landowner could not see enough of the golden promise to satisfy him.

It is not likely that Johns & Sturr will make another effort to come here. They will scarcely tie up enough money or shoulder a loan big enough to build, and it is highly improbable that they will find anybody willing to build for them.

THE "BRIDE" ARRIVES.

Plainfielders Given an Opportunity to See Her Today.

The "bride" of Miss Laura Jean Libbey's "Parted on Her Bridal Tour," reached Plainfield today and viewed the city from an open Victoria. Her appearance attracted widespread attention and comment but despite the notice she received she was calm and self-possessed. Those who missed seeing her will have another opportunity next Monday afternoon and night when she appears at the New Plainfield theatre.

The plan of introducing the main character in a play to the people of a city before its arrival is a new idea of Charles E. Blaney's and has set the theatrical world on edge.

Dungan To Be In Command.

Next Thursday night in Trenton Lieutenant-Colonel Nelson Y. Dungan, of Somerville, will appear for the first time as commander of the Second Regiment at the review by Governor Stokes. A great contingent of Somerville people will accompany Company M, of Somerville, in a special train to the armory.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Henderson, of Califon, have been visiting friends in town.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The supper given by the men of Holy Cross church netted $400.

The newly organized missionary society for the young women of Hope chapel will hold its next meeting on Monday evening, February 25, instead of the eighteenth, having been postponed on account of the rehearsals for the concert on February 22.

There will be a special series of sermons at Hope chapel during Lent to be delivered by the pastor, Rev. L. R. Howard. The morning series will be on the Words from the Cross, taking up the following subjects: Feb. 17, "Ideal Forgiveness;" Feb. 24, "An Amazing Promise;" March 3, "Thoughtfulness in Agony;" March 10, "The Cry of Spiritual Depression;" March 17, "The Cry of Bodily Need;" March 24, "Triumphant Trust." The evening series will be on "Some Things to Oppose, Why and How," and is as follows: Feb. 17, "The Saloon and its Accessories;" Feb. 14, "Betting and the Gambling Den;" March 3, "Profanity and Obscenity;" March 10, "Gossip and Lying;" March 17, "Graft and Stealing;" March 24, "Hatred and Murder."

PERSONAL.

D. F. Stewart, of John street, is recovering from an illness that threatened pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Burns, of West Sixth street, are entertaining relatives from Easton, Pa.

Luther D. Morris, of Morris Brothers auto garage, is unable to be at business on account of illness.

Loses Eight Teeth and Dies.

East Hartford, Conn., Feb. 16.—As a result of having had tight teeth extracted last Tuesday, George E. Stevens, a well known tobacco grower of this place, died last night. On Monday Stevens got his feet wet and on Tuesday his teeth began to ache so severely that he had eight taken out. He became very weak and died of exhaustion. He was twenty-eight years old and married.

Plainfielders at State Conference.

Rev. A. C. Nickerson, of this city, was elected one of the assistant secretaries of the New Jersey State Conference of Charities and Correstion at the annual meeting held this week and at the meeting for the Prevention and Relief of Tuberculosis, Dr. B. VanD. Hedges, president of the Plainfield Board of Health, was one of the speakers.

"The Way of the Cross."

"The Way of the Cross," a Lenten service, was held at St. Mary's church last night. Father Delehanty was in charge. Tomorrow morning Father Bogan will preach at the last mass and also deliver the Lenten sermon in the evening.

Died While on a Visit.

Mrs. Grace E. McGowan, who recently came from the south to visit friends at 1224 West Seventh street, died last night after a brief illness. The body will be sent to Union Springs, Ala., for interment.

Somerset Surveyor Dies.

William B. Sharp, 73 years old, died at his home in Somerville, yesterday. He was born at Rowlands Mills, Hunterdon county, and in his early years was a farmer.

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MR. COLBY MAY RETIRE

Senator Who Brought About Dryden's Defeat to Leave Public Life.

THINKS PARTY BETTER

If Machine Republican Is Nominated For Governor He Says Democrats Will Win.

Senator Everett Colby, the reformer who paved the way to repudiate such men as United States Senator John F. Dryden, and whose work was effective in breaking up the powerful influence of the Public Service Corporation in Jersey politics, believes that permanent good has been done. He thinks the time has come when he must cease such active labors as he has given to politics in the last two years. In an interview the Senator says:

"I do not see how I can remain actively in politics. For two years I have given of my time and effort, not knowing a day, or scarcely an hour, that was my own. I have been going about all over the State, day and night, neglecting domestic ties and duties, away from home, the zealous servant of the public. I do not see how I can give the same amount of time to it in the next two years.

"All these movements go in waves, and what we should do is to hold on to what we have accomplished and prevent the standard from being lowered in a reaction.

"I have no confidence in the reformer who promises more than he can promptly accomplish, and who expects to bring about an ideal condition of affairs within a short time. If each year he can compel the two great political parties to make progress in the solution of some of the great problems we are facing, it is about all that he can expect to do.

"Just where the line should be drawn between the radical and the conservative is difficult to determine. Personally, I am a radical within the ordinary meaning of that word. By radical I mean one who believes that no true progress can be made without the injection of new and aggressive ideas into politics. The radical idea is, to my mind, never dangerous when it is freely discussed by the people. The danger comes from the refusal of our political parties to consider and deal with these questions and their tendency to suppress and throttle them in the dark and too frequently by order of special interests.

"I think the Republican party in this State is beginning to get back the confidence of the people. If they nominate this year a machine man for Governor, a man who has been allied with the interests the people have repudiated in politics, they will be defeated. They must nominate a progressive man, a man who will carry on the work already started, a man who is independent and courageous. There are such men. I could name them, but do not want to seem invidious.

"The Republicans are getting back the confidence of the people because they have been willing to take up and discuss questions in which the people are deeply interested. They will, this year, pass a bill giving the people of the State the right to express their choice for United States Senator. It has already passed the Senate, and will go through the House.

"They will pass a civil service law, which I regard as one of the greatest reforms in the State. It is a very important matter, of far reaching and beneficial effect, to get the offices out of politics. They have passed a railroad tax law; have increased the tax on franchises, and have passed numerous other acts that have been demanded for years.

"There is still one great demand which the party has not complied with, and that is, that political office and political honors shall not be dealt out as rewards for party services. Offices of the highest importance demand the highest qualifications. New Jersey is rich in such material, but it is often barred by the miserable doctrine that partisan services, rendered on the lower levels, deserve these great public trusts as rewards.

"This year's Legislature is above the average; on a high plane. The Senate is this year especially strong in able, upright and patriotic men. I know that these Senators are sincere in their desire to meet the reasonable demands of the people in the way of reform and good legislation. No measures will be smothered in the dark recesses of the committee rooms this year. They will all be reported in some form or other, and every bill will get a square deal."

Bethrothal Party.

The engagement of Samuel Rosenbaum, of this city, and Miss Dorothy Weisman, of Newark, was marked yesterday by a reception at the home of the bride-to-be. A number of Plainfield friends and relatives of Mr. Rosenbaum attended.

TALKED ON LINCOLN, THE MAN OF FAITH

DR. PARSONS SAYS MARTYR-PRESIDENT BELIEVED IN EFFICACY OF PRAYER.

At last night's service in Grace M. E. church, Rev. Dr. Parsons preached a timely and interesting sermon from the subject, "Lincoln—the Man of Faith," making plain the fact that his had been a true Christian life.

Dr. Parsons began his discourse by relating some of the things in connection with Lincoln and his career that had been told him by his father when he was a little boy. He remembered distinctly the political slogan, "Free Soil, Free Men and Fremont" and led up to the time when Lincoln ran against Douglas for Senator and the cry was "A house cannot stand divided against itself; all slavery or all free."

No other president of the United States, said Dr. Parsons, had ever quoted so widely from God's word as Lincoln. When a boy at home there were only five books in the house and the Bible was one of them. The future President read and re-read them all until he had committed the greater part of them to memory and he was familiar with the gospel from end to end. He was also a great believer in prayer and nothing relieved him more than to invoke the Divine blessing. The night before the battle of Gettysburg he asked for God's help and he said afterward that a great burden had been lifted from him and that he was confident the battle would be won by the Union army.

SURPRISED ON FORTIETH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.

Guests Came Unexpectedly at the Home of Mr. and Mrs. William Shearer.

In celebration of the fortieth wedding annivesary of Mr. and Mrs. William Shearer, of the Jackson building, their children and a number of friends tendered them a surprise Saturday night. The coming of the delegation was entirely unexpected by the couple, who had been observing the event quietly, and on its arrival the self-invited guests took full possession of the home. After Mr. and Mrs. Shearer had recovered from their surprise and congratulations had been extended, games and vocal and instrumental music were enjoyed. Refreshments were served in conclusion.

Just before the guests departed, another "wedding" ceremony was performed with Mr. and Mrs. Shearer as the participants. A young woman guest "officiated" and the bride and groom were attired in costumes in vogue a century ago.

The guests present included Mr. and Mrs. Edward Shearer, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shearer, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Symons, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Higgins, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Drake, Mrs. Waldron, Miss Grace Webster and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Polkinghorne, the latter of Nevada.

Throng at First Lenten Recital.

The Church of the Holy Cross was thronged with worshippers Saturday afternoon, when the first free Lenten recital was held. F. Clinton Lee, assistant organist at Trinity chapel, New York, presided at the organ, and was assisted by Fred'k J. Pope, baritone, of the church choir. The programme as published on Saturday was rendered entire and was greatly enjoyed. Evening prayer followed immediately after the recital. Rev. George A. Warner, the rector, has arranged to give these recitals every Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock during Lent, except Holy Week, and well-known musical artists will appear.

Panhandler Gets 20 Days.

A well dressed young man who described himself as William Maruco, thirty-four years old, a shoe cutter, of Brockton, Mass., was sentenced to twenty days in jail by City Judge Runyon, this morning, for panhandling. He was arrested last night by Patrolman Kelly, just about the time complaints of his activity were coming into headquarters from victims along Central avenue and Seventh street. His story of temporary embarrassment didn't impress the judge favorably and the sentence followed. He had $3.50 in quarters when arrested.

—The Sagamore Musical Club will give its third annual entertainment this evening at the Casino. As usual a pleasing programme has been arranged. Besides the music furnished by the club members, humorous selections and songs by Malcolm Shackleford, Mr. Fred F. VanEps will render selections on the banjo. As all the performers have been before this public on many previous occasions, an excellent entertainment can be looked for. After the entertainment part of the programme is over, dancing will be enjoyed. Music for which will be furnished by Wetton's orchestra. Will VanEps is the leader of the Sagamore Musical Club. ***

FRELINGHUYSEN'S EYES ON THE GOVERNORSHIP

SOMERSET SENATOR TO ENTERTAIN HIS COLLEAGUES ON THURSDAY.

State Senator Joseph Frelinghuysen, of Somerset county, who is paving the way to capture the Republican gubernatorial nomination, will entertain his colleagues in the State Senate on Thursday afternoon in New York. In the afternoon, the Jersey solons will occupy seats in the "bald headed" row of the Savoy theatre, where they will witness a performance of "The Man of the Hour," George Broadhurst's great success. The play portrays American politics of the day and the author pictures New York political life, the characters representing men prominent in and out of Tammany Hall. After the show, the Senators will be Mr. Frelinghuysen's guests at dinner at his New York house.

Ever since Senator Frelinghuysen played so prominent a part in the recent U. S. Senatorial election, his name had been connected with the gubernatorial nomination. He is a close political friend of United States Senator Dryden, whose name he presented at the joint caucus of the Legislature, and he is on the inside at councils of the "Big Five." As chairman of the Somerset county Republican committee, the Raritan man has made himself solid with the party workers not only of his own but of other Northern counties. Former Judge Alfred S. Skinner, of Essex county, is also prominently mentioned for the nomination but friends of Frelinghuysen declare he has him "beat a mile."

PATRIOTIC SERVICE.

Mr. Swackhamer's Talk on Lincoln at Congregational Church.

In place of the usual Sunday evening service, a Sunday-school concert was held at the Congregational church, yesterday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, when an attractive programme arranged by Miss Alice Morgan was presented. It included vocal and instrumental selections and address on "Lincoln" by S. S. Swackhamer. Edson C. Martin led the school in the singing of the hymns and other selections, and at the close an offering was received for the Mountain Whites.

There were hymns by the Sunday-school and the Junior department, violin and organ duets by Miss Alice Morgan and Mrs. B. T. Barnes; piano selections by Elizabeth Martin and Martine Weeks, and anthem by the Sunday-school choiir of eight voices.

At the close of Mr. Swackhamer's address the school sang the Star Spangled Banner, while Miss Esther Hellstrom, a member of the banner class, of which Miss Winckler is the teacher, waved an American flag.

SURPRISED MISS SMITH.

Affair Arranged by Mr. and Mrs. Arnsburg of Leland Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. William Arnsburg, of Leland avenue, gave a surprise party at their home Friday night in honor of their guest, Miss Ida Smith. The home was elaborately decorated, the chief colors being red and green. There were piano solos by Miss Smith and John Clements; violin solos by Mr. Arnsburg and vocal solos by Frank MacInerney, after which dancing was enjoyed.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Arnsburg, Mr. and Mrs. Loctton, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Pearson, Mrs. Margaret Hanson, Mrs. Fitzgerald, the Misses Ida and Lizzie Smith, Kenenna, Hannah Hansen, Mabel, Florence and Ida Pearson, Florence Pedeflous and Albert and Oscar Pearson, William and Ernest Banks, Fred Viebrock, Frank MacInerney, John Clements, Preston and Roy Goodfellow.

Somerset Farmers Meet and Talk.

The quarterly meeting of the Somerset County Board of Agriculture was held in the First Reformed church at Somerville Saturday afternoon. Among the speakers were Judge Louis H. Schenck, the Rev. Dr. James Le Fevre, J. Newton Van Derbeek, Freeholder Joseph Fitzga, Frederick A. Pope and Abram A. Cortelyou. The principal speaker was F. H. Castner, of Glen Gardner.

In Memory of Dr. Yerkes.

The committee, of which Alexander Gilbert is the chairman, is making arrangements, in accordance with action taken by the First Baptist church, to have a memorial tablet placed in the church in memory of the late Rev. Dr. D. J. Yerkes, for nearly fifty years its pastor.

Nemesis of Sin.

Rev. E. E. Roberson continued his series of talks at the Y. M. C. A. yesterday afternoon, speaking on "An Enemy Which It Is Impossible to Escape." His leading thought was: "Be sure your sins will find you out."

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COUPLE BADLY BURNED

Mr. and Mrs. DeLanoy in Hospital and Their Country Home in Ashes.

MRS. CORLIES DAUGHTER

Insurance Man and Wife Will Recover—Loss On House $30,000—Oil Stove the Cause.

Hartshorn's Park, the handsome home of Mr. and Mrs. William C. DeLanoy, in Forest Drive, Short Hills, was totally destroyed by fire early yesterday morning. Mr. and Mrs. DeLanoy are in the private hospital of Dr. Mefford Runyon, at South Orange, severely burned about the head and hands, wherever, in fact, their clothing failed to protect them. Neither is likely to succumb to the injuries they received, but they will be in the hospital for some time.

Mrs. DeLanoy is the daughter of Mrs. J. Edgar Corlies, of Road End-ing, and she assisted her mother last week at the first of a series of three "at homes," and spent several days in town. In consequence of the injuries sustained yesterday by Mrs. DeLanoy, her mother has recalled the invitations for her second "at home" which was to be held tomorrow afternoon.

Mr. DeLanoy is a member of the insurance firm of DeLanoy & DeLanoy, of 2 Wall street, New York.

Mr. and Mrs. DeLanoy's two children were carried to safety by their nurse and escaped injury, but the parents delayed their departure from the burning building and were trapped by the flames. It is thought the damage to the building will approximate $50,000. It burned with great rapidity, and little of the contents was saved.

The fire was discovered about 8 o'clock yesterday morning by some of the servants, who saw a blaze in the conservatory at the rear of the house, where Mr. DeLanoy had a collection of costly plants. It is supposed that an oil stove used to heat the place exploded, and that the blaze communicated to the wood work. An alarm of fire was telephoned to Millburn about two miles away, and Mr. and Mrs. DeLanoy, who were about to get up, were told of the fire. The children, who were fully dressed, were carried across the street to the home of William G. Sickel.

At this time the smoke had not permeated the upper part of the house, and, thinking that there was no immediate danger, Mr. and Mrs. DeLanoy finished their dressing, and then gathered up some jewelry and valuables, preparatory to leaving the house.

Opening the door into the hallway, they were met by a great gust of smoke and heard the roar of the flames in the lower part of the house. Mr. DeLanoy grasped his wife and started down the stairway. The couple were blinded and choked by the time they reached the foot of the stairs.

Downstairs they found that the flames had spread in such a manner that escape by the front of the house was entirely cut off and they would have to fight their way through the blazing hallway to a rear door, which was not far from the place where the fire started. Neighbors were rallying to their aid, for the word spread quickly that Mr. and Mrs. DeLanoy were still in the blazing building, and as the couple staggered out of the rear door, with their clothing afire, they were caught by eager hands and hurried to the residence of Mr. Sickel and made as comfortable as possible pending the arrival of Dr. Wellington Campbell, of Millburn.

Dr. Campbell applied temporary dressing, and the private ambulance of Frederick Ardrey in South Orange and one of the Record ambulances from Orange were summoned, and Mr. and Mrs. DeLanoy rushed to the hospital as fast as the horses could be driven.

Meanwhile the firemen, who had made good time over the uphill roads, which were blocked with snow, got to work, but the handsome stone and frame house was doomed, and every effort had to be exerted to save other houses in the neighborhood from being set afire by the flying brands. The building was practically wrecked within an hour.

Captain Benn Tells of His Work.

Captain George Benn, of the Mission Yacht Association, Brooklyn, spoke briefly at the close of the morning service in the First Baptist church, yesterday, making an urgent appeal for literature, religious and secular, to be distributed among the sailors who visit New York. Later he addressed the Sunday-school at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, and in the afternoon he spoke at the W. C. T. U. gospel meeting, telling of his work. The union is particularly interested in this work and the members were much encouraged by the report given by Captain Benn.

BOY JUMPED FREIGHT; HIS FOOT TAKEN OFF

CABOOSE WHEELS PASSED OVER IT AND AMPUTATION FOLLOWED.

Within an hour after getting a position as messenger in the local office of the Western Union and while on the way to deliver his first telegram, George Minerd, fourteen years old, son of Frank Minerd, of North Front street, received injuries yesterday noon that cost him his right foot. The message given him was for a Netherwood resident and thinking to reach his destination quickly, he attempted to jump on the caboose of a freight train passing Washington street. He made a misstep and the foot went beneath the wheels. It was crushed into a shapeless mass and he fell back helpless.

The crew of a drill engine saw him drop and they had him aboard of it in a few minutes speeding toward the North avenue station. He was placed in the baggage room and calls were sent for physicians and the ambulance. Dr. Zeglio was the first to arrive and he bound up the crushed limb, being assisted at the end by Dr. Hubbard. The boy was then taken to Muhlenberg Hospital where the foot was amputated just above the ankle. He had retained consciousness all along and quickly rallied after the operation. At noon today he was reported as doing nicely.

Young Minerd was a bright boy and until a short time ago worked in the New York office of W. H. Druse, conected with the mechanical department of the New Jersey Central. He left there to go back to school and after attending awhile decided to seek employment again. He had been on the waiting list of the Western Union messenger force for a week and finally got the place yesterday morning.

SEEGAR ARRAIGNED; PLEADS NOT GUILTY.

Man Alleged to Have Fired at Slonim to Be Tried on Wednesday.

George Seegar, who was accused of highway robbery at the jewelry store of Leo Slonim on the night of December 3 last, was arraigned in the Union County Court this morning and entered a plea of not guilty. His trial was set for Wednesday. S. S. Swackhamer, Esq., is his counsel.

Seegar was arrested in Newark on suspicion of being the man who held up Mr. Slonim in his jewelry store late one night. It was claimed that the man entered the place on the pretense of wanting to buy a diamond ring and after spending a couple of hours there pulled out a revolver and fired twice, one of the bullets striking Mr. Slonim in the arm. The man made his escape. Some days later Seegar was arrested in Newark. Mr. and Mrs. Slonim declared that he was the one who committed the theft.

Peter A. Emmons Funedal.

The funeral of former Councilman Peter A. Emmons, who died at his home on Jackson avenue Saturday morning, will be held at the home tomorrow afternoon at 2:30. It will be a Masonic service in charge of Anchor Lodge, No. 149, F. and A. M., of which he was a past worshipful master and its treasurer. The members of Jerusalem Lodge, Jerusalem Chapter, Trinit Commandery, No. 17, K. T., and Salaam Temple, A. A. O. N. M. S., have also been invited to attend. The interment will be at Hillside.

Dr. Fritts Seriously Ill.

Dr. J. T. Fritts, of Park avenue, who was stricken with paralysis a few days ago, was reported today as not being so well. Some time ago he met with an accident while travelling on the Erie Railroad, and he was detained at home for several months. He finally recovered sufficiently to go out, although he never seemed to entirely overcome the trouble.

Sneeze Powder Leads to Arrests.

Willie Seader, a newsboy, and Johnny Blount, a messenger boy, were arrested Saturday night for scattering sneezing powder in a West Second street butcher shop. The powder broke up the business for fifteen minutes and M. F. Giles, the proprietor of the shop, was hot. He didn't feel so angry this morning and refused to press the complaint.

Dr. Moldenke on Egypt.

"Sailing Up the Nile," will be the subject of an illustrated lecture to be given by Dr. C. E. Moldenke at St. Peter's Lutheran church on Grove street, Wednesday night, February 27, for the benefit of the church. This will be a superbly illustrated narrative of a trip to the Land of the Pharaohs.

—Get wise and select your couch at Shirley & Johnston's while the sale is on. It will pay you. 2 16 2 ***

URGES HIS CONGREGATION TO FIGHT THE SALOON

REV. L. R. HOWARD PREACHES AGAINST THE DRINK HABIT.

Rev. L. R. Howard, of Hope chapel, began, last night, a series of sermons on "Things to Oppose." He talked on the saloon, from the text, "Take ye the stumbling block out of the way of my people."

The saloon, he said, was a stumbling block in the way of society's advancement, and the little good it might do could be accomplished better by other means; the harm it did was almost incalculable. The saloon not only ensalved the drunkard but increased drunkenness. Mr. Howard cited figures to show that fifty per cent. of the crime and twenty-five per cent. of the poverty came from drink.

Mr. Howard urged his people to talk strongly against the saloons, to refuse to speak lightly of drunkenness, and to withhold signatures from every application for a license and to refuse to rent property for saloon purposes. He spoke in approval of the local option bill to be presented to the Legislature, and advised his flock to write the Senator and Assemblymen in favor of it.

GULICK VERDICT REDUCED.

Lincoln Man Must Take $125 Or a New Trial.

Ruling that the verdict was excessive, Judge Newcorn gave Abram Gulick, who was awarded $200 by a jury for damages and injuries following a collision between a P. S. C. trolley car and his wagon, the option of accepting $125 or of having a new trial ordered, at a brief session of the District Court this morning. The verdict was rendered last Monday and the Public Service Corporation, through John A. Bernhard, its counsel, asked for a new trial on the grounds that the verdict was against the charge of the court, against the weight of evidence and was excessive. Walter L. Hetfield, Jr., counsel for Gulick, said this noon, that his client had not decided whether to accept the reduced verdict or go into another trial.

Judge Newcorn did not try any cases. He had over all the actions docketed, to go to Elizabeth to sit in place of Judge Swift, who is ill.

NEW SWITCH TOWER UP.

First Step in Installation of Interlocking System.

The Jersey Central's construction gang yesterday placed in position the cross over piece for the switch tower of the new interlocking system which is to be installed in the freight yards. The tower is located over the main tracks just east of Berckman street and is to be one of the largest and best equipped along the line. The cross over was put up in about fifteen minutes and traffic was not interrupted.

The company has been compelled to put in the switching system because of the great volume of business that is now being done at the local freight house. It is said the monthly receipts aggregate $50,000 and the amount is still growing. By the old hand method of throwing switches much valuable time is lost and it endangers the members of the drill crews in running about.

QUIETLY WEDDED.

Miss Carrie Krewson Became the Wife of Leslie Sackett.

Miss Carrie Krewson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Krewson, of Manning avenue, and Leslie Sackett, of Stebbins place, were quietly married Saturday afternoon by Rev. J. O. McKelvey at his home on Grandview avenue. The bride was gowned in white taffeta and carried a bouquet of roses. Her attendant was Miss Dora Bennett, of East Front street, who wore white silk mulle over pink taffeta and carried pink carnations. The groom's attendant was William S. Kenney, of East Fifth street.

Following the ceremony a supper was served at the home of the bride's parents and later Mr. and Mrs. Sackett left for New York. After a wedding trip to several points of interest they will make their home on Stebbins place.

Sidewalk Needs Cleaning.

Editor, The Daily Press:

I would like to call attention to the condition of the sidewalk extending from the Babcock building to the brook and ask why the ice and slush are allowed to remain on it. I had a fall on it today, but, fortunately escaped with only a slight wetting. If I am not mistaken the law requires this work done by the owner, or the city must do it at the former's expense.

J. R. MARTIN.

—The Plainfield Operatic Association will meet at the Casino tomorrow night for the first rehearsal of "Pinafore."

CITY OFFICIAL TEN YEARS

Andrew J. Gavett Rounds Out First Decade as Street Commissioner.

IDEAL PUBLIC SERVANT

During His Service Mr. Gavett Has Made the Streets of Plainfield Famous Through Jersey.

Andrew J. Gavett completed his tenth year as city engineer on Saturday. It was the end of a decade of service of the highest value to Plainfield. The general public scarcely realizes the rare municipal prize that Plainfield has in Mr. Gavett, or the quality of the work he has done for the city.

He is largely responsible for the excellence of the streets, and it is due to him that the sewer farm is running so successfully that it is regarded as the standard of such plants in operation. Engineers and municipal officials from all over the East have come here to see the workings of the septic tanks and disposal beds, and after a talk with Mr. Gavett they go not away empty of information. This is not to be said of every city engineer in the country.

Street Commissioner A. J. Gavett.

Mr. Gavett is thoroughly versed in his profession. His experience had included work with the city engineer of Bayonne, railroad work, water works drafting in New York city, road and brick pavement work. He has been constructing engineer of the Plainfield sewers.

Mr. Gavett's chief characteristic is thoroughness; after that the thing that most impresses those who know him is his modesty. It is on record that he has refused an advance in salary from the city. Was it not said that he is a most remarkable municipal official?

Mr. Gavett is essentially a servant of Plainfield. He will not speak of this and will hate to see it in print, but it is a fact that he has had more than a few opportunities to go into other positions at larger salaries, but has always decided to remain in Plainfield because he prefers this city above all other places as the scene of his labors.

LECTURE PATRONESSES.

Women Who Will Help Make Peary's Second Coming a Success.

The second lecture of Peary, the arctic explorer, at the theatre March 4, for the Y. M. C. A., will be under the patronage of the following Plainfield women:

Mrs. F. G. Mead, Mrs. F. De L. Hyde, Mrs. E. R. Ackerman, Mrs. A. C. McCrea, Mrs. L. V F. Randolph, Mrs. C. W. McCutchen, Mrs. Henry A. McGee, Mrs. T. M. Day, Mrs. Geo. A. Chapman, Mrs. Alexander Millar, Mrs. D. H. Rowland, Mrs. I. N. Van Sickel, Mrs. William B. Wadsworth, Mrs. George P. Mellick, and the women of the Y. M. C. A. auxiliary.

Jerome Leary, 2d, Celebrates.

Jerome, Leary, 2d, son of the proprietor of the Hotel Iroquois, celebrated the anniversary of his birthday on Friday at the hotel, and entertained among others Marie Tobin, Marie Whelan, Charles and George Ward, of this city, and Miss Edith M. Vogel, of New York. Master Leary received a number of valuable gifts.

Surprised Miss Randolph.

Young people from the Seventh-Day Baptist churches, of this city, and New Market, gave a surprise party last night to Miss Margaret Randolph at her home in South Plainfield. The evening was spent in an informal way, there being a programme of vocal and instrumental selections, followed by refreshments.

—Neuman Brothers' store is the place to get fancy fruits and fresh vegetables. New lots received every day.

—The chemical engine from the West End house was sent to the home of Robert Rushmore on West Eighth street, this morning, for a chimney fire. It was put out by extinguishers before any damage resulted.

NEW SPRING WASH GOODS.

ONE CASE OF BEAUTIFUL MERCERIZED TAFFETA CHECKS, BLUE AND WHITE, RED AND WHITE, PALE BLUE AND WHITE, ETC., THE POPULAR COLORS FOR SPRING, AT YARD, 25c.

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This store willl close daily at 5.30 p. m. until further notice, Saturdays excepted.

JUST TO REMIND YOU

THAT IF YOU CONTEMPLATE GETTING A COAT TO TIDE YOU OVER THE BALANCE OF THE WINTER MONTHS, WE HAVE NOW THE GREATEST VALUE EVER OFFERED. $15 ALL SATIN LINED COATS FOR $10.98; $10 ALL SATIN LINED COATS FOR $7.25.

IMPORTANT RUG SALE!

To more thoroughly bring before the people of Plainfield the fact that we maintain a well equipped **Rug Department** on our second floor., we will sell Rugs for one week only, in all sizes from 18x30 to 9x12, at an enormous saving in price to you. Our new spring stock just opened contains the very newest and most up-to-date designs. It will pay you to anticipate your wants. See special prices below.

18x30 Fringed Axminster Rugs, made from carpet, or we could not give you 65c value for ..... .39

18x30 Smyrna Rugs in a big range of colors and styles, 69c value for ..... .49

18x36 Axminster Mats, several colors and styles, $1.25 value, for ..... .98

27x54 Kashmir Rugs, all Oriental designs, $1.49 value, for $1.07

27x54 Axminster Rugs, all new colors and patterns, $2.75 value, for $1.98

36x72 Beautiful Axminster Rugs, $4.00 value for $3.38

36x72 Bimdhar Wilton Velvets, $7.00 value for $6.63

36x72 Daghestan Rugs—a rare opportunity at this price—$9.50 value, for $7.49

7.6x10.6 Kashmir Rugs, reversible, makes a perfect bedroom rug, $10.00 value, for $7.71

9x12 Kishmir Rugs, Oriental colorings and designs; reversible; $11.98 value for $10.49
(This Week Only.)

8.3x10.6 Brussels Rugs, the rugs that wear; $13.00 value, for $11.27

9x12 Handsome Brussels Rugs, $15.00 value for $13.49

9x12 Hartford Brussels, new patterns, $19.98 value, for $15.63

6x9 Axminster Rugs, floral and Oriental, standard quality, $15.50 value, for $12.24

8.3x10.6 Smith Axminster, a big variety, the pick of a large line, $22.00 value, for $19.13

9x12 Regular Axminster; the quality here is the best; $24.50 value, for $20.13

9x12 Axminster Rugs, slightly mismatched, excellent quality, $22.00 value, for $16.89

9x12 Kymric Wilton Velvet, exquisite colorings, Oriental patterns, $45.00 value, for $34.27

16x27 Cocoa Mats, heavy thick crush, 69c value, for ..... .49

20x30 closely made Cocoa Mats, $1.39 value for ..... .98

Several rolls of Japanese Matting, with colors, 25c value for ..... .19

Crex Grass Twine Matting, in red, blue and green; a choice bargain ..... .37

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Total value 34.00

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We Deliver any of the above Articles into your Home Free of all Expense to you and Subject to your approval.

A postal will bring one of our salesmen to your home to take your orders. **We allow car fare when purchases are made at our store.**

Money Saving Bargains.

We are offering many good bargains for careful buyers. These are good values, but our space will permit the mentioning of only a few of the many good values we are offering.

98c—Special lot of Ladies' Woven and Satin Petticoats, extra well made of good quality of material; good assortment of colors; the former price of the skirts was $1.50.

7c yard—500 yards of Outing Flannel, extra heavy weight; good assortment of patterns; regular value 10c yard.

7c yard—1,000 yards of Apron Ginghams, well selected assortment of patterns; regular value 9c yard.

4c yard—2,500 yards White Crash Toweling, good width and quality; regular value 6c yard.

6c yard—500 yards Crash Toweling, extra heavy weight and good value at 8c yard.

25c yard—Special lot of Dress Goods Remnants, all different lengths; regular price of these goods was 50c yard.

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Netherwood ..... Blaney & Son

NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Excelsior Hook and Ladder Company's three days' fair opens Thursday night, and from the present outlook it will be one of the most successful ever held here. The several committees appointed to solicit donations have met with encouraging success and those who attend will find all the old devices as well as several new ones in full operation, all working with one object in view, that of encouraging the money to flow into the company's treasury.

Frank Carrona and Albert Walpole had a narrow escape from serious injury while coasting on Spencer's hill Saturday afternoon, by being thrown from a bob sled while it went over one of the water breakers on the hill. Carrona received, beside a bad shaking up, several cuts on the face, one of which was just under the eye, narrowly missing the optic. Walpole escaped with nothing worse than a sprained wrist.

It is reported that a cock fight was held Saturday night near New Providence, a combination of local and Westfield birds being pitted against Newark birds. The home talent, it is said, won five out of the six fights.

The work of finishing the filling of the ice houses at the "Back Pond" was completed Saturday. Both houses hold several hundreds tons, so there should be no local ice famine this summer.

A musicale will be held tonight in the Methodist church. A pleasing programme of both instrumental and vocal music has been arranged. A silver collection will be taken.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Smith and children, of Plainfield, were the guests over Sunday of Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis B. Coddington, of Park avenue.

Rev. Mr. Cummings, a class mate of Rev. A. H. Cook, preached at the Methodist church yesterday at both morning and evening services.

The members of the B. Y. P. U. held their weekly session last night in the parlors of the church. Mrs. John Lyndell led the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mahon, who have been occupying the Seeley house in the Valley for the past year, have removed to New York.

The Port Watch Society held an interesting meeting yesterday afternoon in the parlors of the Baptist church.

Rev. T. Moore-Smith occupied his pulpit at the Baptist church yesterday, after a two weeks' illness.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

The horrifying news comes from the Cole piggery that Bessie, daughter-in-law of Caruso, prize hog, has eaten one of her blue-blooded offsprings. The six remaining piglets have been put where the cannibalistic Bessie cannot get at them.

William G. Holton Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., will make a number of improvements to its hall in the near future. The name "Apgar's Hall" is to be dropped, and "Junior Hall" substituted.

The Piscataway School Board has decided to encourage all the township schools to get new pianos.

Mrs. Ernestine Herlich has returned home after a visit to out of town friends for three weeks.

Miss Maud Rupell has so far recovered from her illness as to be able to leave the house.

Dr. and Mrs. P. W. Brakeley are entertaining Thomas McGuire, of Tulema, Cal.

Mrs. C. T. Rogers is entertaining her sister, Miss Kate Herlich, of Warrenville.

Joseph Penrose has returned from a visit to relatives in Lambertville.

Miss Kate Mauhart, of Washington avenue, is suffering from the grip.

Henry Shepard has been confined to the house for a week by grip.

Mrs. Lucinda Buckalew is suffering from an injury to her hand.

The Township Board of Education will meet tomorrow afternoon.

Nelson Cronk is spending the week with a daughter in New York.

Henry Kroohs is improving his recently purchased property.

Miss Hall is making her home with Mrs. Josephine Vance.

Mrs. John Shafer has been ill for several days.

NORTH BRANCH.

Mrs. Nelson, widow of Dr. Adonis Nelson, of Neshanic Station, was taken suddenly ill a few days ago, while visiting at the home of former Freeholder and Mrs. E. B. Hoagland. Her daughter, Miss Ada Nelson, of Baptistown, is caring for her.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip T. LaTourette, of Bayonne, have been guests of Mr. LaTourette's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. T. LaTourette, in this place, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Van Fleet, of Three Bridges, have been guests of Mrs. Van Fleet's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Ten Eyck.

Misses Bessie and Anna Hall, of South Branch, have returned home from a visit to their brother, John P. Hall, in Plainfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kline, of Reaville, have been guests of Mr. Kline's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kline, at South Branch.

Rev. W. W. Conner, pastor of the Belleville Reformed church, preached in the Reformed church of this place yesterday.

Miss Meriam Beekman, of Red Bank, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Beekman, at South Branch.

Miss Mary Williamson, of Neshanic, has been visiting her brother, S. Howard Williamson, in South Bound Brook.

Mrs. Margaret Layton, of Pluckemin, has gone to Newark to spend the remainder of the winter with relatives.

Mrs. Thomas Skillman, of Skillman, has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. Bert Ten Eyck, in this place.

WESTFIELD.

The People's National Bank, of Westfield, will open for business on April 1, in the Abbott building, on Broad street, in the store now occupied by the United States Express Company. Stock in the new bank was over-subscribed 100 per cent.

An elementary conference will be held at the chapel of the Westfield Presbyterian church tonight. There will be an attendance from the churches of the neighboring towns. Primary and junior work will be the topic discussed.

Special services are to be conducted this week at the Willow Grove chapel. Rev. W. T. Steans, of the Westfield Presbyterian church, will have charge of the services during the first part of the week.

Mrs. Bert Moore, who was living in very straitened circumstances at the old Gun Club grounds, has been taken care of and her children are being cared for at the Children's Country Home at Mountainside.

Rev. F. Q. Blanchard, of East Orange, conducted the morning service at the Congregational church yesterday.

WHITEHOUSE.

Ralph Lanning Reed, fifty-two years ago a resident of Whitehouse Station and a brother of Abram E. Reed, of Dreahook, near here, celebrated a few days ago, with his wife, the sixtieth anniversary of his wedding at his home in Henry, Ill. Mr. and Mrs. Reed were married six decades ago in Somerville at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Brokaw, the bride being Miss Mary Ann Brokaw, their daughter. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Talbot W. Chambers. Mr. Reed was a contractor and builder and the couple made their home near Whitehouse until 1855, when they moved to Illinois. They have five daughters and two sons living and fifteen grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Mr. Reed is eighty-two years old and his wife two years his junior.

Invitations have been issued for the wedding of Miss Jennie Neff, of this place, and Rogers McNaly, of Trenton. The ceremony will be performed at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abram Neff, in Whitehouse, on Thursday, Feb. 28.

A supper and entertainment will be given in St. Luke's Hall, at Peapack, on Washington's Birthday, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Reformed church. The programme will consist of songs, tableaux and recitations.

The Methodist congregation at Neshanic Station is holding a series of revival services, which will last for ten days. They are in charge of Rev. Dr. Klinetoff, who preached last evening.

Miss Edith Sharp, of Lebanon, who has been substituting as teacher in the public school at Hampton Junction, has gone to Passaic to resume her former position.

Miss Ella Craft, of Newark, has been spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Craft, in Whitehouse.

Mrs. George W. Farley, of Whitehouse, has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Farley, at Califon, for a few days.

La Monte Wikof, of Toledo, O., is spending a fortnight with his mother, Mrs. Mattie Wikof, in Whitehouse.

A masquerade ball will be held in the rink at Neshanic, next Thursday night.

George Mattis is very ill at his home at Lebanon from diphtheria.

NEW PROVIDENCE.

For the first time in many years, a coasting feat was performed Friday night by several bobs on Stony Hill, when they ran from the top of the hill all the way to the residence of Eugene Badgley, New Providence, a distance of over a mile. By going to the top of Diamond Hill and then coasting down, several parties coasted a distance of nearly three miles.

Leo Kaemmerer, ten years old, was severely injured while hitching on bobs Saturday. He tried to jump on the front bob of a sled belonging to Amos Potter, but missed it, and falling on the ground, was run over by the rear bob. No bones were broken, but he was badly cut and bruised.

A number of the young people of the place are preparing to give an entertainment at the Presbyterian chapel, to be called "The Old Folks' Concert." It will be a sort of a cantata and will consist of the rendering of new versions of a number of songs.

George Hergett and family will move from the house they now occupy in West Summit and return to New York city about the first of next month. Elmer Dickinson will then occupy the house.

The condition of Postmistress Miss Clara Wahl, of this borough, who has been laid up at Overlook Hospital by a complication of dangerous diseases, does not seem to vary much.

BOUND BROOK.

Mrs. S. Howard Williamson and ward, Harold Butterfield, of South Bound Brook, spent yesterday with friends in Somerville.

Mrs. Gordon, of Hillsboro, was recently entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gregory, in Main street, Bound Brook.

A daughter was recently born to Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Zimmerman at their home in Main street, South Bound Brook.

Miss Clara Apgar, of Elizabeth street, South Bound Brook, spent several days last week with friends in New York.

Mrs. Robert M. Wilkinson, of South Bound Brook, spent yesterday at the home of Mrs. Sadie Staats, of Trenton.

William Keochlein has moved from Clinton street, South Bound Brook, to Somerville.

E. H. Dekyne moved from South Bound Brook to Plainfield, Friday.

BASKING RIDGE.

Mrs. P. C. Henry has issued invitations to the members of her Sunday-school class for a dinner at her home on Washington's Birthday.

Miss Minnie Barkalow, librarian here, who has been seriously ill at her home, on Main street, for several weeks, is much improved.

Rev. and Mrs. John T. Reeve returned Saturday from Chester, S. C., to their home here, the Presbyterian parsonage.

The services of the Presbyterian church were conducted yesterday, both morning and evening, by the pastor.

Miss Myra Howlett spent several days last week with relatives in Peapack.

SPENT $50,000; TOOK POISON.

Last Straw Was When Taylor's Love Was Scorned—His Farewell Letters.

Mount Holly, Feb. 18.—James A. Taylor, 25 years old, of Beverly, attempted to commit suicide Saturday night by taking two ounces of laudanum, because he had spent his inheritance of $50,000 after falling desperately in love with his landlady and had been supplanted in her affections by a rival.

He was discovered at 3 o'clock yesterday morning in his room in an unconscious condition, and after being revived was sent to jail a prisoner.

Taylor came to Beverly about a year ago from Madison, Wis., where his family is well known. Being plentifully supplied with money he spent it freely. He made his home at the boarding house of Mrs. May Vannell, with whom he soon fell in love. Soon, however, a new boarder became Taylor's rival. The new boarder was Earl Chambers, of Sykesville, N. J.

In the rivalry for Mrs. Vannell's affections Taylor gradually lost ground. Taylor in a few months had spent $15,000, which represented the last of his fortune. With his money gone and his conquest for Mrs. Vannell's affections lost, he repeatedly threatened suicide, but these threats were not taken seriously until he was found lying in his room at Mrs. Vannell's home yesterday morning unconscious from the effects of a heavy dose of laudanum.

On the table beside which the unconscious man was found, were three letters, one to Mrs. Vannell, one of his sister, Mrs. George Renk, of Madison, Wis., and another addressed to the public.

The letter to the public stated that he had died by his own hand, and that no other persons were concerned in his death. The letter to Mrs. George Renk, recited his troubles, and said that he died with a broken heart from unrequited love.

The letter to Mrs. Vannell was the last written, and was concluded by his falling from the chair, where he became unconscious from the effects of the poison. This letter was a passionate appeal to the woman to keep his memory sacred. The letter concluded by saying:

"I am writing this with a dying hand, I can see the paper but not the lines. Good-bye."

BY CARMEN SYLVA.

All lives are beautiful in which the sovereign thought has been for others.

The Fountain of Youth is work; woe to him who ceases to plunge therein.

By the side of tombs only kindly and courteous words are spoken; let us treat our friends like tombs.

A lost battle is often worth many victories; a victorious war may bring deep-seated loss to the nation that rejoiced for a conquest.

This life is but an image of the true life, a reflection of what the soul attains to in the beyond, of what only the death of the body shall reveal.

It is so good to be beautiful and so beautiful to be good that it is a sad mistake not to be the one by sheer force of being the other.

We must wring the neck of our deepest passions, of our most ardent desires, and walk in the way we would never have chosen.

Life is a stuff spun and woven by our hands; others will cut it and shape it, others again deck themselves with it.

What is called luck or fortune is only the gift of recognizing when our hour strikes, of not taking the hand from the plow until the Angelus sounds.

There are so many people whose only reason for depriving themselves of the sight of the rising sun is to sleep away the evening. Thus, the joyous moment of each day slips away from them.

One word has before now traversed the centuries and stirred hearts anew in every successive generation: why be content to chatter like the popular to the passing wind instead of sowing abroad words that will endure?

FURNITURE.

Let simplicity by the keynote, by all means, provided you bear in mind that we moderns don't pay any more attention to the keynote in our furniture than in our music.

On the other hand, avoid furniture which is going to be too hard to dust. No man of true feeling will run the risk of getting himself disliked by his servants, just to please mere connoisseurs.

Don't exclude light and air entirely. It is no longer true that everybody can have them, especially in New York.

You make a great mistake if you imagine furniture doesn't matter. Other things being equal, that family is likeliest to rise to social eminence whose furniture is the most hideous and useless and costly.

Glitter, gaucherie and glut, these three; but the greatest of these—Well, there's no telling. They are all very great, as we find them.—Puck.

AGREED ON MACKAY.

Recommended as Postmaster at Rutherford.

Washington, Feb. 18.—Representative Allen, of the Sixth District, and two Senators from New Jersey have agreed in recommending William H. Mackay for appointment as postmaster at Rutherford, N. J. The appointment will probably be sent to the Senate by the President within a few days.

This is the office over which there has been considerable friction or difficulty between Allen and the Senators for several months. The term of Charles Burrows, the present postmaster, expired a year ago, and Senator Kean favored his re-appointment. Allen then recommended Mackay for the office, but the two Senators would not concur in the recommendation.

Senator Dryden's secretary admitted yesterday that the recommendation had been made but refused to say who the appointee was to be. From other sources, however, it was learned that Kean, Dryden and Allen all signed the recommendation for Mackay, and that it went to the department two or three days ago.

The Growth of Religion.

The Rev. H. K. Carroll, D. D., has given to the public, through the columns of the Christian Advocate, statistics that show the condition of the various religious bodies in the United States. Te report for the last calendar year has been presented. It shows grand totals for all denominations at the end of 1906 of 159,503 ministers, 207,707 congregations, and 32,283,658 members. The increase for 1906 was 4,870,589 members, as compared with a gain in 1905 of 2,628 ministers, 4,100 congregations, and 783,979 members. All the denominations show gains except the Friends, but the Unitarians appear to be pretty nearly stationary. These figures seem to show how unfounded are the claims of some people that Christianity is on the wane in this country. Statistics prove that fully forty per cent. of the population of the United States is composed of church members. In speaking of this matter the Washington Post says: "And there is a deal of genuine religion in the country outside of church membership. Many of the most liberal contributors to the support of the church in all its good works at home and abroad are not church members. Millions of outsiders try as hard as any of the members to live up to the golden rule." Of course, the Journal would like to see the percentage of church members still greater, but the figures quoted by Dr. Carroll show that religion is making advances that are gratifying.—Elizabeth Journal.

Mott May Succeed Voorhees.

Morristown, Feb. 18.—Rumor is rife as to who will succeed Daniel S. Voorhees as county clerk, his term here closing March 1, when he takes up his new duties as State treasurer. The Governor will appoint a clerk from the date of Mr. Voorhees' resignation until the election next fall, and it is supposed the appointee will be Deputy Clerk E. Bertram Mott, who has been connected with the office since it was held by his father, Elias Mott, of Rockaway. There will doubtless be many candidates next fall, but those prominently mentioned are Gustav A. Becker, director of the Board of Freeholders, and Deputy Clerk Mott.

Schooner Sank With Crew.

New Haven, Conn., Feb. 18.—There is doubt as to what became of the crew of the two masted schooner, now know to be the Sylvester Hall, of Fall River, Mass., that sank in the Sound two miles off Charles Island, near Milford, on Tuesday night. Captain Calhoun, of the tugboat Patience, of New York, sighted signals of distress on Tuesday afternoon and gave the schooner a tow until near Milford, when Captain Nelson asked him to let go, as he thought he could sail the Hall into Milford, although she was leaking badly. In the darkness the aHll sank and nobody saw or heard in Milford of the crew, which numbered four men.

Pays for Fowls, Not Child.

Winsted, Conn., Feb. 18.—In New Britain a rabid dog, running loose, killed chickens belonging to Thomas Clerkin and fatally bit one of his children. The city paid for the chickens, but the committee on claims voted the father leave to withdraw his claim, as the city is not responsible for the life of a child. Corporation Counsel Hungerford says the father's only recourse is to sue the owner of the dog, if he can be found.

Banquet to State School Teachers.

Trenton, Feb. 18.—The faculty of the State Normal and Model schools gave a banquet Thursday night to Professor Austin C. Apgar, vice-president of the State schools, and Miss Sarah Y. Ely, supervisor of the girls' department of the Model School. The occasion was the commemoration of their completion of forty years' service as instructors in these institutions. Principal Dr. James M. Green, of the State schools, presided.

Hanged for Attacking Girl.

Russellville, Ky., Feb. 18.—Guy Lyon and Polk Fletcher, white men, were hanged here yesterday for an attack upon Mary Glader, a young German girl, two years old. Lyon attempted to commit suicide by opening a vein in his left arm. He was so weak that he had to be supported to the scaffold.

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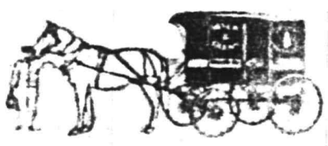

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The variety of subjects is almost as great as the number of pictures, and we could not think of undertaking a description of them in this advertisement, nor even to tell you the names of the subjects or artists. Likewise it is practically impossible to tell in detail of the variety of beautiful frames in which these pictures are set. Suffice it to say that there is almost every style and quality of frame you can conceive of and many novelties that are now shown for the first time. The pictures are the product of the foremost picture houses of the country, and we have been gathering for many months.

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—It is a noticeable fact that while the Union county freeholders here have had the snow and ice removed from the county line bridges, the Somerset county freeholders have taken no action in the matter on the bridges at the east and west end of the city.

LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

"Parted On Her Bridal Tour," a dramatization of Laura Jean Libbey's most popular novel, which is to be presented at the New Plainfield theatre this afternoon and tonight, is one of those delightful plays that one can witness half a dozen times. If the auditor is a bit sentimental he can fill up with tears, and then have a jolly good excuse telling people that he isn't crying at all but that his glasses are covered with dust or his eyes pain him and frequent rubbing is necessary.

It is a pleasure to announce that the play chosen to entertain the patrons of the New Plainfield theatre tomorrow night is that creator of keen interest, that provoker of laughter, that furnisher of thrills when the great race is run, "Checkers." The appreciation in which the play is held in this city was shown by the crowded house at its last engagement here. The theatre was thronged and the brief intervals between the outbursts and applause was proof conclusive that the sterling play had proved to be the public liking. To see "Checkers" is to see a slice right out of life, and a clean slice, it should be added, in the bargain. There is not a false note in the story. It runs along the channels known to everybody who has mixed at all with the world. And even those whose knowledge of life comes solely from the study, will find little to cavil at.

Kyrle Bellew returns to the New Plainfield theatre, Wednesday, in "A Marriage of Reason," a drama of international marriage by J. Hartley Manners. Mr. Bellew is Plainfield's favorite actor and in diplomatic, army and navy and society sets throughout the nation, his prestige is the highest enjoyed by any contemporary player either English or American. He has been a soldier and sailor himself, an officer of Her Majesty's Navy and a lion in the West end of London. His new play, "A Marriage of Reason," is frankly fashionable. It deals with noblemen and noblewomen. The action is intensely dramatic, crowded with incident and replete with original situations but it is always perfectly bred, in thorough good form and redolent of aristocracy. Throughout it moves on the very highest plane of life and presents the wine and honeycomb of existence.

Direct from its successful run at the new Astor theatre, New York, "The Daughters of Men," by Charles Klein, author of "The Lion and the Mouse" and other notable successes, will be seen at the New Plainfield theatre Washington's Birthday, afternoon and night. This drama, which played to capacity business in New York, was forced out of the Astor on account of the previous booking of Blanche Walsh. Henry B. Harris is now endeavoring to secure another theatre in the metropolis for the play and after a short road tour, the piece will be brought back to New York for the remainder of the season. "The Daughters of Men" deals with the subject of capital and labor and is handled so skillfuly and with such evident appreciation of the theme at hand that many critics have declared that Mr. Klein has at last solved this great problem of the fight between the masses and the classes. The production is magnificently staged, the setting of the second act alone costing more than ten thousand dollars. Absolutely no painted canvass is used in this setting, the scenery being birch, finished in mission style.

POINTS FOR THE BUYERS

For a first-class hair cut, shampoo, shave or massage go to E. B. Maynard's barber shop on North avenue.

When you need coal place your order with V. W. Nash, Sr., of Park avenue, and you will get the best at the lowest prices.

John A. Koch, the Watchung avenue butcher, sells the best meat to be found in the market; also selected chickens, poultry and game.

Don't forget that George F. Brown, of Somerset street, sells and leases the best properties and represents the leading fire and accident insurance companies.

The American Steam Laundry on East Front street, H. W. Marshall, proprietor, is the best place to have your clothes washed and ironed. Only high-class work done and charges are reasonable.

Why He Suspected It.

"So," the editor remarked, looking up over his spectacles at the young man who had applied for the job of writing the paper's funny paragraphs, "you think you are a humorist, do you?"

"Yes, sir."

"Why?"

"Well, I always refer to him as 'Bill' Shakespeare."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Proof Positive.

Maude—Fred proposed last night, and he was awfully rattled.

Clara—Well, I'm not surprised. I always thought he had a screw loose somewhere!—Chicago Daily News.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. William Staats, of Brooklyn, has returned after a visit with relatives here.

L. M. Codington, of North Plainfield, has been visiting relatives at Somerville.

Mrs. Whitfield Frazee, of South avenue, has recovered from a recent severe illness.

Miss Clyde Slater, of Jackson avenue, who has been ill with the grip, has recovered.

Mrs. William Newcorn, of West Front street, has about recovered from a recent illness.

Miss Agnes Daley, of this city, has returned from a visit with Miss Ashford, of Bound Brook.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fraleigh, of Central avenue, have been visiting relatives in Bound Brook.

E. A. Embury, formerly of the borough, but late of Philadelphia, has been visiting friends here.

Mrs. Christina Codington, of Martinsville, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. John G. Bicknell, of South avenue.

Miss Louise Robertson, of Martinsville, who has been spending several days with relatives, has returned home.

George Cornwall, of West Second street, who has been detained at home with the grip, is able to be out again.

Rufus Giddes, of Martinsville, who recently underwent an operation at Mulhenberg Hospital, is slowly improving.

Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson, of Grace church, and Dr. M. O'M. Knott, of Putnam avenue, are spending some time in Canada.

Mrs. Ida Randolph-Smalley, of Brooklyn, spent Sunday with her grandmother, Mrs. A. C. Randolph, of East Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fluck, of West Fourth street, are the parents of a baby girl who came to their home a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Limbarger, who have been residing on East Fifth street, have returned to their former apartments in the New Madison.

Benjamin Evans, janitor of the Plainfield High School, is able to be out again after being detained at home by illness for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard S. Smith, of Duer street, leave for Macon, Ga., tomorrow, where they will remain for about six weeks in the hope that the change will benefit Mr. Smith's health. He has been suffering from a severe attack of neuralgia around the heart.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The Epworth League of the First M. E. church will hold a business and social meeting in Vincent chapel Friday night.

The Colonial supper tomorrow night in the lecture room of the First Baptist church will be served from 6 to 8 o'clock.

The Women's Sewing Society of the First M. E. church will hold an all-day sewing meeting on Tuesday, March 5, in Vincent chapel.

Rev. Dr. William S. Rubbell, of Central avenue, preached at the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian church, New York, yesterday morning.

The Junior Epworth League of the First M. E. church will hold a Washington Birthday party in Vincent chapel Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Rev. Dr. W. C. Snodgrass, formerly of this city, but now of Perth Amboy, will exchange pulpits next Sunday with Rev. A. C. McCrea, of the First M. E. church.

The Boys' Athletic Association will meet at the First Baptist church Friday night at 7:30 o'clock to perfect the organization of a baseball team for the Sunday-school Athletic League.

The committee appointed sometime ago to revise the membership list of the First Baptist church and publish the same in pamphlet form has nearly completed its work and it is expected that the books will soon be ready for distribution among the members.

The Young Women's Missionary Society will hold its annual meeting in the church Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Miss Katherine Rocap will have charge of the devotional exercises and Mrs. Kenneth Robbie will present a paper on "The Japanese People," followed by a general discussion.

The Women's Home Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will meet in the parlors of the church tomorrow afternoon, when it is expected that Miss Shinn, who recently returned from a foreign mission field, will speak. Mrs. George H. Batchelor will have charge of the devotional exercises and Miss Harriet Mattison will read the paper on current events.

The library committee of Trinity Reformed church has completed the work of re-binding the old books in the library and adding new ones to the list. The library, which contains 478 volumes, opened yesterday for the use of the school. Of this number there are over 300 new books in the library, making it one of the most valuable in the city. Much of the work of putting the library in condition was done by Alfred W. Dunavan, one of the young men in charge of it.

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UNCLE DAN'S JOB.

Daniel S. Voorhees will be in his element at Trenton if the State treasurership is the snap it is represented to be by the New York Herald's Jersey political writer. Granting that such is the case, it is well that the Morris county man and not former Senator Reed landed in the berth for the "Tall Sycamore of Somerset" would soon weary of a job where there is no work to do.

Concerning what the office is and what it is going to be under the Morris county "boss," the Herald says:

"The election of Daniel S. Voorhees as State treasurer in place of Senator-elect Frank O. Briggs excited no very positive emotions one way or the other. The position is really of little importance. The State treasurer of New Jersey is a purely perfunctory official. His duties, mainly consisting of signing checks, are mapped out for him by a clerical force, which really does all the work. He has nothing whatever to do with shaping the financial policy of the State. Many persons think it would be better if this fiscal official had more influence in that direction.

"The State treasurer should be consulted, it is held, as to policies, as to expenditures, as to the State financial resources, &c. But this is now all done by the State controller, and the treasurer is practicaly a nonnetity. The position carries a salary of $6,000 a year and is a "plum." It is handed out as such. The treasurer's office unnder his administration will be a sort of politicians' club, where leading Republicans from different parts of the State will gather and hobnob and take a little social refreshment on 'Governor's day' week."

GOVERNOR FRELINGHUYSEN?

Since the election of Frank O. Briggs to the United States Senatorship, half a dozen other names have been going the rounds of the press as Gubernatorial possibilities. Briggs, himself, was slated for the place, but so far as is known the State machine has not picked out another one of its favorites to succeed Stokes. There is a strong suspicion, however, that the Senator from Somerset is being groomed for the nomination. Mr. Frelinghuysen is a "machine" Republican; that is he has always been made welcome to the councils of the regulars. There are worse men than he, however, and despite the assertion of Senator Colby that the naming of a "machine" man means defeat, the Raritan politician would make a very creditable candidate.

MISSION CONFERENCE OPENED.

Three Hundred Delegates Attend Student Gathering at Princeton.

Princeton, Feb. 18.—More than 300 delegates attended the first annual student missionary conference of New Jersey and Eastern Pennsylvania, which opened here Saturday afternoon. The object of the conference is to arouse interest in foreign missionary work.

Among the addresses which will be given during the conference are: "Does the World Need Jesus Christ?" by the Rev. H. P. Beach; "The Mohammedan World," by the Rev. Dr. C. R. Watson; "Deputation Work in Colleges," by F. R. Furner, secretary of the volunteer movement; "Problems in India," by the Rev. C. A. R. Janvier, and "Missionary Giving," by the Rev. A. R. Bartholomew, D. D.

—The Rasores Club will meet tomorrow morning at the home of Mrs. I. C. Pierson, 733 Watchung avenue. There will be a roll call and reading from Charles Reade.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Burke, of lower Park avenue, are the parents of a baby girl who came to their home Saturday. Mrs. Burke was formerly Miss Kate Honan, of West Fourth street.

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PERSONAL.

Harry McGee, of Orchard place, the borough, underwent an operation at his home today for appendicitis.

Alfred B. Dunavan, of East Second street, has recovered from an illness that detained him at home for several days.

Walter Cleveland Runyon, of New York, is spending a few days in town with relatives. He is now practicing law in New York.

Mrs. George W. Saums, of West Front street, went to Muhlenberg Hospital today, where she will undergo an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Kline, of West 151 street, New York, formerly of Plainfield, are the parents of a girl born last Wednesday.

Miss Edmonds, who has just returned from Europe, is stopping at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. B. Probasco, of East Front street.

Captain Wynn, who has been spending some weeks with his family at the Jackson apartments and who has been ill, is able to be out again.

Miss Ella Conklin, formerly of Liberty Corner, but now of Mack-on-the-Hudson, is visiting Mrs. F. W. Morse, of Central avenue and West Sixth street.

Rev. George B. Shaw, pastor of the Seventh-Day Baptist church, who has been spending three weeks in Rhode Island among the Seventh-Day Baptist churches in the interest of the American Sabbath Tract Society, has returned home.

BANK JOKERS GET WARNING.

Court Releases Men Responsible for Run on Bayonne Trust Co.

Michael Doyle, James Shannon, John Devaney, Henry Veron, Frederick Brown and Michael Brennan, who were arrested on complaint of President DeWitt VanBuskirk of the Mechanics Trust Company in Bayonne, charged with having started the rumor that the bank was insolvent and causing a run which necessitated the paying out of nearly $350,000, were arraigned before Recorder Lazarus in Bayonne Saturday.

The men admitted having started the rumor, but declared that it was all a joke, and was intended to merely frighten Shannon, who had money in the bank. The court decided that there had not been any criminal intent and discharged the accused men with a warning to be guarded in their talk about banks in future. This they promised.

The discharge of the men will deprive Detective Sergeant E. M. Griffin, who ran down the rumor circulators, of the $1,000 reward offered by the bank..

FOUND BY AID OF A PICTURE.

Body of John W. Foster, Who Had Been Missing 3 Years, Located.

Morristown, Feb. 18.—By the discovery of a photograph the absence of John W. Foster of the village of Chatham, near here, has been solved. A man was picked up dead in New York, and before being buried his photograph was taken by the police and a description was made to aid in the identification, if possible.

Foster's son was looking over the records yesterday to see if any trace could be found of his father and came across the photograph. The identification was verified and the body has been disinterred. It will be reinterred in Fairmount cemetery in Chatham tomorrow.

Mr. Foster disappeared from his home in Chatham about three years ago, and since then no word had been received from him. The members of his family had sought to find him in every possible manner, but without avail. Foster was 60 years old. At one time he was a prosperous manufacturer in Chatham.

BRADY CUTS SOME ICE.

While He Is Harvesting His Supply, Teachers Await Pay.

Bayonne, Feb. 18.—The prospects of their going without their monthly salaries is causing much uneasiness among the public school teachers. The Board of Education has come across a peculiar law, which provides that all school money shall remain in the custody of Joseph Brady, former city treasurer, who retired from office on January 1.

He is a nephew of Former Mayor Thomas Brady, and is at Lake Hopatcong, superintending the cutting of ice. It is said he will remain there several weeks. He will have the custody of the school funds until the end of the present school term. The Board of Education will endeavor to have Mr. Brady return to Bayonne long enough to pay the teachers.

Speaks in Interest of Mission Yacht.

Captain George Benn, who, for eight years has been in charge of the mission yacht in New York harbor, spoke in several churches here yesterday and at the W. C. T. U. in the afternoon. He will remain in town for two or three days in the interest of his work. Captain C. B. Parsons, of Red Bank, for many years prominently identified with the State Sunday-school Association, is the president of the Mission Yacht Association, which distributes about fifty tons of literature among the outgoing ships. Captain Benn also seeks financial aid to put the mission yacht in repair for the coming season.

J. M. Bettman, of Willow avenue, is able to be out after an illness from erysipelas.

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Full size, iron handles, reg. $1.48, sale price 98c

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No. 1 size, regular 59c, sale price 53c
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P. S. KIELY, Chief of Police.

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Wings and Flies

By Tom Muir.

George Abel, the English actor, who is supporting his wife, Ethel Arden, in their sketch, "Three of a Kind," had a friend to see the act not long ago. The friend sat through the screamingly funncy farce without even smiling. After the turn, when Abel met the solemn one, he angrily cried:

"I say is there a laugh left in you?"

"That's all right, old pal," the friend solemnly replied, "my lips are cha, ped."

Peter Fleming, of this city, who has been out all season with George Primrose's minstrels, returned home this morning, having left the troupe

"Parted on Her Bridal Tour," at the New Plainfield Theatre Tonight.

at St. Louis. Henry Ackerman and Peter Winn, also Plainfielders, are still with it and he reports them as doing nicely. Mr. Primrose has elaborate plans for his next season's show and has given out that it will comprise forty men and twenty women, the latter an innovation in minstrelsy. He has also announced that if it can be arranged, the rehearsals and opening performance will be given in Plainfield as was done at the beginning of the present season.

Though built on conventional melodramatic lines, Gus Hill's production of "The Shoemaker," with Joe Welch in the title role, proved to be a splendid show of its kind at the New Plainfield theatre, Saturday, and pleased two large audiences. It has been given an unusually elaborate scenic mounting and Welsh fulfilled all the good reports that had been received about him in advance. The day was an auspicious one for Manager Counihan, for besides having Mr. Hill in the audience in the afternoon, the manager of the show is Joseph Mack, a young man not much over his majority, who Manager Counihan knew in St. Louis ten years ago as a boy in knee trousers. In those days he was an aspirant for a place at Havlin's theatre and the Plainfielder once put up a joke on him that is generally "hung" on to every beginner in theatrical circles. He was asked to get "the key to the curtain" just as many a Plainfield boy has been sent on a fool's errand to bring back a "round square." Mask was easy and when he entered the New Plainfield Saturday the salute that greeted him was, "Say, did you get the key to the curtain?" He was unaware until that moment that "Bill" Counihan was the owner and manager of the house and the surprise was a very agreeable one. He replied after handshaking was over that he had grown wise in ten years and that nowadays he let other people look for the "key." The advance man of the show is William Proctor, who managed the New Brunswick Opera House until a few weeks ago.

Queen City and Plainfield lodges, I. O. O. F., of this city, will attend a district meeting of the order to be held in Elizabeth, Tuesday night, February 26.

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Germany has taken up the pastime of reading character and telling fortunes by the tongue. Somebody has been making a study of the organ of speech and has discovered that it is full of indications.

A long tongue is said to denote openness of character, it suggests generosity and free handedness. Its possessor makes friends and enemies easily, but doesn't save money.

When the tongue is long and thick the openness degenerates into a tendency to gossip and scandal. The future of the owner is beset with troubles of his own making. It also indicates flightiness and inconstancy.

Short tongues indicate secretiveness and dissimulation. Their owners make good detectives and attorneys.

The owner may acquire some money by economy and guile, but has not largeness of spirit to make a great fortune. Thin pointed tongues are found in diffident people who do not succeed in life.

Short and broad ones accompany craft and falsehood; the person who has such a tongue is compelled by it to deceive and betray, whatever effort he may make to keep straight.

The vibrant, quavering tongue denotes the artistic temperament. Brilliant carmine hue is a sign of long life, pale pink tongue denotes weakness of character and delicacy of constitution.

"If it's all true," says a German newspaper, "it is lucky that it is only at the doctor and not at our friends that we stick out our tongues."

TWO TYPES OF LAWYERS.

But the Late Judge Thayer Was of a Different Kind.

A Philadelphian was praising for his learning and uprightness the late Judge M. Russell Thayer.

He quoted the moving passage from Judge Thayer's will:

"'Owing to the fact that almost my entire life has been passed in the public service of the United States and of the state of Pennsylvania, I have but a small estate to leave to my dear children and wife.'

"Those are different words," he said, "from the kind we have been hearing lately. It seems odd to us to think of a public servant regarding his post as anything but a plum tree. We have here another proof that a man really honorable can never become rich.

"Judge Thayer was an honorable man. First as a lawyer, afterwards as a judge, he treated all with whom he had dealings with the greatest fairness. Once, years ago, after he had served me well in a difficult case, I remonstrated with him about the smallness of his fee.

"'Well,' he said, smiling, and smelling the flower in his buttonhole. 'I, you know, am not that type of lawyer whose client once said:

"'I never was entirely ruined but twice. Once when I lost a lawsuit and once when I gained one.'"

Ade's Autobiography.

Met Henry W. Savage the other day, and accumulated the following quite characteristic story of George Ade. As of course you know, Mr. Savage produced "The Sultan of Sulu," "Peggy from Paris" and other comic operas of which Mr. Ade's prolific pen was the proud progenitor, and he was urging the Hoosier librettist to write another musical comedy for the Savage office.

"Can't do it, governor," cried Mr. Ade, shaking his head, gloomily; "can't do it; I can't write lyrics to save my immortal soul."

"You can't write lyrics?" echoed the tall manager. "Well I'd like to know what's the matter with 'R-e-m-o-r-s-e.'"

"Great Sulu's Sultan!" wailed Ade, grimly; "R-e-m-o-r-s-e wasn't a lyric; it was autobiography."

Repose.

The most beautiful thing about the New York clubman is his repose. If you want to be a successful clubman cultivate repose. Eat, drink, think and dream repose. Never hurry. Never get excited. Talk deliberately and mysteriously. Let your eyes droop. Never appear interested in anything. Make believe you have seen whatever of life that's fit or unfit to print and are looking only for rest. Let nothing surprise you. Appear bored. Avoid introductions. Be "at home" to nobody. Keep your hat on. Never shake hands.—New York Press.

Weaving Done by Nature.

As a weaver nature produces fine work. Certain tree barks and leaves furnish excellent cloth, as, for instance, the famous tapa cloth used in the South Sea islands. Nature is a glassmaker, too, according to the Indian Review. By discharging her lightning into beds of quartz sand she forms exquisite little pipes of glass. She makes valuable ropes of various kinds in the shape of tropical vines and creepers.

Busy Meanwhile.

"Lost your temper, eh?" said the father, sternly. "Didn't I tell you if any of the other boys ever said anything to make you angry, you should count 50 before you replied?"

"Yes, sir," replied the husky boy. But I didn't get time to count 50. Before I counted 20 the other feller yelled 'Enough.'"—Philadelphia Press.

Practical.

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DIED.

FISHER—In this city, Feb. 16, 1907, Catharine J., wife of Richard C. Fisher, in her 74th year.

Funeral from her late residence, 206 West Fourth street, Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 19, at 2 o'clock.

BUSH—At Dunellen, N. J., Feb. 17, 1907, Donald E., son of Rowland and Elizabeth Bush, aged 1 year, 5 months, 27 days.

Funeral service at their late residence on Wednesday, February 20, at 2 p. m.

MILLS—In New York city, Saturday, Feb. 16, 1907, Robert Mills, in his 67th year.

Funeral services Tuesday, Feb., 19, from the W. C. T. U. rooms, Madison avenue, Plainfield, at 2 p. m. Interment Evergreen cemetery, Plainfield.

MAC GOWAN—At the residence of her aunt, Miss Vaughan, 1224 West Seventh street, Grace Vaughan Edson, beloved wife of T. Lomax MacGowan, of Jacksonville, Florida.

Funeral private. Interment at Union Springs, California.

EMMONS—On Saturday, February 16, 1907, Peter A. Emmons, in his 57th year.

Services at his late residence, 15 Jackson avenue, North Plainfield, on Tuesday, February 19, at 2:30 p. m. Friends and relatives are invited. Please omit flowers.

Anchor Lodge, No. 149, F. and A. M., Brethren, you are earnestly requested to be present at an emergent communication of Anchor Lodge to be held Tuesday, February 19, 1907, at 1:15 p. m., at the lodge room for the purpose of attending the funeral services of our late worshipful brother and treasurer, Peter A. Emmons. Officers and brethren of Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. and A. M., Jerusalem Chapter, No. 24, R. A. M., Trinity Commandery, No. 17, K. T., and Salaam Temple, A. A. O. N. M. S., are fraternally invited to attend.

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WANTED—Young colored man as butler and make himself generally useful. Apply 911 West Seventh St. 2 18 tf

WANTED — Two coremakers. Aluminum Press Co., Dunellen. 18 tf

GIRLS wanted; wages $4 per week. Crescent Embossing Co., 546 West Second St. 2 18 2

WANTED—First class colored laundress, by the month, to sleep at home. 950 Hillside Ave. 2 18 3

WANTED—An experienced colored chambermaid and waitress. Apply 506 West Seventh St. 2 18 2

WANTED—Servant girl, colored preferred; good wages and good home. Address T. M. C., care Press. 2 12 6

WANTED—bookkeeper; must understand double entry; permanent position if satisfactory. Address, stating experience and salary wanted, "Manufacturer," care Daily Press. 2 16 2

WANTED—Young white girl to do upstairs work and assist with care of baby; references. Apply Mrs. C. E. Case, 917 Madison Ave. 2 15 tf

PLUMBERS wanted. Apply H. C. McVoy, 59 Duer St. 2 15 3

WANTED — Experienced cook; white; reference required. Apply 1060 Central Ave. 2 4 tf

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at once at Mrs. Day's Intelligence Office, South Plainfield, N. J. 2 9 tf

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WANTED—White girl for general housework; no washing. Call afternoons, 955 West Sixth St. 1 24 tf

MACHINISTS—First class vise, lathe and boring mill hands wanted at the Watson Stillman Co., Aldene, N. J. 2 4 12

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DRESSMAKER wants apprentices. Call 68 Fairview Ave. 2 18 3

DRESSMAKER wants young woman as helper; must have some experience. Call at 68 Fairview Ave. 2 18 3

WANTED—Girl for general housekor. 28 Craig place. 2 18 3

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GLOVES—Experienced prix, seam, pique and hemmers wanted. I. Oliver & Co., 552 West Broadway, New York city. 2 18 5

WANTED—White girl as children's nurse; German preferred. Apply evenings, Mrs. Rushmore, 14 Sycamore avenue. 2 16 6

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at once at Mrs. Keller's Intelligence Office, 22 Somerset place. 12 29 tf

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For Rent.

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TO LET—Store of 136 Park avenue. Inquire William Jeffery, on premises. 2 12 tf

TO LET—Large, new store, No. 407 Watchung avenue. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin building. 8 24 tf

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Lost and Found.

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LOST—Saturday evening, large gold locket containing hair and small photo, attached to leather fob, bearing initial "F." Reward if returned to 238 East Fifth St.

LOST—A long haired cat; white, with black tail and black marks on face and leg. Suitable reward if returned to 144 East Seventh St.

POOR girl will be grateful if the finder of her souvenir pocketbook will leave it at Daily Press office. It was lost yesterday noon while she walked from Fourth street and Park avenue to East bound railroad station and thence through tunnel to North avenue. It contained a sum of money and was given her by a dear relative now dead. 2 16 tf

LOST—Child's silver watch, (J. C. V. V.), and gold chain. Return to this office, reward. 2 15 3

Situations Wanted.

WANTED—Day's work on Monday or washing to take home. 132 Johnston Ave. 2 18 3

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Miscellaneous.

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The oldest of a big family of children—a poor family, of course—her pitiful wages made the great part of the family living. So, of course, she hadn't time—nor money—to bother with doctors, she thought. But that swelling bothered her, and finally she went.

"Come back in a week or two," the doctor said, after giving her some medicine, "unless you're worse. If you are, come at once."

Six months later she "found time" to go back to see him. She had been getting rapidly worse, was suffering, but there was always something that needed to be done, and apparently no one else to do it.

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And then? Then it was too late.

WOULD MAKE ANYONE ANGRY.

Carried Potatoes Six Miles; Camped in a Field of Them.

"Speaking of incidents, I saw a few in the four years I spent in the Union army during the civil war," said William Kingsland, a Union army veteran living at Bucklin, Mo.

"One time down in Georgia during Sherman's march to the sea, myself and another man dug about a bushel of sweet potatoes while on the march, expecting to cook them when we camped about a half mile further on. 'Grub' was pretty scarce in those days, and we valued those sweet potatoes pretty highly. Then we received orders to continue the march. We didn't suppose it would be much further, as it was already almost night, so we carried the sweet potatoes on a stick between us. We marched and marched and marched, and oh, but those potatoes grew heavy. Six miles from where we dug the potatoes we pitched camp—oh, but it makes me mad every time I think of it."

"Naturally," was the remark.

"Yes, naturally, seeing that we camped right on a great big field of sweet potatoes."

Those Evening Chimes.

Edgar Allan Poe is dead, and I do not want to say anything rude about him. In his poem of "The Bells" he seems to think that under certain conditions the mechanical banging of a clapper against large masses of metal may have pleasing qualities; possibly he now has a wider knowledge. But there are living versifiers, nothing if they are not sincere, who have written the praise of those Sabbath bells. They may also have written in praise of those practice nights. They may even have a sympathetic sonnet for the musicless rascal who tries to ring a hymn tune on a peal of bells which is not provided with the necessary accidental. (He gives the nearest match to the note that he has in stock, and I suppose he gets police protection on his way home from the abominable work). I want to get all these poets and tie them up together in a churchyard. I would then put several shifts of good, lusty, campanologists into the belfry and pay them to keep those bells going for the space of three days and three nights, having previously given me time to get out of ear-shot.—Barry Pain, in Black and White.

North Carolina Wonders.

Mr. Tom Pennell was down in Antioch last week and stayed over night with Mr. Moses Armstrong. He tells us that Mr. Armstrong has a wonderful pet pig, and he saw it himself with a broom sweeping out the yard. Of course the pig couldn't do as well at sweeping as some of his two-legged brethren, but it was wonderful to see how hard the pig worked and what progress he made. Mr. Armstrong says he has a wonderful gander, too. The gander will climb an apple tree, shake it and then get down and eat the apples. Mr. Penner says he did not see the gander, but after seeing the pig sweep he believed anything Mr. Armstrong told him—Wilkesboro Chronicle.

Walker Family Clash.

John T. Walker, of Turner, Me., is a character whose sayings are reported and whose doings told of pretty much all over that section of the state. Mrs. John, who is, by the way, John's only intellectual peer in those parts, one day discovered a hen's stolen nest containing 14 eggs. Upon examination, however, the eggs proved to be too aged for culinary purposes. Then these two intellects clashed.

Said the lady: "Tha' ain't no use wastin' uv 'em so we might's well set 'em."

"Huh!" retorted John, "what's the usen settin' uv 'em? They won't hatch; an' ef they do they'll all be fools."

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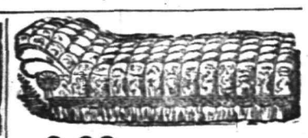

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Maud—Do you think a man can marry on $1,200 a year?

Ethel—Yes, dear, he can marry on it, but he can't live on it.—Chicago Journal.

Hardened.

Mrs. Keyson—Wern't you frightened when the bull bellowed at you because of your new red costume?

Mrs. Puson—No; you see my husband went on just the same when he got the bill.

Then They Went Off.

"It strikes me that you are loaded," said the pistol to the double-barrel shotgun.

"Oh, not quite," rejoined the latter. "I'm only half-shot."

Whereupon they both exploded with laughter.—Chicago Daily News.

Knew Better.

"There's no changing a leopard's spots," remarked the visitor at the zoo.

"Oh, yes there is," said the keeper. "I saw a lion fighting with one once, and he knocked the spots clean out of him."—Detroit Free Press.

Married For Money.

"Here is an interesting item about a man who has married 1,400 times."

"Gracious! He must be some eastern potentate?"

"No, the item says he is an Indiana justice of the peace."—Houston Post.

Hard to Believe.

"I think Riggley is one of the politest men I ever met."

"I'm listening."

"He always thanks the telephone girl when she tells him the line is busy."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

When Love Does Fly.

"Love," remarked the sentimental maid, "makes time fly."

"It does during courtship," rejoined the young widow, "but after the parson has said his say, time begins to make love fly."—Chicago Daily News.

Why She Suffered.

"Yes, she is a woman who has suffered a great deal because of her belief."

"Indeed! And what is her belief?"

"That she can wear a No. 3 shoe on a No. 6 foot."—Royal Magazine.

Not Positive.

He—Are you fond of Chopin, Miss Fangle?

She—Yes, I enjoy it as a rule; but the shops are fearfully overcrowded just now.

As Evidence.

Employer—Have you had any experience as chauffeur?

Applicant—Well, I can show you receipts for all the fines I have paid.

Too Well Posted.

Jinks—How did you come to lose so much money on the races?

Winks—Got too many tips before I started.—N. Y. Weekly.

'n the last volume I found a sheet of white note paper no larger than my hand, a forgotten book mark, I assumed, and half crumpled it in my fingers before I noticed the lines of a pencil sketch on one side of it. I carried it to the table and spread it out.

It was not the bit of idle penciling it had appeared to be at first sight. A scale had evidently been followed and the lines drawn with a ruler. With such trifles my grandfather had no doubt amused himself. There was a long corridor indicated, but of this I could make nothing. I studied it for several minutes, thinking it might have been a tentative sketch of some part of the house. In turning it about under the candelabrum I saw that in several places the glaze had been rubbed from the paper by an eraser, and this piqued my curiosity. I brought a magnifying glass to bear upon the sketch. The drawing had been made with a hard pencil and the eraser had removed the lead, but a well defined imprint remained.

I was able to make out the letters, N. W. ¾ to C.—a reference clearly enough to points of the compass and a distance. The word ravine was scrawled over a rough outline of a doorway or opening of some sort, and then the phrase:

THE DOOR OF BEWILDERMENT.

Now I am rather an imaginative person; that is why engineering captured my fancy. It was his efforts to make an architect (a person who quarrels with women about their kitchen sinks!) of a boy who wanted to be an engineer that caused me to break with my grandfather. Fate was busy with my affairs that night, for, instead of lighting my pipe with the little sketch I was strangely impelled to study it seriously.

I drew for myself rough outlines of the interior of Glenarm House as it had appeared to me, and then I tried to reconcile the little sketch with every part of it.

"The Door of Bewilderment" was the charm that held me. My curiosity was thoroughly aroused as to the hidden corners of the queer old house, round which the wind shrieked tormentingly. I went to my room, put on my corduroy coat, took a candle and went below. One o'clock in the morning is not the most cheering hour for exploring the dark recesses of a strange house, but I had resolved to have a look at the ravine opening and determine, if possible, whether it bore any relation to "The Door of Bewilderment."

All was quiet in the great cellar; only here and there an area window rattled dolorously. I carried a tapeline with me and made measurements of the length and depth of the corridor and of the chambers that were set off from it. These figures I entered in my notebook for further use, and sat down on an empty nail keg to reflect. The place was certainly substantial; the candle at my feet burned steadily with no hint of a draft; but I saw no solution of my problem. I was losing sleep for nothing; my grandfather's sketch was meaningless, and I rose and picked up my candle, yawning.

Then a curious thing happened. The candle, whose thin flame had risen unwaveringly, sputtered and went out as a sudden gust swept the corridor.

I had left nothing open behind me, but some one had gained ingress to the cellar by an opening of which I knew nothing.

I faced the stairway that led up to the back hall of the house when, to my astonishment, steps sounded behind me, and, turning, I saw a man carrying a lantern coming toward me. I marked his careless step; he was undoubtedly on familiar ground. As I watched him he paused, lifted the lantern to a level with his eyes and began sounding the outer corridor wall with a hammer.

Here, undoubtedly, was my friend Morgan—again! There was the same periodicity in the beat on the wall that I had heard in my own rooms. He began at the top and went methodically to the floor. I leaned against the wall where I stood and watched the slow approach of the lantern. The small revolver with which I had first fired at his flying figure in the wood was in my pocket. It was just as well to have it out with the fellow now. My chances were as good as his, though I confess I did not relish the thought of being found dead the next morning in the cellar of my own house. It pleased my humor to let him approach in this way, unconscious that he was watched, until I should thrust my pistol into his face.

His arms grew tired when he was about ten feet from me and he dropped the lantern and hammer to his side and swore under his breath impatiently.

Then he began again with greater zeal. As he came nearer I studied his face in the lantern's light with interest. His hat was thrust back, and I could see his jaw hard set under his blond beard.

He took a step nearer, ran his eyes over the wall and resumed his tapping, beginning close to the ceiling. In settling himself for the new series of strokes he swayed toward me slightly and I could hear his hard breathing. I was deliberating how best to throw myself upon him, but as I wavered he stepped back, swore at his ill luck and flung the hammer to the ground.

"Thanks!" I shouted, leaping forward and snatching the lantern. "Stand just where you are!"

With the revolver in my right hand and the lantern held high in my left, I enjoyed his utter consternation, as my voiced roared in the corridor.

"It's too bad we meet under such strange circumstances, Morgan," I said. "I'd begun to miss you; but I suppose you've been sleeping in the daytime to gather strength for your night prowling."

"You're a fool," he growled. He was recovering from his fright—I knew it by the gleam of his teeth in his yellow beard. His eyes, too, were moving restlessly about. He undoubtedly knew the house better than I did, and was considering the best means of escape. I did not know what to do with him now that I had him at the point of a pistol; and in my ignorance of his motives and my vague surmise as to the agency back of him, I was filled with uncertainty.

"You needn't hold that thing quite so near," he said, staring at me coolly.

"I'm glad it annoys you, Morgan," I said. "I want you to tell me how you got in here."

He laughed.

"I came in by the kitchen window, if you must know. I got in before your solemn jack-of-all-trades locked it up, and I walked down to the end of the passage there"—he indicated the direction with a slight jerk of his head—"and slept until it was time to go to work."

"If you can't lie better than that you needn't try again. Face about, now, and march!"

I put new energy into my tone, and he turned and walked before me down the corridor in the direction from which he had come. We were, I dare say, a pretty pair—he tramping doggedly before me, I following at his heels with his lantern and my pistol.

"Not so fast," I admonished sharply.

"Excuse me," he replied mockingly.

He was no common rogue; I felt the quality in him with a certain admiration for his scoundrelly talents.

I continued at his heels, poking the muzzle of the revolver against his back from time to time to keep him assured of my presence—a device that I was to regret a second later.

When we were, I should judge, about ten yards from the end of the corridor, at that moment I prodded him with the point of the revolver, he fell backward against me, threw his arms over his head and grasped me about the neck, meanwhile turning himself lithely until his fingers clasped my throat. The lantern fell from my hand and one or the other of us smashed it with our feet.

A wrestling match in that dark hole was not to my liking. I still held onto the revolver, waiting for a chance to use it, and meanwhile he tried to throw me, forcing me bask against one side and then another of the corridor.

With a quick rush he flung me away, and in the same second I fired.

He Flung Me Away and in the Same Second I Fired.

The roar of the shot in the narrow corridor was deafening. I flung myself on the floor, expecting a return shot, and quickly enough a flash broke upon the darkness dead ahead, and I rose to my feet, fired again and leaped to the oposite side of the corridor and crouched there. We had adopted the same tactics, firing and dodging to avoid the target made by the flash of our pistols, and watching and listening after the roar of the explosions. It was a very pretty game, but not destined to last long. He was slowly retreating toward the end of the passage where there was, I remembered, a dead wall. His only chance was to crawl through an area window I knew to be there, and this would, I felt sure, give him into my hands.

After five shots apiece there was a truce. The pungent smoke of the powder caused me to cough, and he laughed.

"Have you swallowed a bullet, Mr. Glenarm?" he called.

I could hear his feet scraping on the cement floor; he was moving away from me, doubtless intending to fire when he reached the area window and escape before I could reach him. I crept warily after him, ready to fire on the instant, but not wishing to throw away my last cartridge.

He was now very near the end of the corridor. I heard his feet strike some boards that I remembered lay on the floor there, and I was nerved for a shot and a hand-to-hand struggle, if it came to that.

I was sure that he sought the window; I heard his hands on the wall as he felt for it. Then a breath of cold air swept the passage, and I knew that he must be drawing himself up to the opening. I fired and dropped to the floor. With the roar of the explosion I heard him yell, but the expected return shot did not follow.

The pounding of my heart seemed to mark the passing of hours. I feared my foe was playing some trick, creeping toward me, perhaps, to fire at close range, or to grapple with me in the dark. The cold air whistled into the corridor, and I began to feel the chill of it. Being fired upon is disagreeable enough, but waiting in the dark for the shot is intolerable. I rose and walked toward the end of the passage.

Then his revolver flashed and roared directly ahead, the flame of it so near that it blinded me and the wad of the cartride burned and stung my cheek. I fell forward dazed and blinded, but shook myself together in a moment and got upon my feet. The draft of air no longer blew into the passage. Morgan had taken himself off through the window and closed it after him. I made sure of this by going to the window and feeling it with my hands.

I went back and groped about for my candle, which found without difficulty and lighted. I then returned to the window to examine the catch. To my utter astonishment it was fastened with staples, driven deep into the sash in such a way that it could not possibly have been opened without an expenditure of time and labor.

My eyes smarted from the smoke of the last shot, and my cheek stung where the wadding had struck my face. I was alive, but in my vexation and perplexity not I fear, wholly grateful for my safety. It was, however, some consolation to feel sure I had winged the enemy.

I gathered up the fragments of Morgan's lantern and went back to the library. The lights in half the candlesticks had sputtered out. I extinguished the remainder and started to my room.

Then, in the great dark hall, I heard a muffled tread as of some one following me—not on the broad staircase, nor in any place I could identify—yet unmistakably on steps of some sort beneath or above me. My nerves were already keyed to a breaking pitch, and the ghost-like tread in the wall angered me. Morgan, or his ally, Bates, undoubtedly, O reflected, at some new trick. I ran into my room, found a heavy walking stick and set off for Bates' room on the third floor. It was always easy to attribute any sort of mischief to the fellow, and undoubtedly he was crawling through the house somewhere on an errand that boded no good to me.

It was now past two o'clock and he should have been asleep and out of the way long ago. I crept to his room and threw open the door without, I must say, the slightest idea of finding him there. But Bates, the enigma, Bates, the incomparable cook, the perfect servant, sat at a table, the light of several candles falling on a book over which he was bent with that maddening gravity he had never yet in my presence thrown off.

He rose at once, stood at attention, inclining his head slightly.

"Yes, Mr. Glenarm."

"Yes, the devil!" I roared at him, astonished at finding him—sorry, I must say, that he was there! The stick fell from my hands. I did not doubt he knew perfectly well that I had some purpose in breaking in upon him. I was baffled and in my rage floundered for words to explain myself.

"I thought I heard some one in the house. I don't want you prowling about in the night, do you hear?"

"Certainly not, sir," he replied in a grieved tone.

I glanced at the book he had been reading. It was a volume of Shakespeare's comedies, open at the first scene of the last act of "Winter's Tale."

"Quite a pretty bit of work that, I should say," he remarked. "It was one of my late master's favorites."

"Go to the devil!" I bawled at him, and went down to my room and slammed the door in rage and chagrin.

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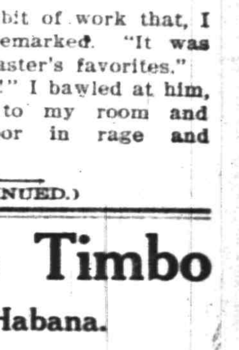

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STILL HANDING IT TO PLAINFIELD FIVE

HUDSON CITY TEAM TAKES TERRIBLE CRACK AT THE SUFFERERS.

The Plainfield team has discovered its mission in the Y. M. C. A. basketball league. It is to furnish a peg for other teams to hang records on. The fact was forced in on the players Saturday night, when Hudson City piled a record-breaking total of points on them. The game was played in Hoboken.

It was one of the m ost remarkable basketball games ever played by two Y. M. C. A. teams in New Jersey. The size of the final score made the contest most unusual.

Most remarkable was the feat of Ferling, of the victorious five, who threw 21 baskets from the field, which is probably the greatest number ever scored by a Y. M. C. A. player in a like contest in this State. Certainly it is the best record this season in the Northern New Jersey Y. M. C. A. League. The best figure made previously was that of Vreeland, of Newark, who scored fifteen baskets. Plainfield was the victim in that contest, also.

It is needless to say that Plainfield never had a chance, though her men put up a game fight. They were simply outclassed. It was a peculiar coincidence that every man on both teams made at least one basket. The score:

Hudson City.		Plainfield.
Funk	right forward	Gilmore
Fischer	left forward	Collier
Ferling	centre	Aalholm
Neidhardt	right guard	Gavett
Vogel	left guard	Loizeaux

Score at end of first half—Hudson City 35, Plainfield 12. Goals from field—Funk 8, Fischer 8, Ferling 21, Neidhardt 4 Vogel, Gilmore 4, Collier 2, Aalholm 2, Gavett, Loizeaux. Free throws—Neidhardt 2, Gilmore. Referee—Bierhalf, Jersey City. Umpire—Flood, Jersey City. Time of halves—20m.

Orange held her lead in the league by defeating Rahway badly, 46 to 14. Montclair overwhelmed Passaic 17 to 4.

Standing of the teams:

	W.	L.	PC.
Orange	8	1	.889
Hudson City	9	2	.818
Montclair	7	2	.778
Newark	4	4	.500
Rahway	2	7	.222
Passaic	1	8	.111
Plainfield	1	8	.111

NEW BRUNSWICK GIRLS OUTPLAYED BY P. H. S.

VISITORS' CAPTAIN HURT DURING THE FRAY—SCORE 30 TO 1.

The girls' basketball team of the Plainfield High School easily defeated the girls' team from the New Brunswick High School on the P. H. S. court, Saturday afternoon, the final score being 30 to 1. Miss May Bogan scored the only point for her team, throwing a goal in the first half from a foul. The local team had things much their own way from start to finish and not once was there any danger of their losing the game.

This was the first contest that the New Brunswick girls had played away from home and they were naturally timid. Besides, early in the first half, their captain, Miss Eva VanDeventer, fell and severely sprained her ankle. A physician was called and he discovered that no bones were broken. The captain's position was taken by Miss Estelle Carson.

The local team played a strong, fast and clean game throughout. Miss Barbara Fleming and Miss Gertrude Moody threw most of the goals for their team and excelled in general play. The Misses Louise Andrews, Bessie Alpaugh and Esther Crampton also distinguished themselves. They were encouraged by the cheering and singing by the high school boys.

At the end of the first half the score stood 11 to 1 and at the end of the second half, 19 to 1, a total of 30 to 1. The line-up:

Plainfield — Forwards, Barbara Fleming, Gertrude Moody; center, Louise Andrews; guards, Bessie Alpaugh, Esther Crampton.

New Brunswick—Forwards, Estelle Carson, Eva VanDeventer, May Bogan; center, Estelle Dunham; guards, Ethel TenBroeck, Emma Dewald, Jessie Morrison, Helen Bashond.

Referee, F. W. Lease, New Brunswick; umpire, Miss Antoinette Moody; linesmen, Miss Harriet Knox and Miss Middlekauff, Plainfield.

BOYS' FIVE LOST.

Got an Unusual Taste of Defeat in Summit.

The Y. M. C. A. junior team of Summit took revenge on the Plainfield junior five at basketball Saturday afternoon for the defeat sustained in this city a few weeks ago, by capturing the game 21 to 10. The first half was very even, the score standing 10 to 8 at its conclusion, in favor of the locals. The second period, however, went all Summit's way, the local boys scoring 11 points, at the same time holding the visitors down to 2. It was the first game the Plainfield boys had lost in twelve contests. The line-up:

Summit.		Plainfield.
Carmen		Bohan
Jones	right forward	Conroy
Buckley	left forward	Caldwell
Alesbury	centre	Overton
Thompson	right guard	Morris
	left guard	

Score at end of first half—Summit 10, Plainfield 8. Goals from field—Alesbury 3, Jones 3, Carmen 3, Buckley 2, Bohan 2, Conroy, Caldwell, Morris. Free throw—Alesbury. Referee—E. Buckley. Time of halves—20m.

BOWLING.

A five-man team composed of P. L. Gaddis, "Steady Bill" Dilks, Louis Skelly, George Voehl and F. J. Blatz, will go to New Brunswick tonight and roll Greewald's team on the latter's alleys. A return game will take place in Plainfield in a week or two.

The first of a series of games to be rolled between teams from Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, K. of P., of this city, and Newark Lodge, of Newark, will be rolled on McLaughlin's alleys tomorrow night. The Plainfield team will be c aptained by George E. Firstbrook and will comprise himself, Elmer D. Cutting, John H. Cose, V. W. Nash and Philip Jahn. The Newarkers will be entertained at the close of the game. The second contest in the series will be rolled on the Tuxedo alleys, Newark.

Games scheduled in the McLaughlin tourney tomorrow night are as follows: Mack and Meyer against Blatz and VanEmburgh; Nash and Skelley against Causebrook and McLaughlin. There will also be tourney games on Wednesday and Thursday nights but none on Friday on account of its being a holiday.

With all due respect to Chief Kiely and Judge Runyon, the big gallery at McLaughlin's Friday night, was sorry that Koons and Skinner didn't beat the high team score of 446. They had such a splendid chance to get at least 450, but when Koons fell down on an easy spare an involuntary groan went up. But Koons and Skinner are a couple of cheerful losers and also good bowlers and the municipal team will remain on the anxious seat as long as the two are out for laurels.

BASKETBALL.

The Plainfield High School basketball team will play the team from Erasmus Hall School, of New York, on the P. H. S. court Wednesday afternoon.

Another Sea-Food Market.

Gustave Hoffman, formerly with Rogers and Ivamy, sea-food dealers, will engage in the fish business for himself on March 1, when he will open a first-class market on West Front street, adjoining the store of Demolli, the caterer.

Harry McGee, of Orchard place, the borough, underwent an operation at his home today for appendicitis.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. R. C. Fisher.

Mrs. Catharine Fisher, wife of Richard C. Fisher, died at her home on West Fourth street, Saturday night, after several months' illness. She was first affected by a paralytic stroke that developed dropsy and other complaints and caused her end. It was while visiting at her home after first taken ill that Mrs. Sarah Lincoln, of Arlington avenue, was stricken with paralysis and died at the house. Mrs. Fisher was seventy-four years old and had lived in Plainfield for a long time. She conducted a store opposite the Franklin school and adjoining her home for many years and will be remembered by many local men and women who patronized her as children. She leaves three daughters, Mrs. Leggett, wife of J. Howard Leggett, who conducted a drug store in the Y. M. C. A. building when it was first erected, but who now lives at Morristown; Mrs. Victor Christofferson, of Perth Amboy, and Miss Annie Fisher, who lives with Mrs. Leggett. She was a member of the First M. E. church. The funeral will be held at her late home tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Robert Mills.

Robert Mills, a former resident of this city, died at his home on Seventy-Fourth street, New York, Saturday, following an illness from pneumonia. He was in his sixty-seventh year and left Plainfield two years ago. He was a carpenter by trade. A wife, two daughters and a son survive him. The body will be brought to this city and the funeral will be held at the W. C. T. U. rooms tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Miss Heideloff Surprised.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas H. Heideloff, of West Front street, gave their daughter, Miss Lulu Heideloff, a surprise party Saturday night, in honor of her eighteenth birthday anniversary. When she arrived home from New York, where she now holds a position, she was greeted by thirty relatives and friends to wish her many happy returns of the day. She received many gifts, including a gold watch from her father. After a pleasant evening, during which there was vocal and instrumental music and games, supper was served. There were guests present from New York, Newark, Orange and this city.

Y. W. C. A. Conference.

Mrs. Frederick G. Mead, of East Front street, has issued invitations to a parlor conference to be held at her home, "Sunnyside," Thursday afternoon, February 28, at 4 o'clock, for the purpose of furthering plans for the organization of a Young Women's Christian Association in Plainfield. At that conference Miss Brownell, Miss Holenquist and Miss Snider, of New York, will speak of the work of the Y. W. C. A. Tomorrow night a public meeting is to be held at Warren chapel, when Miss Snider will be present and speak concerning the plan to organize an association here.

Holiday Attractions.

The Y. M. C. A. Washington's Birthday attractions include a strong musical and literary programme for the evening's entertainment. The Mendelssohn Concert Company, each member of which is strongly endorsed by the press, includes Marguerite Smith Alkire, whose reputation as a reader is already established in this city, having appeared in the association course at previous engagements. The announcement of the Robertson Projectoscope Company also assures the public for a good programme for the matinee.

Postal Card Showers.

"Postal showers" are taking the place of birthday parties in South Jersey. When a celebration of the "shower" kind is planned word is sent around that a birthday anniversary will occur on a certain date. That is sufficient. The mails are so timed that the postal cards usually arrive all at once.

Funeral of H. Frances Allen.

The funeral of Henry Frances Allen was held at the Church of the Holy Cross church this morning. It was conducted by Rev. George A. Warner and was attended by a pathering of relatives and friends. The body was sent to Brooklyn for interment in Greenwood cemetery.

Death of An Infant.

Donald E. Bush, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Rowland Bush, died at the home of the parents in Dunellen, yesterday. Funeral services will be held at the residence of the parents Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

THEIR FAVORITE BEVERAGES.

What Some of the World's Great Men Preferred to Drink.

The entertaining author of "Collections and Recollections" has been writing on the favorite beverages of great men. Thackeray's choice was claret. He said that "our intellect ripens with good cheer and throws off surprising crops under the influence of that admirable liquid, claret." Mr. Gladstone, to whom the other pleasures of the table meant nothing, was a stickler for port, a believer in it, a judge of it. Mr. Russell says that the only feeble speech he ever heard from Gladstone was made after dinner at an otherwise hospitable house, where wine was not suffered to appear.

Lord Tennyson drank his bottle of port every day, and drank it undecanted, for, as he justly observed, a decanter holds only eight glasses, but a black bottle nine. Mr. Browning, if he could have his own way, drank port all through dinner, as well as after it. Sir Moses Montefiore, who lived to complete his hundred years, drank a bottle of port wine every day after he came to man's estate. Mr. Finching, the wine merchant in "Little Dorritt," thought champagne "weak but palatable," and Lord St. Jerome, in "Lothair," was esteemed by the young men a patriot "because he always gave his best champagne at his ball suppers."—Town and Country.

WOMAN IN STRANGE FIELDS.

Exploration and Discovery No Longer Left to the Sterner Sex.

Not long ago the triumph of a woman who had ascended one of the Himalaya peaks to a height hitherto unequaled by any mountain climber was duly chronicled. A few days later a foreign news item announced the arrival in South Africa of an American young woman who seeks the jungle in order to study the language of the monkey tribe. She is alone in her daring quest and appears to have a full realization of its perils.

Still another venturesome woman is Margaret Selenka, of German birth, who is to head an important scientific expedition to Java in the early part of the coming year. She goes there in the endeavor to establish the identity of a fossil man-ape found on the island, as the so-called missing link.

It is evident that these women are admitting no handicap because of their sex. They are courageously entering regions that few men have penetrated and their action suggests that it may not be long before the supremacy of the sterner sex in the fields of exploration and discovery will be very seriously questioned.

A Wonderful Country.

"Eastern visitors to the west are generally prepared for any phenomenal showing in the line of agriculture, stock-raising and the like," says a Colorado man, "but once in awhile they are taken by surprise.

"A New Hampshire man, who was spending his vacation on the ranch of a relative in Colorado, went out one morning to inspect a large incubator in which the young chicks were hatching. In one corner of the incubator a neglected peach-seed, encouraged by the warmth of the atmosphere, had burst, and a tiny sprout several inches long was growing out of it.

"'Suffering Caesar!' exclaimed the New Hampshire man, as this caught his eye, 'do you hatch out your peaches in this country?'"—Harper's Weekly.

Fishermen Use Wireless.

The wireless telephone, it is claimed, has successfully entered into the deep-sea fishing industry. For the last week experiments have been conducted by the wireless telegraph station at Brant Rock, which is equipped with a wireless telephone, with a small vessel stationed among the fleet of the south shore fishermen 12 miles out in Massachusetts bay. Recently, it is asserted, the fishermen wished to learn the prices ruling in the Boston market. The operator on the wireless-fitted boat called up Brant Rock, and telephoned the fishermen's request. The land operator asked Boston, and the answer was forwarded back to the fishermen.—N. Y. Post.

Condensation With a Vengeance.

A Kansas editor is said to have entertained extreme ideas with reference to the value of a "condensed style." On one occasion owing to lack of space he wielded his pencil at the end of a syndicate serial story with this result in the way of compression: "Reginald took a small brandy, then his hat, his departure, besides no notice of his pursuers, meantime a revolver out of his pocket and lastly his own life."

Underdone.

Bobby gazed critically at his new baby brother.

"Don't you like him, dear?" asked the nurse.

"Y—es," he admitted. "But don't you think you ought to send him back for a minutes? He's too rare!"—Cleveland Leader.

Might Head Her Off.

"Henry," said Mrs. Peck, "I am going to get a phonograph and talk into it, so that if I happen to die first you can still hear my voice."

"Perhaps," replied Henry, hopefully, "I will die first."—Houston Post.

Relief in the Baby's Cries.

"Why doesn't your wife sing to the baby when she cries?"

"She used to, until she discovered that the neighbors preferred to hear the baby."—Cleveland Leader.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

At Grace M. E. church Wednesday night, the fourth quarterly conference will be held. Presiding Elder Rev. Dr. O'Halloran will be in attendance.

For the benefit of Marconnier chapel at Oak Tree, a supper will be held at the parsonage on Park avenue, opposite the Driving Park, Tuesday night, March 5.

Mrs. John M. Whiton will present a paper on "Porto Rico," at a meeting of the Women's Association of the Congregational church in the church tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

A meeting of the Home Mission Circle of the Park Avenue Baptist church will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. F. T. Ostrom, No. 748 Carlton avenue.

The women of Grace M. E. church have completed arrangements for a "Mother Goose" bazaar to be held Thursday and Friday nights. From the plans it promises to be unique in many respects and will provide wholesome entertainment for all who atend. Mrs. Parsons is chairman of the committee in charge.

The second entertainment under the auspices of the Young People's Association of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, will be held in the chapel Tuesday night, February 26. Mrs. Minnie Marshall-Smith will give recitations and a trio of stringed instruments will render musical selections. The third entertainment will be held in March, when Charles Battell Loomis will read selections from his works.

A class in forward mission study, which deals with the subject of Americanizing immigrants, has been organized among the people of the Seventh-Day Baptist church. The first meeting was held last night in the church parlors under the leadership of Mrs. Sarah Wardner, who will have charge of the class. The plan is to meet every Sunday night, with the exception of the third Sunday of each month on which occurs the regular meeting of the Men's Club. Each member is provided with a text book and every week he receives a special topic which he will be prepared to discuss at the next meeting. In this way the members hope to get a clearer conception of the immigration question. Some time during the course they plan to visit Ellis Island.

CITY JOTTINGS.

—The Jolly Twenty-four Club will hold a dance and euchre in the Camera Club rooms Friday night.

—A new rural free delivery route, No. 3, attached to the Somerville postoffice, was started on Saturday.

—At Neuman Brothers every day this week: Fancy California naval oranges, Indian River oranges and grape fruit, and fancy apples; also strictly fresh vegetables.

—The engagement of Harry Bryant at a boys' entertainment at the Y. M. C. A. has been indefinitely postponed. He was to have appeared on Feb. 28. Membership tickets will admit the boys to the moving picture sow in the afternoon, at 3:30 o'clock.

BRONX CORONER STARTS PROBING CENTRAL WRECK.

Official Inquiry This Afternoon—The List of Victims of Railroad Disaster.

New York, Feb. 18.—The official investigation into the cause of the wreck of the New York Central's electric train near Bedford Park station on Saturday night, wherein twenty persons were killed and 147 injured, began today at 1 o'clock in the coroner's office, at Tremont and Third avenues, the Bronx.

Coroner Schwannecke was busy all day yesterday visiting hospitals, police stations and all other places that suggested the possibility of acquiring information as to the identity of some of the unrecognizable dead and information as to the rate of speed at which the train was traveling from such of the living as were able to talk to him on the subject.

There was a difference in the reports as to the number of wounded, the minimum number being placed at 147 and the mixmum at 153 persons.

Can't Appoint Brigadier.

The deadlock over the brigadier generalship of the Second Brigade, National Guard, is causing all sorts of gossip among the guardsmen. Colonel Dennis F. Collins, of the Second Regiment, as senior officer, is acting as brigadier general. Attorney General McCarter declares that the only constitutional way of selecting a commander is by the votes of the field officers of the regiments, and this precludes the breaking of the deadlock by an appointment by Governor Stokes.

Farmhand Got Drunk.

William Dalton, forty-five years old, a Samptown farmhand, was arrested Saturday night for drunkenness. He pleaded four months of total abstinence and steady farm work as an excuse in court this morning. Judge Runyon said it was a good one and suspended sentence.

Her Reason.

"How is it you never use pins in your waist any more?"

"I'm engaged now."—Houston Post.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Frost are registered at the Chalfonte, Atlantic City.

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Child's Suits in sizes 10, 11 and 12 years of age, in knickerbocker suits, worth up to $5.00; special at $2.24. Special Child's Suits in Double-breasted, plain pants, worth up to $5.00, ages from 8 to 15 years. To be sold at
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Child's Overcoats, sizes 3 to 8 years in Oxford, Blue and Mixed Goods, values up to $7.00; special at $1.99. Special—Youths' pants in 26 to 31 in waist, 27 to 30 inches length, strictly all wool and guaranteed finest class make and fit. To be sold at
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TEACHERS' PAY RAISED

Board of Education Authorizes Increase Approximately $100 a Year.

NEW STUDENTS FIXED

Present Appropriation Will Not Permit It to Go Into Effect Until Next September.

At a special meeting of the city Board of Education last night the first steps were taken toward giving every principal and teacher in the local schools a substantial increase in salary. It will amount to practically $100 annually in each instance, but will not go into effect until September 1 next, as the appropriation of this year was based on the present schedule. The matter has been under consideration by the the board for several months and was brought to a head by the introduction of a resolution, calling for the increase. It was passed unanimously with the salaries graded as follows:

Grade teachers and kindergartens, minimum salary $550, maximum $800; maximum for assistants in kindergarten $700; increase $50 annually the first three years, then $25 annually, until the maximum is reached.

Upon recommendation of superintendent and principal, a teacher of a seventh grade class may receive $50 additional and a teacher of an eighth grade $100 additional during the time of assignment to such a grade.

Assistants in high school, male assistant, minimum $1,000, maximum $1,800.

Female assistants, minimum $700, maximum $1,200.

Increase, $100 annually for two years, then $50 annually until maximum is reached.

Upon recommendation of superintendent and principal, a teacher in charge of a class room may receive $100 additional during assignment to that position.

The increase for a teacher in any year may be withheld by the board in case the teacher's work is not approved by the superintendent and the principal.

Principals of graded schools, maximum $1,400. When a principal is not receiving the maximum, the increase will be $100 annually until the maximum is reached.

Vice-principals may receive $100 in addition to their salaries as teacher of a class.

The board also discussed informally the plans for the new school to be erected at Darrow avenue and Essex street. The architecture, size and cost are still in a tentative stage but the building committee hopes to reach a material point within a few weeks. It was intended to put up a structure costing about $75,000, but because of the high price of materials a lot of figuring will have to be done in order to get a large enough building for the money.

MR. MAC MURRAY DECLINES.

Pressure of Business Interests Prevents His Occupying His Time With City Committee Work.

The most important political happening in some time, is the declination of City Clerk James T. MacMurray to serve as a member of the Republican City Committee's sub-committees. It is reported in political circles that Mr. MacMurray will resign from the committee.

When seen by a reporter for The Daily Press today, Mr. MacMurray declined to make any statement, excepting to say that his refusal to serve on the committees is due solely to the pressure of business interests.

Funeral of Charles Giese.

The funeral of Charles Giese, who died suddenly at his home in Washington Valley, Saturday afternoon, was held yesterday afternoon at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Caspar Waglow, of Elm place. The service was in charge of Rev. C. H. Schneegas, pastor of the German Reformed church, assisted by Rev. Mr. Hauser, of New York, a former pastor, and was attended by a large gathering of relatives and friends. Interment was made at Hillside cemetery, the pall bearers being members of the local police force, on which Mr. Giese served for nine years. They were Patrolmen Martin Vanderweg, Andrew Saffron, William Vanderweg, Andrew Saffron, Nicholas Meyers, Frank Stillwell, George Dobson and Dennis O'Keefe.

Engagement Announced.

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Vincent Tozzi, of Grant avenue, and Miss Catherine Verdi, of Jersey City. The wedding will take place in April.

—Neuman Brothers make a specialty of the very best grades of teas and coffees. They buy in large quantities and can retail at prices much lower than charged anywhere else.

TALK ON PRIMITIVE MAN

George Wharton James Lectures on Primitive Arts and Crafts.

AT THE CASINO

Before the Monday Afternoon Club—His Descriptions Prove Very Interesting.

The lecture on "Primitive Arts and Crafts," given by George Wharton James before the Monday Afternon Club at the Casino, yesterday, was enthusiastically received by a large audience. The talk was given in connection with the club's study of "Primitive Man in America," covering the latter part of the club year.

Mr. Wharton prefaced his remarks with the statement that his accounts of the primitive arts and crafts of the Indians of the Southwest were not theories but facts gained by a long residence among them. The development of mentality in the Indian, he said, was shown by his work, the first step taken by primitive man being the art of war and hunting and that of woman being domestic inventions. He vividly described the crude process of maize planting, maize grinding that led to the primitive mill, the invention of traps for catching fish and animals, the ingenious construction of the bow and arrow, the braiding of mats that led to weaving, basket making, pottery, the beginning of masonry and the building of their simple homes. Mr. Wharton said they learned these crafts by keeping themselves in constant contact with nature and made a plea for teaching children to observe rather than gain all their knowledge from books.

In connection with their home making the speaker referred to their religious ceremonies, each step of their work being accompanied with a petition for a blessing on their deeds and he contrasted some of the shams of civilization with the simplicity and honesty of the Indian.

In describing the baskets and blankets made by these primitive people, the artistic quality was brought to notice. "Art," Mr. Wharton quoted, "was the expression of a man's joy in his work" and some of the baskets he exhibited had claim to the perfection of art, thus considered. The baskets, he said, became enshrinements of woman's prayers, hopes, aspirations, love and despair. One beautiful specimen he said represented the light of the morning with the dark points of the Luca leaves reflected on the background; another wrought with doves, enshrined the woman's thought of life in the companionship of her prospective husband and one marked with a large star surrounded by smaller ones was the enshrinement of Romona's love and despair. Mr. Wharton's lecture recalled the old thought of the poet, "Lo! the poor Indian, whose undereloved mind
Sees God in the cloud and rears Him in the wind."

POLICE BOARD MEETS.

Mayor to Communicate With Council Monday Night.

The police board held a lengthy session last night in the office of Mayor Charles J. Fisk, when important matters concerning the police department were discussed. The board decided not to give out for publication the result of the conference, but Mayor Fisk will persent a communication to the Common Council Monday night on the subject. It is presumed that the question of appointments was taken up last night, especially those to fill the newly-created offices of captain, sergeant and detective sergeant which were held up at a previous meeting and subsequently withdrawn by Mr. Fisk.

Miss Hudson Among the Killed.

Miss Clara L. Hudson, of Minneapolis, daughter of Joseph B. Hudson, who spent Sunday, February 10, with her friend, Miss Norma Northrup, of 97 Mercer avenue, was killed in the accident on the Harlem Division of the New York Central Saturday night. She was a member of a party of eight young women from the school who attended a matinee performance in New York and were returning home on the train which was wrecked. The other young women escaped with injuries.

Middlesex's Best 'Squire.

Justice of the Peace Rene P. F. Von Minden, of New Market, who has a law office in the Marsh building, is the prize 'squire of Middlesex county. When the county court had completed its investigation of the justices' books, 'Squire Von Minden was told that his docket was the most complete and satisfactory in the county. He has turned in more fines under the disorderly act than any other justice.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

FAVOR SEPARATE PLANT

Borough Sewage Commission to Recommend to Council an Independent System.

KILLS CONSOLIDATION ?

At Meeting At Park Club Report of G. W. Fuller, the Expert, Is Thoroughly Discussed.

Preliminary negotiations are underway, it is said, for the purchase of a farm in North Plainfield township for the purpose of building a sewage disposal plant to be used by the borough. If the action of the sewage commission is favorably received by the North Plainfield Council, the movement to consolidate that municipality with Plainfield will be dealt a death blow it is generally believed.

A meeting of the commission was held at the Park Club last night and a free discussion was held at that time on the report of the expert, Geo. W. Fuller, of the firm of Herring & Fuller, of New York. Mr. Fuller has been working on the matter for months past and the matter is now in such shape that the committee will communicate with the borough fathers at their next meeting. It appeared to be the consensus of opinion that it would be cheaper and better for the borough to erect and maintain an independent sewage disposal plant rather than to connect with the Plainfield system.

W. J. Buttfield, as chairman of the commission, presided at last night's conference and among the other members present were Edwin S. Hooley, N. B. Smalley and C. W. McCutcheon. It is understood that a majority of the members are opposed to consolidation; at least that was the opinion stated by one of the members this morning.

CLERGY "STAND PAT" ON BISHOPS BILL

INTER-DENOMINATIONAL COMMITTEE HOLDS POW-WOW AT TRENTON.

The Inter-denominational Committee, composed of prominent Bishops and clergymen of the State, who so successful fought for the present Bishops' law, held a meeting in the Trenton House, Trenton, yesterday afternoon, and after a short discussion, agreed to "stand pat" on the present liquor law and to assist with all their influence any attempt to change it. They will refuse any compromise. All of the bills which have been introduced in the Legislature were carefully gone over, and none of them found favor with the committee.

The following were among the prominent clergymen present: Bishop John Scarborough of the Episcopal church, Bishop James A. McFaul of the Roman Catholic church, the Rev. Father John Bryan, of Jersey City, the Rev. Father Charles, of Hoboken, the Rev. John H. Fox, pastor of the leading Methodist church in Trenton; Dr. George B. Wight, Methodist, and State Commissioner of Charities; the Rev. Henry Collin Minton, former moderator of the PresbyterianGeneral Assembly; the Rev. Hugh B. MacAuley, Presbyterian, of Trenton; the Rev. E. J. Knight, Episcopalian, Trenton; S. H. Hann, Secretary of the Law and Order Society of Camden, and Peter Backes, Trenton, Secretary of the committee.

The conference was held behind closed doors, but at the end it was given out that there was the utmost harmony among the clergy, and they are all firm on the policy of fighting any attempt of the present Legislature to touch excise legislation. The screens down during forbidden hours and the joint liability of the tenant and the landlord are features of the Bishops' law which the committee will especially fight to retain.

Favor Local Option Bill.

By a rising vote the congregation at Warren chapel, on Sunday, voted to petition the Legislature to pass the local option bill which it is proposed to introduce at the present session. The wish of the congregation will be expressed to the local representatives in the Legislature.

Crushed His Fingers.

While at work in a new building a few days ago, Max Neuman, Jr., of Spooner avenue, a plumber's apprentice, had several fingers crushed by the falling of a water-back. They were dressed by a physician and he will be detained from work for several weeks.

Mrs. George White, of the borough, has returned from Millstone, where she was called by the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. Hoagland.

QUOTATIONS IN THE P. P. A. REPORT TILT

COUNCILMAN MONTGOMERY DENIES ALLEGATIONS OF R. H DEPEW.

Councilman F. L. Montgomery, who figured in the incident leading to the resignation of W. L. Saunders from the Plainfield Protective Association, and the subsequent epistolary exchange between Mr. Saunders and R. Henry Depew, president of the Protective Association, added a side shot to the politely conducted duel this morning.

"On January 28," said Mr. Montgomery to a reporter, "there appeared in The Daily Press the following statement: 'The report of Alfred Spice, of New York, the expert employed by the Plainfield Protective Association to investigate the lighting service of the Public Service Corporation in this city, was made public today.'

"On January 29 I received a communication from R. Henry Depew, dated January 28, in which he said, 'I am sending you under separate cover report of our examination of the lights in Plainfield.'

"As I read in your paper of the 28th the P. P. A. report and from it was first made acquainted with the contents thereof, the statement of Mr. Depew in the issue of February 16 is not borne out by the facts in the case. Mr. Depew wrote: 'Moreover, it is not true that the report was given to the press before it was furnished to the Council.' Comment is unnecessary."

In his letter on the reasons leading to his resignation Mr. Saunders made the incident in which Mr. Montgomery was invited to retire from a meeting of the P. P. A. executive committee meeting a prominent feature.

PLAN TO MERGE P. P. A. AND BOARD OF TRADE

OFFICER OF ONE BELIEVES THAT CONSOLIDATION WOULD BE BENEFICIAL.

That the Plainfield Protective Association, which is composed of a couple of hundred representative men of Plainfield and North Plainfield be merged with the Board of Trade is the proposition advanced by one of the head officers of the latter body. It is argued by him that much more work can be accomplished by combining forces than for two independent bodies working separately.

For some reason unknown, the meetings of the Board of Trade have been poorly attended in recent years. At some sessions not more than eight or ten are present, although the membership includes practically all the local merchants and business men generally. On the other hand, much interest is being taken in the Protective Association work, which is practically that which should be done by the former body. The proposition is to consolidate the two bodies and elect entirely new officers.

Will Ask for Clemency.

The following persons who have filed their petitions with the pardon clerk at Trenton will apply to the Court of Pardons at the March term for the exercise of clemency: John Galbraith, convicted of criminal assault, February, 1906; term of sentence, three years; term expires, September, 1908. Peter Linzer, convicted of criminal assault, February, 1906; term of sentence, two years; term expires, November, 1907. William Ross, convicted of criminal assault, February, 1906; term of sentence, two years; term expires, November, 1907.

Shooting Matches.

F. C. Bissett, of South River, will shoot his postponed match of 100 birds, $25 a side, with Thomas Brantingham, at the latter's roadhouse, Park avenue, Thursday afternoon. The match was to have been held last Thursday, but Bissett was ill with grip. He has recovered and sent word this morning that he would be on hand this week. Brantingham will also shoot John Belloff, of New Brunswick, Thursday afternoon, 100 birds, $25 a side. The matches will begin at 2 o'clock.

First Rehearsal of "Pinafore."

The first rehearsal of "Pinafore" will be held at the Casino tonight by the Plainfield Operatic Association. It is also expected that there will be a report presented concerning the last opera, "The Chimes of Normandy."

Yale Club Dinner March 15.

The Plainfield Yale Club has changed the date for holding its annual dinner at the Casino from March 8 to 15. An effort will be made by the club to bring the Yale Glee Club to Plainfield in April for a concert.

TAXPAYERS TO BE HEARD

The Consolidation Commission Practically Completes Preliminary Conference.

DISCUSS TAX MATTERS

Mayors Fisk and Smalley Express Their Views—Meetings To Be Held In Council Chamber.

The bi-municipal commission consolidation at a meeting yesterday in Mayor Fisk's office practically completed its preliminary work and is about ready to inaugurate a series of public meetings where taxpayers of both Plainfield and North Plainfield will be given the opportuninty to expres their views. For more than an hour behind closed doors yesterday, the commissioners discussed the taxation aspect of the proposed merger, but nothing definite came of it.

Both Mayor Fisk and Mayor Smalley gave their opinions regarding what changes would be brought about in taxing powers and tax receipts should the two places be consolidated. The city mayor gave it as his opinion that in the end taxes would be considerably reduced by the change. Mayor Smalley impressed upon the members that the only feasible thing to do would be to annex North Plainfield's territory to Union county as soon as possible after the merger is made.

It is understood that the series of public meetings will all be held in the Plainfield Common Council chamber. In every instance it will be a free and open discussion and the opponents of consolidation will be given every opportunity to explain their reasons for not desiring the merger to be made.

Those at the meeting yesterday were Chairman Alexander Gilbert, Floyd T. Woodhull, Mason W. Tyler, Elston M. French, Charles W. McCutchen and the two mayors.

MEN WHO WILL TAKE PART IN DUAL MEET

MAKE-UP OF THE TEAMS ANNOUNCED BY Y. M. C. A. TODAY.

The entries for all but one of the events of the dual athletic meet between the Plainfield and Passaic Y. M. C. A.'s, in this city, Thursday night, were announced by Physical Director Listman today. The meet is officially sanctioned, and any marks made will be recognized and displace the corresponding mark in amateur athletic records.

The teams will be made up as follows: Standing broad jump; Plainfield, Banks, Burgess, Scull, Luder; Passaic, Dunbar, Grubb, Adelson; running high jump—Plainfield, Odell, Lueder, Burgess, Banks; Passaic, Powers, Grubb, Brown; shot put—Plainfield, Collier, Rumsey, Collins; Passaic, Leonard, Joerger, Powers; high dive—Plainfield, Stutsman, Banks, Burgess, Douglass; Passaic, Grubb, Hegeman, Powers. The potato race team for Plainfield will not be picked until tonight. It is known that Burgess will be on it but the other members are in doubt. J. Powers, W. Powers, Walker, Thorp and Hegeman will race for Newark.

E. B. Barnes, secretary of the A. L. N. A., will referee the meet. Mr Listman and J. W. Gavett will officiate for Plainfield, James Hemlock and F. H. Baker for Passaic.

William Laible Dead.

William Laible, a well known resident of Dunellen, died this morning after a lingering illness. He is survived by his wife and a grown daughter, Miss Kate Laible. He was the brother of Captain George Laible, a member of the famous Lilliputian troupe that toured the country several years ago. Captain Laible is still in the theatrical business. He is a summer resident of Dunellen.

Derailed Car Upsets Traffic.

One of the large main line cars of the P. S. C. leaped the tracks at Watchung avenue and Fourth street at 1 o'clock this afternoon and swung almost its entire length into Fourth street. The forward trucks were twisted about and it took the wrecking crew an hour to get the tangle straightened out. The schedule on all the local lines was upset in the meantime.

Y. M. C. A. Convention.

The Y. M. C. A. State convention will start Thursday night in Elizabeth, and run until Sunday. Among the speakers will be W. D. Murray, of this city.

City Treasurer William F. Arnold has been detained at home during the past two days with an attack of the grip and a touch of lumbago.

TAX RECEIPTS WRONG

North Plainfield Collector has Not Observed the State Law.

VALUES NOT SEPARATED

Rule of State Board Requires Houses and Lots To Be Valued Separately—Collector Hadn't Heard of It.

The tax receipts of North Plainfield are made out in a way contrary to the law. In fact, they are made out in a form the law was designed to prevent.

The State Board of Taxation has issued a rule ordering the assessors of all districts outside of farming sections, to value the lands and the buildings on them separately and that the separate valuations must be noted on the tax receipts. The receipts of the borough do not specify the separate valuations.

The law under which the State Board issued the rue is as follows:

"The State Board of Taxation may by rule direct the assessor in any taxing district to determine the true value of each parcel of real estate assessed by him without the buildings and improvements and to note the same on his list, and to determine and note separately the true value of every building and other structure on each parcel, and add and carry out the same as the assessed value of the parcel, and in such case the receipt given for the payment of the tax shall contain such separate valuations; * * *"

Borough Collector George F. Brown doesn't know of any such rule. He told a reporter he didn't this morning.

"We have always lumped the values in the borough, on the receipts," he said. "I didn't know there was any requirement to separate values on my bills. I thought it applied to the assessors' field book."

The rule was read to Mr. Brown.

"Yes, it would appear that we have been making out the receipts wrongly," he said.

Assessor J. H. Cooley was out of town when a reporter called up his office on the telephone.

SAGAMORE MUSICAL CLUB GIVE CONCERT AND DANCE.

Malcolm Shackleford and Fred Van Eps Assist in Pleasing Affair at the Casino.

The Sagamore Musical Club held its annual entertainment in the Casino last night, assisted by Fred VanEps, banjoist, and Malcolm Shackleford, humorist, and the affair was largely patronized and greatly enjoyed. After the entertainment dancing was continued until a late hour. Owing to the death of her uncle, Peter A. Emmons, Miss Aimee Louise Emmons, who was to have given recitations and readings, was unable to appear. Her place on the programme was taken by Mr. Shackleford and Mr. VanEps.

An excellent programme was arranged. The numbers by the Sagamore Musical Club were features and the banjo solos and banjo and mandolin duets by Fred VanEps and his brother, William P. VanEps, elicited great applause. Mr. Shackleford was, as usual, very funny. His stories, as well as his impersonations of various characters, brought down the house. He was repeatedly called back. The programme follows:

Love and Honor, Sagamore Musical Club; Laughing Eyes, Fred Van Eps; Nursery Rymes, Malcolm Shackleford; University Girl Waltzes, Sagamore Musical Club; Buffalo Rag, Fred and William P. VanEps; Let It Alone, Malcolm Shackle. ; Cherry, Sagamore Musical Club; My Lady, Malcolm Shackleford. There were sixteen numbers on the dance order, comprising two steps and waltzes.

The Sagamore Musical Club is composed of the following; Leader, William VanEps; first mandolins, Martin Stutsman, Monroe H. Long, Chester H. Briggs; second mandolins, Theodore O. Gavett, Erwin Leland, Vincent B. Miner; banjo, William E. Briggs; 'cello, Herbert Smith; pianist, Samuel B. Howe, Jr.

May Die from Injuries.

Mrs. Sarah E. R. Webb, an aged woman residing at the home of Mrs. DuBois on Park avenue, is critically ill, partially as the result of a fall in her room several days ago. In addition to a contused wound she suffers greatly from shock and a trained nurse is in constant attendance. Her condition has been such that her son, George E. Webb, of Texas, was summoned to Plainfield and is now with his mother. Prior to the death of Mrs. Webb's husband five years ago, the couple traveled extensively and spending a portion of the time at the Hotel Iroquois. They also lived in Washington, California, Florida and New Brunswick.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

MRS. ROSS H. FOSTER BEQUEATHED $200,000

Former Plainfield Woman One of Sixty-Five Heirs to An Estate of $12,000,000.

FROM BACHELOR UNCLE

Peter Pohrr Died in Washington a Year Ago—Printer and His Wife Receive Big Share of His Property.

Through a legacy left to her by a rich bachelor uncle, who lived in Washington, D. C., Mrs. Augusta Louise Foster, formerly of this city but now of Bellville, will come into the possession of $200,000 next month. Her husband, Ross H. Foster, formerly employed by the Courier-News of this city and now a compositor on the Newark Evening News, is well known here, the couple having resided on Maple avenue until two years ago.

Mrs. Foster was married when she was but sixteen years of age. Her maiden name was Augusta Pohrr and her parents were not only well endowed with the world's goods but were society folk. The marriage to Mr. Foster estranged her from her family but it is said that in recent years a reconciliation took place. Peter Pohrr, her uncle, died a year ago at his home in the exclusive section of Washington. His estate amounted to more than $12,000,000 and the former Plainfield woman was one of sixty-five heirs among whom the property will be divided. Settlement of the estate was delayed on account of the absence of one of the heirs who years ago married on English lord.

Pohrr was a brother of Mrs. Foster's father, George W. Pohrr, who also left her considerable property. The uncle made his money in property in the South. He owned a large part of the water front in Baltomire, Md. When he died a year ago at the age of seventy-eight years he was considered one of the wealthiest men at the National Capitol. Her own father owned a fine big stock farm near Old Georgetown, Md., where many blooded animals and race horses were raised.

GETS BIG PRODUCTION.

"The Girl and the Governor" Coming to Plainfield Next Tuesday.

Manager Counihan received notice by wire this morninng that his overtures for the big, new musical comedy, "The Girl and the Governor," now appearing at the Manhattan theatre, New York, had been considered favorably and it will be presented at the New Plainfield theatre next Tuesday night. The company numbers sixty people and is headed by Jefferson De Angelis, the well known comedian who led the cast of the original "Fanana" production during its long run at the Lyric.

"The Girl and the Governor" has been forced out of the Manhattan because of previous bookings and Manager Counihan is one of the theatrical men who offered suitable terms to get it. The entire cast and scenic equipment will be brought to Plainfield.

Accident Cases Doing Well.

George Minerd, the young messenger boy whose foot was amputated at Muhlenberg Hospital following an accident on the New Jersey Central, Sunday, was reported today as doing very nicely. He is rapidly gaining strength and no complications are threatened. The two Italian laborers who were injured at the accident in the Pond shop last week are recovering and one of them will be able to go home in a few days.

Percy DeWitt Dead.

Word has been received here of the death of Percy DeWitt, who lived in this city a number of years ago. Details of his death could not be learned.

—Benjamin A. Force, formerly a resident of this city, where for many years he was engaged in the shoe business and for some time doing a shoe business at Somerville, has decided to give up the business at the latter place. He has sold his stock to George Finger, of West Front street, and on March 1 will become manager for Mr. Finger.

Mrs. Francis DeLacy Hyde, of Mountain avenue, has returned from a visit with Mrs. Charles Hyde and Mrs. Everett Colby, at Atlantic City.

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27x54 Axminster Rugs, all new colors and patterns, $2.75 value, for	$1.98
36x72 Beautiful Axminster Rugs, $4.00 value for	$3.38
36x72 Bimdhar Wilton Velvets, $7.00 value for	$6.63
36x72 Daghestan Rugs—a rare opportunity at this price—$9.50 value, for	$7.49
7.6x10.6 Kashmir Rugs, reversible, makes a perfect bedroom rug, $10.00 value, for	$7.71
9x12 Kishmir Rugs, Oriental colorings and designs; reversible; $11.98 value for (This Week Only.)	$10.49
8.3x10.6 Brussels Rugs, the rugs that wear; $13.00 value, for	$11.27
9x12 Handsome Brussels Rugs, $15.00 value for	$13.49
9x12 Hartford Brussels, new patterns, $19.98 value, for	$15.63
6x9 Axminster Rugs, floral and Oriental, standard quality, $15.50 value, for	$12.24
8.3x10.6 Smith Axminster, a big variety, the pick of a large line, $22.00 value, for	$19.13
9x12 Regular Axminster; the quality here is the best; $24.50 value, for	$20.13
9x12 Axminster Rugs, slightly mismatched, excellent quality, $22.00 value, for	$16.89
9x12 Kymric Wilton Velvet, exquisite colorings, Oriental patterns, $45.00 value, for	$34.27
16x27 Cocoa Mats, heavy thick crush, 69c value, for	.49
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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

BOUND BROOK.

Camp Middlebrook Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, of Bound Brook, will be entertained today at the home of Mrs. A. L. Stilwell, in North Bridge street, Somerville.

The Misses Grace and Florence Bolen, of Bound Brook, have been visiting at the home of their sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John P. Rhodes, of Roycefield.

Mrs. Harry A. Stradling, of Trenton, has been spending several days at the home of her brother-in-law and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. John Spencer Stradling, of Bound Brook.

Miss Etta Thompson, of Flatbush, N. Y., spent last week as the guest of Mrs. F. R. Wrench at her home in Union avenue, Bound Brook.

The annual meeting of the John Robinson Club of the Congregational church of Bound Brook will be held in the chapel tonight.

Mrs. Ralph L. Reed and daughter, Miss Bessie Reed, of Bound Brook, are guests of Miss Florence Somers, of Springfield, Mass.

Dr. and Mrs. F. A. Wild, of High street, Bound Brook, have gone to Eustis, Fla., where they will spend several weeks.

Mrs. J. E. Hillpot, of Bound Brook, lately had for her guest Mrs. J. M. Pettit, of Brooklyn.

Mrs. Louis S. Cook, of Bound Brook, is visiting friends in Germantown, Pa.

SOMERVILLE.

The regular monthly meeting of the Somerset County Board of Agriculture was held in the chapel of the First Reformed church Saturday afternoon. F. H. Castner, of Glen Gardner, addressed the meeting on "Selection and Care of Breeding Stock, Hatching and Care of Forced Chickens—Why It Pays to Breed Pure Stock."

The Fragment Circle of King's Daughters held a cake and mystery box sale in the chapel of the Second Reformed church Saturday afternoon.

Miss Mary Dodd has returned to East Orange after spending a few days here with Miss Porter.

Mrs. Edwin Decker is visiting friends in Philadelphia.

RAHWAY.

The Cordova Leather Company has given out the contract for enlarging the buildings of its recently purchased plant. Several new buildings, too, are to be erected.

The A. M. E. Zion church will hold its quarterly meeting March 3. Presiding Elder Dr. C. Hazel, of Atlantic City, will be in charge.

Dr. W. E. Claden attended the funeral yesterday of Dr. Adolph Rupp, who died suddenly at his New York city residence Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Peckham, of New York, were guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. J. Coffy, East Rahway.

G. L. Lindsay, now of Jersey City, but a native of Rahway, has been promoted an engineer on the railroad.

Mrs. Beula Cook and daughter are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cook, of Milton avenue.

RARITAN.

The Christian Endeavor Society is arranging to hold an entertainment in the Reformed church chapel the latter part of this month. There will be quartettes and a one-act play, "Our Aunt from California." The cast will include Misses Myrtle and Cora Lane, Pearl Coleman, Blanche Peebles and Emma Johnson. This society is also planning for a play in April.

DUNELLEN.

The Rutgers Glee Club will appear at Friendship Hall February 26 for the benefit of the village school piano fund.

Mrs. C. H. Thornton has so far recovered from her attack of pneumonia as to be able to go outdoors.

Mrs. W. W. Casselberry is steadily regaining her health. The broken bones in her leg are knitting rapidly.

Miss Nellie VanHouten, of Elizabeth, has returned home after a visit to Miss Edna Baldwin.

The fourth quarterly conference of the Methodist Episcopal church will be held tonight.

Rev. Edward Dunphy is at Lakewood today to take part in a Lenten service.

A. J. Hamley will spend several days in Washington this week on business.

William Liable is not recovering from his illness as it was hoped he might.

Mrs. Rebecca Swackhamer is steadily recovering from her grave illness.

The new Rogers flats will be ready for occupancy the first of next month.

Miss Mary Baldwin spent yesterday with friends in Elizabeth.

The G. E. Club will be entertained by Mrs. Philip Eberle tonight.

Steam heat and new plumbing is being put in the Lineau house.

Mrs. Almira Sawyer has entirely recovered from her illness.

William Beekman has recovered from his illness.

Miss Sarah Cole is suffering from the grip.

'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

A pleasing programme of vocal and instrumental music, together with readings and impersonation, by Charles Emerson Austel, of Cartaret, made the musical given last night in the Methodist church one of the most enjoyable as well as successful affair the church has held in several years. The attendance was good and the silver collection taken will place a neat sum in the treasury of the choir.

The fair committee of Excelsior H. & L. Co. has about completed all arrangements for the great three days fair, Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights in the hall. The committee has worked hard to make the fair a success and they desire the support of every resident in the undertaking.

Captain Saunders, of Washington Valley, who is identified with the Lloyds Marine Insurance, is spending several weeks along the New England coast in the interest of that company.

George Baldwin, who has been detained at home for several weeks with a severe attack of sciatic rheumatism, is able to be about again.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Jefferson and child who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Abram Wade, have returned to their home in Newark.

Mrs. Frederick Clark has recovered from an illness which has detained her at home for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Mooney, of Rahway, have been visiting relatives and friends in town.

Mrs. William H. Lee has been entertaining friends from out of town.

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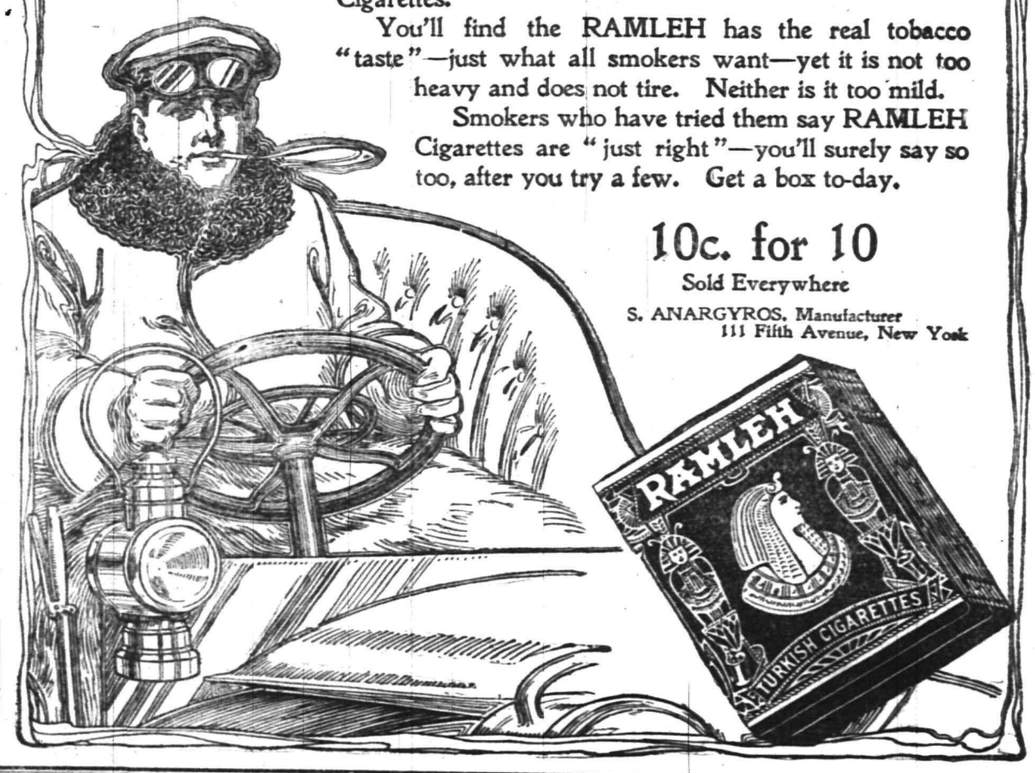

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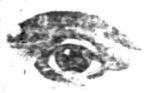

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Charles Conover, of Elmwood place, has returned from a business trip to Boston.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

It is expected that the choir at the First Baptist church will continue as at present for the coming year.

According to the usual custom the choir of the First Baptist church will probably give a musical Lenten service in March.

Clifford A. Braider, organist of the First Presbyterian church, is planning to give a musical service at the church next month.

Rev. Charles E. Herring, of the First Presbyterian church, will exchange pulpits on Sunday with Rev. Dr. McRossie, of New York.

The Junior Epworth League of the First M. E. church will hold a Washington party in Vincent chapel tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

The Women's Home Mission Circle of the Park Avenue Baptist church will meet this afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. T. Ostrom, of Carlton avenue.

Communion services will be held at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church on Sunday, March 3. New members will be received at that time.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the First Presbyterian church will be in charge of the mid-week prayer-meeting at the church tomorrow night.

The Sunshine Mission Band of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will hold a sewing meeting in the church parlors tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The monthly meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will be held this afternoon in the church parlor.

The Women's Home Missionary Society of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will hold a sewing meeting in the chapel Friday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock.

The Men's Club of the Congregational church will meet on Tuesday night, March 5, when Judge W. B. Green, reciter and story-teller, will entertain. In addition there will be music and refreshments.

The Boys' Mission Band of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will meet Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the large parlor. The subject will be "China." Important business will also be discussed.

CITY JOTTINGS.

—Miss Freda Gray, of West Front street, has taken a position as governess in a family at Yonkers, N. Y.

—Miss Julia Shinn, formerly of this city, who has been engaged in foreign mission work for several years, is visiting friends and acquaintances in town. This afternoon she will speak at the First Baptist church.

—Carpenters, electricians, paperhangers and plumbers are at work on W. L. Smalley's new home on West End avenue, the borough, which he expects to occupy this spring after the improvements are completed.

—Rudolph Kampf, Jr., of Steiner place, who broke his leg by falling on the ice last week, is improving steadily. The physician believes that the bone will knit within a short time. It is now held in position by a heavy weight.

—James Albert Love, who was a salesman for J. A. Smith & Bros., of West Front street, for a number of years, but who recently took a position with Charles M. Decker & Bro., grocers, of Montclair, has been made manager of a new store recently opened by the firm in East Orange.

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Plainfield, N. J., February 19, 1907.

TEACHERS' WORK RECOGNIZED.

The action of the Board of Education in increasing the salaries of all teachers connected with the city schools should meet with the hearty approval of the public. The cost of living has advanced immensely in the last few years. In fact so great has been the increase for all necessities of life that every corporation and every individual concern of any size has conformed to the present state of affairs by putting in effect a net increase of wages varying from five to twenty-five per cent. What was considered a fair wage five years ago, is totally inadequate today and of course the school teacher has been made to suffer along with the rest of mortals who are in the employed class.

Everywhere it is recognized that the pedagogue is doing a greater work for the future of the country than any other body of workers, but it must be confessed that they have been about the last to share the fruits of general prosperity. So far as Plainfield is concerned, this is no reflection on the Board of Education. Every member of that body has been anxious to see the teachers paid adequate salaries but the amount of tax receipts and the heavy burdens on the city treasury have stood in the way. At last, however, through an extra appropriation that will come to Plainfield from the State's funds, the opportunity is presented and the members have been quick to grasp it.

PERMANENT PAVEMENTS.

No action has been taken by the Common Council on the mayor's recommendation that permanent pavements be laid in the business section of the city, although Mr. Fisk has clearly explained how such an improvement may be made without placing too heavy a burden on the taxpayers. His plan is to issue bonds, covering a terms of years, and to use the receipts of the sales for building the pavements at once. The longer the matter is delayed, the greater will be the expense for the constant repairing of the streets in their present condition is proving to be an ever-increasing item in the city budget. Whether brick, prepared wood or Belgian block would be best is a matter to be determined by experts, but any one of these three would be a thousand fold more economical and satisfactory than the present macadam mud.

But when will the Common Council wake up?

PERSONAL.

Mrs. H. C. Runyon, of Madison avenue, is visiting relatives in North Branch.

Harry Blimm, of Somerset street, has recovered from a week's illness with grip.

Mrs. Herbert Guinn, who has been out of town for a few days, has returned home.

Miss Louise Harold, of Rahway, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Blatz, of Somerset street.

Miss Ada Vail, of Dunellen avenue, has suffered a relapse of the grip and is confined to her bed.

Edward Mundy, of Harmony street, who has been ill with pneumonia, is improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Leek, of East Fifth street, will remove May 1 to the New Madison, apartment No. 17.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Loizeaux, of East Second street, are home from a pleasure trip to Lake Waccamaw, N. C.

Mrs. Ida Randolph-Smalley, of New York, who has been spending a few days with relatives here, has returned home.

Mrs. George Whitley, of Beverley, Mass., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whitley, of Essex street.

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PREPARING FOR REUNION

Plianfield Elks Will be Well Represented at Big Gathering in Philadelphia.

COMMITTEE AT WORK

Convention Promises to Be Greatest Event at Sleeptown Since the Centennial.

Since the first steps were taken by Plainfield Lodge, No. 885, to attend the Elks' big reunion at Philadelphia next July in a body, great interest has spread among the members and from present indications this city will send as big a delegation as any of its size in the east. A committee composed of A. D. Findlay, Herbert W. Stover and S. P. T. Wilbur has been placed in charge of the enrollment and new names are being added every day. The list is already over the one hundred mark and there is no doubt but what 200 Plainfield Elks will participate in the gathering.

At the regular meeting of the lodge tomorrow night, propositions as to costume, music and other features will be discussed and if possible something will be decided upon. The lodges at Elizabeth, Perth Ambo and New Brunswick are to be accompanied by bands and will compete for prizes in the big parade and the Plainfielders do not propose to be left in the rear if there is any possible chance.

This annual reunion of one of the most important fraternal orders in the w orld will probably be the biggest thing that Philadelphia has seen since the Centennial. The reunion will last through the week beginning July 15, and during that time it is expected that there will be 250,000 visitors in the city—nearly twice as many people as there are inhabitants in Denver, where the reunion was held last year; more people than there are in Louisville or Minneapolis, and almost as many as there are in Detroit or New Orleans.

This estimate is not a mere guess, for the Executive Committee has already checked up pretty thoroughly the delegations which the various lodges will send. Elks and their families will come from every State in the Union, from the Philippines, Hawaii and Porto Rico. The delegate from Manila will start for Philadelphia next month.

The band music that will be heard in Philadelphia during the reunion week will be something inspiring. There will be at least 100 of the finest bands in the United States assembled, and none of them will have many idle moments. On Wednesday morning, July 17, there will be a mass parade of bands only, playing "Auld Lang Syne," one of the Protective Order of Elks, and other well known airs. It will be such a volume of instrumental music as has never been heard before in Philadelphia.

All the bands will appear again in the parade on Thursday. The mere fact that $15,000 is to be distributed in cash prizes to the best marching organizations is sufficient guarantee that the parade will be something worth seeing.

Then, too, Broad street, between Spruce and Race streets, is to be converted into a court of honor, with stately white pillars on both sides of the street, topped by casts of elk in heroic size. The court will be much finer and much more extensive than the Peace Jubilee.

At night the electric illumination, of which City Hall will be the centre, will be dazzling.

To make the entertainment what it ought to be, Philadelphia Lodge, No. 2, has given its word to the order that it would spend $100,000 for entertainment. Already the Executive Committee has something like $25,000 in hand, and it anticipates not the slightest difficulty in raising the balance from among the business men of the community, who recognize the enormous financial benefit that the reunion will be to them. The money which will flow into Philadelphia's stores, hotels, cafes, cab stables, traction company, amusement places and the like for that one week will be reckoned by millions, not by thousands.

Five of the local newspapers—The North American, Inquirer, Record, Evening Telegraph and Bulletin—have contributed $1,000 each to the entertainment fund.

Scores of "big people" who are Elks will be brought together by the reunion. 57 United States Senators and 260 Congressmen are members of the order. These are some of the prospective guests:

William Jennings Bryan, twice candidate for President of the United States and prominently mentioned for another nomination; George Ade, famous author and playwright; Judge Ben Lindsey, of Juvenile Court fame; Governor Cummings, of Iowa; Lieutenant Governor Murphy, of Pennsylvania; Justice Jerome Fisher, of New York Supreme Court; former Attorney General Mayer, of New York; Justice McKenna, of the United States Supreme Court; Mayor Spear, of Denver; Grand Exalted Ruler Henry W. Melvin, Judge of the Superior Court of Alameda county, California; Governor Folk, of Missouri; Governor Chamberlain, of Oregon; Judge Rohnert, of Detroit; Mayor William H. Moore, of Seattle, Wash., Fred W. Ward, the tragedian; United States Senator Daniel, of Virginia; Congressman Nicholas Longworth; Colonel Richard Woods, Sioux Falls, S. D.; the Rev. William H. Johnson, of Mount Carmel, Pa.; Rabbi Marks, of San Antonio, Texas; former Congressman Byron S. Ritche, Toledo; Judge J. S. Kincaid, Toledo, the man who sentenced the Ice Trust magnates; Judge J. S. Morris, Toledo, and General Mackin, of the same city.

This list is decidedly incomplete, but it goes to prove that the annual reunion will be something of a celebrity show as well as a grand hurrah.

Miss Grace Trippency, of Brooklyn, is spending a couple of weeks with Miss Pauline Denton, of Washington avenue.

Rev. Charles Fountain has returned to Crozier Theological Seminary at Chester, Pa., after spending several days at his home in this city.

SPECIAL FOR WEDNESDAY.

Sale of Jardinieres and Stands

98 cents instead of $2.00.

Strongly made weathered oak stands, 9¼ inch tops and 17 inches high, with 9 and 10 inch highly colored glazed Jardinieres. The sale price hardly covers the cost of the Jardinier alone.

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Muslin and Cambric Gowns, trimmed with lace and embroidery, regular price $1.25 and $1.50, for 98c

Corset Covers, tight fitting, regular 39c and 50c, for 25c

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Sham Holders, regular price 25c; sale price 19c

Scrub Brushes, solid backs, regular 25c kind 15c

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Regular price 50c, sale price 29c

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Small size, regular 59c, sale price 43c

Medium size, regular 78c, sale price 58c

Large size, regular 98c, sale price 69c

ROUND WASH BOILERS.

Small size, regular 35c, sale price 29c

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HEAVY GALVANIZED PAILS.

10-quart size, regular 25c, sale price 18c

12-quart size, regular 30c, sale price 23c

14-quart size, regular 35c, sale price 29c

GALVANIZED CHAMBER PAILS.

Medium size, regular 39c, sale price 32c

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GALVANIZED ASH CANS.

Full size, iron handles, reg. $1.48, sale price 98c

HEAVY DISH PANS.

IX tin 14-quart size, regular price 35c, sale price 23c

Curtain Stretchers, regular price $1.15 ..... 98c a set

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Adjustable Bath Seats, regular $1.48, sale price 98c

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No. 2 size, regular 69c, sale price 63c

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HEAVY POLISHED TINWARE.

4 and 6 quart sizes in covered long handles Sauce Pans, regular price 98c, sale price 48c

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Bread Boxes, regular price 59c, sale price 43c

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MONDAY, MARCH 4,

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Tickets may be secured at drug stores. Reserved seats $1.00, 75c, 50c. Admission to Family Circle 25c.

Tickets to be exchanged for reserved seat at the box office on and after Feb. 25th. 2 16 12

Advertised Mail Matter.

February 18, 1907.

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Harris, Mr. Enoch	Washington, Mrs. A.
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Klein, Mrs. Frank	Wheeler, Mrs. C.

Please say advertised.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I shall sell at public auction at my stable, 200 West Second street, Plainfield, N. J., on Monday afternoon, February 25, at 2 o'clock, 1 large gray horse, the property of John King, now held by me for payment of keeping of same.

Dated February 9, 1907.

2 19 2 tu s GEORGE W. COLE.

HOLIDAY ATTRACTIONS

February 22

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A Strong Musical and Literary Attraction.

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Reserved seats .... 50 cents

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NOTICE OF ORDER TO LIMIT CREDITORS.

Somerset County Surrogate's Court.

Estate of James Armstrong, Deceased. Notice is hereby given, That on the eighteenth day of February A. D. 1907, on the application of the undersigned, as Administrator of the Estate of James Armstrong, deceased; an order was made by the Surrogate's Court, requiring the creditors of the said James Armstrong, deceased, to bring in their debts, demands and claims against the said decedent, under oath or affirmation, and present the same to the subscriber within NINE months from the date of said order; and in default thereof any such creditor shall be forever barred of his or her action therefor against the subscriber.

EUGENE B. LAING, Administrator.

146 Park Avenue.

2 19 9 oaw tu Plainfield, N. J.

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of California.

In Y. M. C. A. Hall, Tuesday, Feb. 26

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THE DAUGHTERS OF MEN.

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Night prices, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1, $1.50

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PRICES—Mat. 25c, 35c.

Night 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c

Next Tuesday, February 26.

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The Girl and the Governor.

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Prices—25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50.

NOTICE.

All licenses granted by the City will expire March 1. All persons wishing to renew the same must make application to the City Clerk on or before Feb. 25. After March 1 no person will be allowed to carry on any business for which a license is required without securing one.

P. S. KIELY, Chief of Police.

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

The regular Tuesday evening prayer meeting will be held tonight in the Baptist church. Miss Florence Johnson will lead and special singing will be a feature.

On account of the Young People's entertainment, Camp No. 41, P. O. S. of A. will postpone its meeting until next Thursday.

Archibald Steengrafe, who sustained a few bruises by a fall last Thursday, is able to be around again.

The Foresters held a meeting in Higgins' Hall last evening. Routine business was discussed.

Miss Nellie Manning is confined to her home by illness.

(Additional suburban news on page 2).

WOMAN TO LECTURE ON TRAVELS IN PERU.

Mrs. Harriet Chalmers Adams to Speak for the Benefit of the Y. M. C. A.

Harriet Chalmers Adams, who will deliver a "Travel Talk" on "Peru," Tuesday evening at the Y. M. C. A. hall, knows Latin-America as no other woman does. Mrs. Adams considers Peru by far the most attractive country in the New World, in its prehistoric ruins, romantic history, wonderful scenery and interesting types. She penetrated into the very wilds of the land, observing and photographing. No section was left untrodden from the snowy summit of the extinct volcano, Misti, 19,200 feet above the sea, to the steaming jungle of the Upper Amazon. Her story is illustrated by two hundred color pictures of great beauty. The Y. M. C. A. plan to use the proceeds of the entertainment toward furnishing the game room.

Harriet Chalmers Adams.

Miss Addie Weaver, of New York, who has been spending some time with relatives in Baltimore, is visiting her father, Deputy Peter V. Weaver, of the New Madison. She expects to return to New York soon.

HISTORIC SOCIETIES' REUNION.

Organizations to Meet at Trenton Washington's Birthday.

Trenton, Feb. 19.—All of the historic societies of New Jersey will assemble in this city on Washington's Birthday for a union celebration of that occasion. Services will be held in Trinity Protestant Episcopal church and at the State house, and a luncheon for the visitors will follow.

The Rev. Hamilton Schuyler, rector of Trinity church, has written the following hymn for use in the exercises:

Lord God of hosts, who led our fathers hither,
And gave this Western strand to freedom's cause,
We praise Thy name, whose mercies never wither,
And pledge obedience to Thy righteous laws.

Our fathers hoped in Thee and trusted surely,
Thou didst deliver by Thy mighty hand,
Under the shadow of Thy mighty wing securely
Dwelt they at freedom in this favored land.

To us, their sons, give of Thy grace abounding,
That we may cherish liberty and law,
By justice strong all baser deeds confounding,
Who holds not Thee nor righteousness in awe.

From foes without and foes within assailing,
Keep Thou our country through the changing days,
From mammon's pride and anarchy's prevailing,
Guard Thou the State and prosper all her ways.

O, God! we pray, through centuries unceasing,
That this dear land may be with freedom bright,
In justice stronger, ever increasing.
In peace and health, prosperity and right.

This hymn will be sung to the tune of "Ancient of Days," the music having been arranged by Jeffreys, the organist of All Saints' Cathedral, at Albany.

ELIZABETH LOSES G. A. R. ENCAMPMENT.

Long Branch Now Expects to Entertain the Veterans in June.

The Council of Administration of the G. A. R. of New Jersey will meet today in Elizabeth to determine the place at which the next annual encampment will take place. Indications point to the selection of Long Branch as the place of the encampment. When the encampment was held in Paterson last year the understanding was that the next one was to be held in Elizabeth. Negotiations to this end were started, but there was a hitch. Long Branch now expects to get the encampment.

Department Commander Alfred Atkins, of Roselle Park, is president of the council of administration. Three invitations have been extended to the council from Long Branch—one from the G. A. R. post in that city, one from the Mayor and City Council and one from the Board of Trade.

The dates for holding the annual encampment are June 27 and 28, the latter being the date of the anniversary of the Battle of Monmouth.

LAZIEST MAN LIVING.

Healthy Irishman Has Stuck to His Bed For Thirty Years.

Dublin, Feb. 19.—The Board of Guardians of Durgan assert that a villager named Thompson is the laziest man on earth. Thompson went to bed in 1877 and did not leave it until two weeks ago, and then only on compulsion.

His aged mother, with whom he lived alone, was taken ill and had to be removed to an infirmary, and Thompson went to a workhouse in an ambulance. His mother returned home and Thompson followed her immediately, but was compelled to walk this time. He is now comfortably in bed again.

The doctors tried irritating plasters and electric currents on Thompson to make him get up, but they had no effect. He is quite healthy, but suffers from acute chronic laziness.

—Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Miller will move from Myrtle avenue to Washington avenue, in the spring.

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PERSONAL.

Miss L. A. Smalley, of East Front street, who has been quite ill, is improving.

Mrs. Vincent L. Frazee, of the New Madison, who has been quite ill, is much improved.

Miss Carrie Chapman, of Newark, has returned home after a visit with Plainfield friends for several days.

Miss Olive Hedden, daughter of Frank Hedden, of the New Madison, is spending the winter in New York with her grandmother.

Mrs. Floyd T. Woodhull, of West Front street, has about recovered from a several weeks' illness with the grip and nervous troubles.

Miss Painter, of Pittsburg, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Story Rowland, of West Seventh street, has returned home.

Mrs. Charles Vail, of Valley, who is stopping in this city for the present, will leave for Easton, Pa., tomorrow to spend the rest of the week.

Albert Steiner, of The Plainfield Trust Company, who was injured while coasting on Lincoln's Birthday, is improving rapidly and will soon be able to return to his position.

Rev. Alexander Abbott, formerly of Watertown, Conn., but now of Providence, R. I., returned home yesterday after a visit with Captain and Mrs. Winn, of the Jackson building.

Mrs. Emma Cottrelly and daughter, Miss Rachel Cottrelly, of this city, are spending some time in Boston with friends. They recently returned from an extended visit in Indiana.

PLANS TO AMEND AUTOMOBILE LAW.

New Provisions Will Make Considerable Change in the Statute as It Now Stands.

Among the bills likely to be introduced in the State Legislature this week is one to provide for a number of amendments to the present automobile law. This amendatory measure has behind it the powerful Automobile Club of New Jersey and is likewise favored by the State Department of Motor Vehicles. It will require the State to furnish license-registration tags for all machines registered, in order to secure unimormity of size and appearance.

It will abolish the right to arrest without warrant, but will provide for an increase of twenty the number of State automobile inspectors. This increase of force and the use of uniform tags on all machines is expected to make comparatively easy the task of apprehending violators of the law and at the same time will relieve autoists of the annoyance of being liable to arrest at the hands of any rural constable who may want to distinguish himself and make a few dollars for himself and a friendly justice of the peace.

Another concession to be asked in this bill that registered autoists from other States may pass across New Jersey without further registering or expense.

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Copy for deaths and marriage notices and classified advertising accepted up to 2:30 p. m.

THE DAILY PRESS is not at liberty to give any information regarding advertisements that require an address in care of this office. Persons answering these ads. should mail or leave answers as stated in advertisements.

Help Wanted.

WANTED — Experienced watchman for factory; must be familiar with steam boiler. Address Permanent, care Press. 2 18 3

WANTED—Presser, one who understands pressing ladies' and gentlemen's clothing. Apply L. M. Cobbs, 146 East Fifth St. 2 19 3

WANTED—Young colored man as butler and make himself generally useful. Apply 911 West Seventh St. 2 18 tf

WANTED — Two coremakers. Aluminum Press Co., Dunellen. 18 tf

GIRLS wanted; wages $4 per week. Crescent Embossing Co., 546 West Second St. 2 18 2

WANTED—Girl for general housekor. 28 Craig place. 2 18 3

WANTED—First class colored laundress, by the month, to sleep at home. 950 Hillside Ave. 2 18 3

WANTED—Young white girl to do upstairs work and assist with care of baby; references. Apply Mrs. C. E. Case, 917 Madison Ave. 2 15 tf

WANTED — Experienced cook; white; reference required. Apply 1060 Central Ave. 2 4 tf

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at once at Mrs. Day's Intelligence Office, South Plainfield, N. J. 2 9 tf

HELP WANTED—Single gentleman with actual experience as canvasser for permanent road position with a magazine of the highest class. Call on Mr. Howell, 126 Watchung avenue. 2 15 5

WANTED—White girl for general housework; no washing. Call afternoons, 955 West Sixth St. 1 24 tf

CHORUS tenor wanted for local choir; must have high voice and sing at sight; adequate compensation. Apply by letter, H. M. Case, 52 Craig place. 2 18 3

Help Wanted.

GIRLS WANTED—Sixteen years or over. Apply Watchung Silk Co., Chatham street. 2 19 3

WANTED—Competent white cook for small family to assist with washing; references. Apply evenings, 908 Watchung avenue, city. 2 19 2

COOK and waitress wanted (white) by March first. Address F. J. S., care Press. 2 19 4

DRESSMAKER wants apprentices. Call 68 Fairview Ave. 2 18 3

GLOVES—Experienced prix, seam, pique and hemmers wanted. I. Oliver & Co., 552 West Broadway, New York city. 2 18 5

DRESSMAKER wants young woman as helper; must have some experience. Call at 68 Fairview Ave. 2 18 3

WANTED—An experienced colored chambermaid and waitress. Apply 506 West Seventh St. 2 18 2

WANTED—White girl as children's nurse; German preferred. Apply evenings, Mrs. Rushmore, 14 Sycamore avenue. 2 16 6

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at once at Mrs. Keller's Intelligence Office, 22 Somerset place. 12 29 tf

GIRL wanted to cook, wash and iron; references required. Apply 526 West Seventh St. 1 29 tf

Rooms and Board.

TO LET—Two pleasant furnished rooms. 514 Watchung Ave.

WANTED—By couple, 2 rooms and board in private family; with pleasant surroundings. Address B., care Press. 2 19 3

TWO large rooms to rent, with board. 110 East Fifth street, near Park avenue. 2 15 tf

COMFORTABLE, well heated rooms, with excellent board; also table board; evening dinners a specialty. For terms call or address Mrs. A. L. Waldorf, 132 and 134 Crescent Ave. 2 8 tf

GOOD accommodations; low rates. Boyce's Hotel. 97 Somerset St. tf

For Rent.

TO LET—House, 8 rooms and bath; all improvements; good location. Liefke & Laing, 146 Park avenue. 2 19 3 w f s

FIRST-CLASS house to let. 21 Regent street. 2 18 6

FOR RENT—Part of double house; centrally located; all improvements; to select family of two or three. Address Select, care Press. 2 18 2

TO LET—4 rooms; $12 per month, on Plainfield avenue. A. Young, agent, 815 South Second St. 2 16 5

TO LET—Store of 136 Park avenue. Inquire William Jeffery, on premises. 2 12 tf

TO LET—Large, new store, No 407 Watchung avenue. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin building. 9 24 tf

DENTIST office, heat, telephone, light, water, door attendance. 178 East Front street. 1 11 tf

Money to Loan.

MONEY to loan on mortgage; five per cent. Louis A. Clement, lawyer, Babcock building. 2 18 6

TO LOAN on bond and mortgage, $3,000, also $3,500, on satisfactory risks. J. F. MacDonald, 149 North avenue. 1 31 tf

MONEY to loan, five per cent. gilt edge real estate. J. T. Vail. 1 14 tf

MONEY to loan at 5 per cent. on first mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot. tf

TO LOAN—Money on first mortgages at 5 per cent. V. W. Nash jr., 221 Park avenue. 6 22 tf

$4,000.00 TO LOAN on first bond and mortgage, on Plainfield property at five per cent. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin Building, East Front street. tf

TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street.

Lost and Found.

LOST—On train from Plainfield to New York, pocketbook containing about $50. Finder liberally rewarded at 135 East Sixth St. 2 19 2

POOR girl will be grateful if the finder of her souvenir pocketbook will leave it at Daily Press office. It was lost yesterday noon while she walked from Fourth street and Park avenue to East bound railroad station and thence through tunnel to North avenue. It contained a sum of money and was given her by a dear relative now dead. 2 16 tf

Situations Wanted.

ELECTRICAL engineer, 17 years with Plainfield Electric Light Co., wants position. 664 West Fourth St. 2 19 3

WANTED—Day's work on Monday or washing to take home. 132 Johnston Ave. 2 18 3

POSITION wanted as chauffeur by an expert machinest for the coming season; will drive Sundays to get familiar with car. Address Reliable, care Press. 2 18 3

Miscellaneous.

PRIVATE sale of furniture; a bargain. Woodhull apartments, over Stanley's, top floor; call between 10 a. m. and 6 p. m. 2 18 4

REMOVAL NOTICE—New York dental parlors removed to Woodhull & Martin building. 2 18 1m

PUBLIC auction sale of household and kitchen goods at 29 Maple avenue, North Plainfield, Wednesday, February 20, at 12 o'clock. 2 18 4

MRS. BONY — High-class dressmaking; French models; fine work remodeling; moderate prices. 12 Stone St., North Plainfield. 1 24 1m

NEXT—We are next to station and next to bargain; bring in your bargain and be next to buyers. Ira L. LaRue, 152 North Ave. 1 8 tf

GENERAL typewriting and stenographer. Call at 33 Somerset street, N. Plainfield. A. G. Daudt. 2 2 1m

FREE! FREE! Six fine square pianos, for cost of tuning and carting only; great chance for beginners and others. Call at once, Hadley's piano salesrooms, 315 West Front St. 23 tf

DEAD animals removed. Ruckman Brothers, 204 Plainfield avenue, 'phone 415-L. 8 28 6m

P. F. LATOURETTE, auctioneer; sales promptly attended to; satisfaction guaranteed. 326 West Front St. 2 10 tf

BEFORE selling your furniture see Latourette, 326 West Front St. tf

BABIES crochet sacques for sale; all prices; also ladies' knitted sweaters made to order. Mrs. Mayer, 54 Pearl street, North Plainfield. tf

THE highest cash price paid for household goods, furniture, etc. Fred W. Hand, Auctioneer, 136 East Second street. 'Phone 1722. tf

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NEW HOUSES FOR SALE—Two elegant new houses on West Eighth street, 3 baths, large high lot, shade and every modern improvement; tile baths; three fine houses at Netherwood, every improvement, shade and high terraced lot; two fine new houses on West Seventh street, every improvement; best location; also 8-room house on Summit avenue, near Westervelt. Call and see plans, Manning or McIntyre, 163 North avenue, open evenings. 1 31 1m

FOR SALE—Fine new 10-room house situate on a high terraced lot, 100x250, in the best section of Netherwood; hard wood floors and trim, 2 tiled bath rooms, 3 fireplaces, steam heat; occupancy April 1; will finish to suit purchaser. Plans can be seen at the office of William H. Abbott, 163 North avenue; also have plans for several houses which I am erecting in other parts of the city; prices from $7,500 to $12,000. 1 29 1m

THOSE desiring to own a farm should consult one who has been selling farms for years, and he is yours truly, William Henry Rogers, 136 Park avenue, Plainfield; telephone 44 tf

Wanted—Miscellaneous.

LOAN wanted, about $350, on chattel mortgage, 6 months; will pay $50 premium and 6 per cent. interest. Address Responsible, care Press. 2 19 2

WANTED—A milk route, about 100 quarts. Address N. B. Giles, Dunellen, N. J. 2 19 6 eod

WANTED—To purchase small up-to-date house; convenient to railroad; terms must be reasonable. Address Home, Daily Press. 2 19 3

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LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

There is a pleasant treat in store for those of this city playgoers who like an evening of brisk, crisp, clean, witty and strictly up-to-date work by the dramatist and a clever company. And such a thing will be found at the New Plainfield theatre when the curtain rises on the performance of "Checkers." There is no mistaking the popularity of this welcome visitor to Plainfield. There is that in "Checkers" to please all tastes in the drama, except those who must have nought but the serious. And in addition to the qualities already stated, there is as pretty and simple and natural a little love story as any one could want. It is not a bit too long and it wins the hearts, not only of the participants, but of everyone in the audience, even to those of the old bachelors present.

In theatrical circles generally the tour of "A Marriage of Reason," with Kyrle Bellew in the stellar role, which comes to the New Plainfield theatre tomorrow night, is attracting marked attention. Mr. Bellew is now under the management of Messrs. Klaw and Erlanger. "A Marriage of Reason" has been written by J. Hartley Manners, especially for Mr. Bellew. The dramatist has been at work upon the piece for nearly two years. The play deals with the subject of international marriage, and discusses the purphase of British titles by American gold and beauty, with remarkable frankness. The author has aimed to show the best type of Englishman and the finest type of American woman. Though an Englishman, Mr. Manners is a devout worshipper at the shrine of American beauty, and believes that the Yankee girl is civilization's most perfect flower.

"The Daughters of Men," by Chas. Klein, author of "The Lion and the Mouse," will be presented at the New Plainfield theatre Washington's Birthday, afternoon and night. This play which had a long and successful run at the Astor theatre, New York, was forced out of the metropolis by the previous booking of Blanche Walsh. After a short road tour the production will be taken back to New York where it will probably remain the remainder of the season. In "The Daughters of Men" Charles Klein has written a powerful drama, a drama that deals with the great subject of capital and labor. Many eminent critics in New York, Philadelphia and Boston were unanimous in their opinion that Mr. Klein's new play was even greater than his former success, "The Lion and the Mouse," which became the success of the century.

A musical farce comedy said to be of unusual excellence will be the attraction at the New Plainfield theatre Saturday afternoon and night. Manager Counihan having been fortunate in securing the three act farce comedy with music, "My Wife's Family," the combined work of Hal Stephens and Harry Linton, successful writers of that style of entertainment. This merry concoction of fun, music and amusing frivolity, was greeted by warm praise wherever presented last season, as the jolliest, cleanest and liveliest of comedies seen in the musical world, a constant creator of laughter, that is simply irresistible. The comedy appeals to all that is refined, while the musical numbers are all of the jingling whistling order. The company presenting "My Wife's Family" was selected for each person's natural ability to assume the various characters assigned to them, with the result one of the best drilled organizations on the road today. Clever comedies, pretty girls and a whole ensemble well nigh perfect in every way. The costuming, electrical and stage effects are correct in every detail. The attraction is under the management of the Whitnew Amusement Company and includes the following well known artists: John Lorenze, Giles Harrington, Jeanette Patterson, Gladys George, Minnie St. Claire, Ernest Lenore, Mattie Edwards, Helene Delmar, Clark Mounts, Charles E. Adams, Perry Lown, E. J. vonMinneman, Freeman Fiske and others.

Helen Delmar, in "My Wife's Family," at the New Plainfield Theatre, Saturday, February 23.

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To W. Clark Noble, who has his studios in Newark, has been awarded a contract to erect a memorial statue of the late Mgr. George H. Doane, who has for many years pastor of St. Patrick's Roman Catholic Cathedral in Newark. The memorial will be an eight foot six inch standing figure of the prelate, in first quality standard bronze, on a pedestal of the same height. It is to be placed in one of the public parks of Newark. The bust model, which was submitted by Mr. Noble in competition, was regarded as a wonderful likeness, especially as he had never seen his subject.

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CHAPTER XI.

I Receive a Call.

Going to bed at three o'clock on a winter morning in a house whose ways are disquieting, after a duel in which you escaped whole only by sheer good luck, does not fit one for sleep. When I finally drew the covers over me it was to lie and speculate upon the events of the night in connection with the history of the few weeks I had spent at Glenarm. Larry had suggested in New York that Pickering was playing some deep game, and I, myself, could not accept Pickering's statement that my grandfather's large fortune had proved to be a myth. If Pickering had not stolen or dissipated it, where was it concealed? Morgan was undoubtedly looking for something of value or he would not risk his life in the business; and it was quite possible that he was employed by Pickering to search for hidden property. This idea took strong hold of me, the more readily, I fear, since I had alwaye been axious to see evil in Pickering. There was, to be sure, the unknown alternative heir, but neither she nor Sister Theresa was, I imagined, a person capable of hiring an assassin to kill me.

On reflection I dismissed the idea of appealing to the county authorities, and I never regretted that resolution. The seat of Wabana county was 20 miles away, the processes of law were unfamiliar, and I wished to avoid publicity. Morgan might, of course, have been easily disposed of by an appeal to the Annandale constable, but now that I suspected Pickering of treachery the caretaker's importance dwindled. I had wanted all my life for a chance at Arthur Pickering, and in this affair I hoped to draw him into the open and settle with him.

I slept presently but woke at my usual hour, and after a tub felt ready for another day. Bates served me, as usual, a breakfast that gave a fair aspect to the morning. I was alert for any sign of perturbation in him; but I had already decided that I might as well look for emotion in a stone wall as in this placid, colorless serving man. I had no reason to suspect him of complicity in the night's affair, but I had no faith in him, and merely waited until he should show his hand.

By my plate next morning I found this note, written in a clear, bold, woman's hand:

"The Sisters of St. Agatha trust that the intrusion upon his grounds by Miss Armstrong, one of their students, has caused Mr. Glenarm no annoyance. The Sisters beg that this infraction of their discipline will be overlooked, and they assure Mr. Glenarm that it will not recur."

An unnecessary apology! The note paper was of the best quality. At the head of the page "St. Agatha's, Annandale" was embossed in purple. One of the sisters I had seen beyond the wall undoubtedly wrote it—possibly Sister Theresa herself. A clever woman, that! Thoroughly capable of plucking money from guileless old gentlemen! Poor Olivia! born for freedom, but doomed to a pent-up existence with a lot of nuns! I resolved to send her a box of candy sometime just to annoy her guardians. Then my own affairs claimed attention.

"Bates," I asked, "do you know what Mr. Glenarm did with the plans for this house?"

He started slightly. I should not have noticed it if I had not been so keen for his answer.

"No, sir. I can't put my hand upon them, sir."

"That's all very well, Bates, but you didn't answer my question. Do you know where they are? I'll put my hand on them if you will kindly tell me where they're kept."

"I fear very much, Mr. Glenarm, that they have been destroyed. I tried to find them before you came, to tell you the whole truth, sir; but they must have been put out of the way."

"That's very interesting, Bates. Will you kindly tell me whom you suspect of destroying them? The toast again, please."

His hand shook as he passed the plate.

"I hardly like to say, sir, when it's only a suspicion."

"Of course I shouldn't ask you to incriminate yourself, but I'll have to insist on my question. It may have occurred to you, Bates, that in a sense—in a sense, mind you—I'm the master here."

"Well, I should say, if you press me—that I fear Mr. Glenarm, your grandfather, burned the plans when he left here the last time. I hope you will pardon me, sir, for seeming to reflect upon him."

"Reflect upon the devil! What was his idea, do you suppose?"

"I think, sir, if you will pardon—"

"Don't be so fussy!" I snapped. "Damn your pardon, and go on!"

"He wanted you to study out the place for yourself, sir. It was dear to his heart, this house. He set his heart upon having you enjoy it—"

"I like the word—go ahead."

"And I suppose there are things about it that he wished you to learn for yourself."

"You know them, of course, and are watching me when I'm hot and cold, watching me to see when I'm hot and cold in the [illegible] of a child's game."

The fellow turned and faced me across the table.

"Mr. Glenarm, as I hope God may be merciful to me in the last judgment, I don't know any more about it than you do."

"You were here with Mr. Glenarm all the time he was building the house, but you never saw walls built that weren't what they appeared to be, or doors made that didn't lead anywhere."

I summoned all my irony and contempt for this arraignment. He lifted his hand as though making oath.

"As God sees me, that is all true. I was here to care for the dead master's comfort and not to spy on him, sir."

"And Morgan, your friend, what about him?"

"I wish I knew, sir."

"I wish to the devil you did," and I flung out of the room and into the library.

At 11 o'clock I heard a pounding at the great front door and Bates came to announce a caller, who was now stamping the snow from his shoes audibly in the outer hall.

"The Reverend Paul Stoddard, sir."

The chaplain of St. Agatha's was a big fellow, as I had remarked on the occasion of his interview with Olivia Gladys Armstrong by the wall. His light brown hair was close-cut; his smooth shaven face was bright with the freshness of youth. Here was a sturdy young apostle without frills, but with a vigorous grip that left my hand tingling. His voice was deep and musical—a voice that suggested sincerity and inspired confidence.

"I'm afraid I haven't been neighborly, Mr. Glenarm. I was called away from home a few days ago after I heard of your arrival, and I have just got back. I blew in yesterday with the snow storm."

He folded his arms easily and looked at me with cheerful directness, as though politely speculating as to what manner of man I might be.

"It was a fine storm; I got a great day out of it," I said. "An Indiana snow storm is something I have never experienced before."

"This is my second winter. I came out here because I wished to do some reading and thought I'd rather do it alone in a university."

"Studious habits are rather forced on one out here, I should say. In my own case my course of reading is all cut out for me."

"The Glenarm collection is famous—the best in the country, easily. Mr Glenarm, your grandfather was certainly an enthusiast. I met him several times, though he was a trifle hard to meet!"—and the clergyman smiled.

"My grandfather had his whims; but he was a fine, generous-hearted old gentleman," I said.

"You haven't been on our side of the wall yet? Well, I promise not to molest your hidden treasure if you'll be neighborly," and he laughed merrily.

"I fear there's a big joke involved in the hidden treasure," I replied. "I'm so busy staying at home to guard it that I have no time for social recreation."

He looked at me quickly to see whether I was joking. His eyes were steady and earnest. The Reverend Paul Stoddard impressed me more and more agreeably. There was a suggestion of quiet strength about him that drew me to him.

"I suppose every one about here thinks of nothing but that I'm at Glenarm to earn my inheritance. My residence here must look pretty sordid from the outside."

"Mr. Glenarm's will is a matter of record in the county, of course. But you are too hard on yourself. It's nobody's business if your grandfather wished to visit his whims on you. I should say, in my own case, that I don't consider it any of my business what you are here for. I didn't come over to annoy you or to pry into your affairs. I get lonely now and then and thought I'd like to establish neighborly relations."

"Thank you; I appreciate your coming very much,"—and my heart warmed under the manifest kindness of the man.

"And I hope"—he spoke for the first time with restraint—"I hope nothing will prevent your knowing Sister Theresa and Miss Devereux. They are interesting and charming—the only women about here of your own social status."

My liking for him abated slightly. He might be a detective, representing the alternative heir, for all I knew and possibly Sister Theresa was a party to the conspiracy to drive me away.

"In time, no doubt, in time, I shall know them," I answered evasively.

"Oh, quite as you like!"—and he changed the subject. We talked of many things—of outdoor sports, with which he showed great familiarity, of universities, of travel and adventure. Columbia was his alma mater, but he had spent two years at Oxford.

"Well," he exclaimed, "this has been very pleasant, but I must run. I have just been over to see Morgan, the caretaker, at the resort village. The poor fellow accidentally shot himself yesterday cleaning his gun or something of that sort, and he has an ugly hole in his arm that will shut him up for a month or worse. He gave me an errand to do for him. He's a conscientious fellow and wished me to wire for him to Mr. Pickering that he'd been hurt, but was attending to his duties. Pickering owns a house at the farther end of the colony and Morgan has charge of it. You know Pickering, of course?"

I looked my clerical neighbor straight in the eye, a trifle coldly, perhaps. I was wondering why Morgan, with whom I had enjoyed a duel in my own cellar only a few hours before, should be reporting his injury to Arthur Pickering.

"I think I have seen Morgan about here," I said.

"Oh, yes! He's a woodsman and a hunter—our Nimrod of the lake."

"A good sort, very likely!"

"I dare say. He has sometimes brought me ducks during the season."

"To be sure! They shoot ducks at night—those Hoosier hunters—so I hear!"

He laughed as he shook himself into his greatcoat.

"That's possible, though unsportsmanlike. But we don't have to look a gift mallard in the eye."

We laughed together. It was easy to laugh with him.

"By the way, I forgot to get Pickering's address from Morgan. If you happen to have it—"

"With pleasure," I said. "Alexis Building, Broadway, New York."

"Good! That's easy to remember," he said, smiling and turning up his coat collar. "Don't forget me; I'm quartered in a hermit's cell back of the chapel, and I believe we can find many matters of interest to talk about."

"I'm confident of it," I said, glad of the sympathy and cheer that seemed to emanate from his stalwart figure.

I threw on my overcoat and walked to the gate with him and saw him hurry toward the village with long strides.

CHAPTER XII.

I Explore a Passage.

"Bates!"—I found him busy replenishing the candlesticks in the library,—it seemed to me that he was always poking about with an armful of candles,—"there are a good many queer things in this world, but I guess you're one of the queerest. I don't mind telling you that there are times when I think you a thoroughly bad lot, and then again I question my judgment and don't give you credit for being much more than a doddering fool."

He was standing under a ladder beneath the great crystal chandelier and looked down upon me with that patient inquiry that is so appealing in a dog—in, say, the eyes of an Irish setter, when you accidentally step on his tail.

"Yes, Mr. Glenarm," he replied humbly.

"Now, I want you to grasp this idea that I'm going to dig into this old shell top and bottom; I'm going to blow it up with dynamite, if I please; and if I catch you spying on me or reporting my doings to my enemies, or engaging in any questionable performances whatever, I'll hang you between the posts out there in the school wall—do you understand?—so that the sweet Sisters of St. Agatha and the dear little school girls and the chaplain and all the rest will shudder through all their lives at the very thought of you."

"Certainly, Mr. Glenarm,"—and his tone was the same he would have used if I had asked him to pass me the matches, and under my breath I consigned him to the hardest tortures of the fiery pit.

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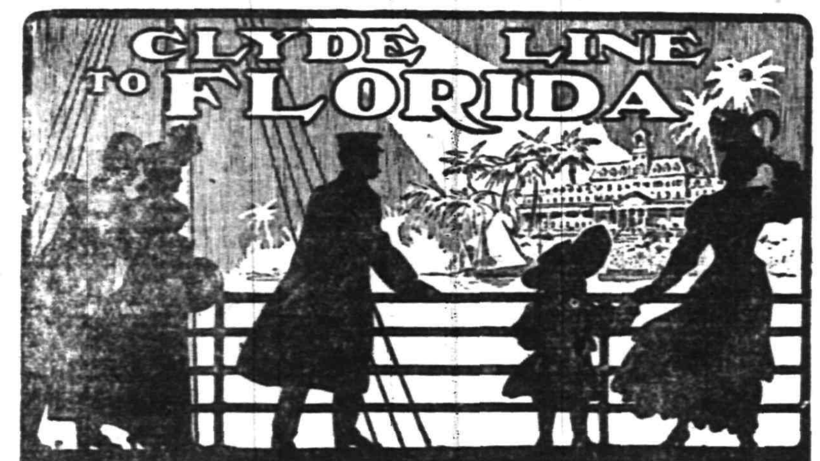

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Meeting a light team, that didn't throw an unwieldy handicap of beef against them, the Plainfield Y. M. C. A. five showed the real stuff of which it was made last night, by defeating the 26th Ward Branch of the Y. M. C. A., of Brooklyn, by a score of 33 to 32.

It was a great game, and the locals pulled it out of the fire by a tail-end rally that had real old fashioned thrills in it. The teams were evenly matched, but at the end of the first half the Brooklynites had it on the home team, 18 to 14. Worse than that, they had increased the lead to 32-22 by the time the second half was within five minuts of the wind-up. Then Plainfield woke up and went at the visitors with hammers and a tong or two. Aalholm started the rally with a basket, Collier and Gilmore followed suit and Loizeaux got the fever so bad he scored two. A stray foul landed the winning point.

The line-up and score:

Plainfield.		Brooklyn.
Gilmore	forwards	Dustwalt
Collier	forwards	Warner
Aalholm	centre	Currie
Loizeaux	guards	Moll
Hoagland	guards	Mein

Goals from field—Gilmore 4, Collier 3, Aalholm 5, Loizeaux 3, Dustwalt 2, Warner 4, Currie, Moll 5, Mein 3. Goals from fouls—Warner, Currie, Collier 3.

PARK TEAM TAKES SIX OUT OF SEVEN GAMES.

Barlow Rolls 200 in Each of Four Games—Ball Also Clever.

In a bowling match last night on the Park Club alleys between Barlow and Ball, of the Parks, and West, of Elizabeth, and Howe, of Roselle Casino, the local team won six out of seven games with an average of 389.7, while Howe and West averaged 364. The individual averages were as follows: Barlow, 194.1; Ball, 195.4; West, 190.6; Howe, 172.4.

Barlow rolled over 200 in each of four games, while Ball put up a score of over 200 in three games. In the first game he rolled 235, the highest score of evening. His partner's highest score was 223 in the last game. The scores follow:

PARK.

Barlow	213	202	203	167	169	182	223
Ball	235	210	186	195	228	166	148
	448	412	389	362	397	348	371

ROSELLE.

West	209	214	193	175	198	188	166
Howe	158	150	182	174	181	196	166
	367	364	375	349	379	384	332

BOWLING.

The championship of the Central Bowling League will be decided this week, when the Elizabeth Club will roll The Newark Bay team. Upon the result of this match will depend whether the Parks or Elizabeth team will hold first place.

GOLF.

The chairmen of the various committees appointed at the annual meeting of the Plainfield Country Club February 5, will appoint the other members of their committees early in March.

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Measure to Build Death House in County.

Echoes of the electrocution law enacted by the last Legislature were heard in the Senate last night at Trenton, when official approval was given to two measures having direct bearingup on it. The most important was the passage of Mr. Wakelee's bill appropriating $10,000 for the erection of a building for the infliction of the death penalty by this means. This building will be erected at the Mercer county farm.

The second echo was by Mr. Wakelee, and is known officially as Senate bill 126. This provides that at the electrocution of the murderers there shall be present 12 citizens, two of whom shall be physicians, to be selected by the prison keeper. The bill limits the number of clerymen that can attend the condemned man at these times to two, and limits the number of newspaper reporters to be present to six. These latter are to act as witnesses.

These bills were passed:

S. 56. Authorizes $20,000 bond issue for a fire house in Hoboken.

S. 64. Appropriates $10,00 for the erection of a building for the infliction of the penalty of death by electrocution.

S. 81. Requires municipal bonds to be approved by the attorney general.

These bills were brought up on second reading:

S. 67. Requires uniform price for electricity.

S. 75. Gives power to prohibit tearing up of county roads.

S. 78. For recovery of school moneys from adjoining districts.

S. 12. Fixes pilotage fees.

S. 23. Senator Colby's civil service commission bill.

Petitions against the repeal of the Bishops' law were presented by Senator Silzer, Gebhardt, Shinn, Plummer, Avis, Robbins, Price, Frelinghuysen and Bradley.

In an executive session, following the regular session, the Senate received these appointments from the Governor: Members of the Salem county board of taxation, John C. Ward, two years; Charles Mecum, two years; D. Harris Smith, three years, all reappointed.

Members of the board of managers of the State hospital at Morris Plains, David St. John, John T. Gillson and J. Anson McBride. Mr. Ward and Mr. McBride, being former Senators, were confirmed immediately. The other appointments took the usual course, that of reference to the judiciary committee.

The Senate adjourned until this morning at 11 o'clock.

Missing Pearl Bryan Head is Found.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Feb. 19.—C. H. Glandorf, who has the contract to fill in the ground between Newport and Dayton, Ky., across the river from Cincinnnati, has discovered a skull that is believed to be that of Miss Pearl Brown, the Greencastle (Ind.) girl who was murdered and her body decapitated on February 1, 1896, by Jackson and Walling, Cindinnati medical students, who were afterward hanged. Her headless body was identified by her mother, but the head was never found.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Hope chapel will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Charles Vincent, on West Third street.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Grace M. E. church will hold a "Mother Goose" bazaar in the church Thursday and Friday nights. The rooms will be appropriately decorated and each one of the various booths will represent a rhyme from the Mother Goose tales. The attendants will wear costumes in keeping with the general idea. The sale will consist of fancy and useful articles, flowers, home-made candies, cake and pies and refreshments will be served in a variety of ways. There will also be a "wishing well" with mysterious packages and a phonograph will furnish a first cass musical programme.

BARS SMALL BOYS FROM CIGARETTE SMOKING.

Assemblyman Jess' Bill Makes Severe Penalty for Furnisher of Weed.

There was introduced in the house of assembly at last night's session, at Trenton, a measure that is likely to cause deep concern among a certain class of small boys and will probably be greeted with a storm of protest as an infringement upon their rights. Incidentally, its passage would materially reduce the sale of cigarettes in this State.

The bill was introduced by Assemblyman Jess, of Camden, and seeks to abolish the cigarette habit among the youth of New Jersey. As a means to this end, its provisions are stringent, as it fixes the penalty for selling the "coffin nails" or the presentation of them to any person under 18 years of age at $50 fine or three months in the county jail, or both, at the discretion of the court. The bill was given its intitial reading and referred to the judiciary committee.

A number of petitions were submitted protesting against the repeal of the bishops' act. A round of applause greeted a resolution presented by Mr. Corish, of Essex, congratulating Speaker Lethbridge upon his 41st birthday anniversary.

At the suggestion of Mr. Riordan, of Hudson, house bill No. 126, concerning the improvement of stone roads which comprise the boundary line between counties, was recommitted.

These bills were given a second reading: Provides that judges of the court of common pleas hereafter shall be attorneys-at-law to be eligible; H. 97, authorizes second-class cities to appoint an inspector of coal, ice, etc.; H. 92, provides a penalty for selling articles of merchandise at short weight; H. 76, the Hendrickson school teachers' tenure of office bill; Ho. 205, amends the act respecting conveyances; joint resolution No. 1, provides for the purchase of portraits of former governors of New Jersey; H. 43, appropriates $30,000 for the Princeton battle monument; H. 51, the Brady water bond bill; H. 178, prohibits sewering into the Passaic river between the falls in Paterson and the mouth of that stream at Newark.

The assembly adjourned to meet at 10:30 this morning.

No Big Gift to Princeton.

Baltomire, Md., Feb. 19.—In a speech at the annual banquet of the Princetin Alumni Association last night Dr. Woodrow Wilson, president of the university, denied the report that Princeton has lately been, or is likely to be, the recipient of any great gift from any person. "In the city of Philadelphia," said Dr. Wilson, "they employ as reporters men of most vivid imaginings, and it was one with a particularly vivid imagination who attended the dinner of the alumni association in that city recently and quoted me as saying something that I wish I could say. We want money—much money—but we have been given none yet. We have been trying for four or five years to make very solid the teaching of the undergraduates, but that is not sufficient. We must make provision for the extension of our facilities for scientific study and research. That is what I say, and all I said in Philadelphia. I am not certain that I want any one person to take possession of Princeton by giving her a sum so great that his name will always be associated with hers. No man that I know of is big enough for that."

Japs Gets School Privileges.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 19.—On grounds of "Comity and Public Policy" Mayor Schmitz and the Board of Education of San Francisco last night announced abandonment of the policy segregation of Japanese children in the public schools of that city, which has threatened to cause strained relations with the Japanese. As modified the San Francisco school policy will permit the education in the white schools of children of aliens who speak English. An age limitation for the various grades will guard against unwholesome disparity of age between whites and Japanese or other aliens. Alien children first must be examined before entering such schools and this examination will really serve as a means of seeing that the Japanese children are educated with the whites so that Japan may not be offended.

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PERSONAL.

David F. Stewart, of John street, who had partially recovered from an illness, suffered a relapse yesterday and will be removed to Muhlenberg Hospital this afternoon.

Mrs. George W. F. Randolph, of West Front street, left Sunday night for Freemont, Ohio, in answer to a telegram announcing the sudden death of her brother, Isaac M. Keeler, a prominent citizen of Freemont.

Mrs. George Saums, of West Front street, successfully passed through an operation at Muhlenberg Hospital, yesterday afternoon, for a trouble of long standing. Her condition today is as well as could be expected.

CLOSED PORTALS.

The Women's Relief Corps, auxiliary to Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., will hold a lunch-box social in the Post rooms Friday night and the veterans have been invited to attend.

VOLUNTEERS TO PARADE.

Perth Amboy Firemen Invite Other Companies to Celebrate.

Perth Amboy, Feb. 19.—At the meeting of the Board of Aldermen last night the annual budget for the city was taken up. This showed a decided increase over that of the year before. One of the items is $1,000 for a firemen's parade, which the firement will hold here October 17.

At the meeting of the parade committee it was decided to invite the following fire companies to participate in the parade: Phoenix Engine Company, No. 3, of New Brunswick; Franklin Hose Company, No. 2, of Rahway, and Independence Engine Company, of South Amboy; Raritan Hose Company, No. 4, of New Brunswick; Westfield Hose Company and the Keyport Hose; Washington Hose Company No. 1, of Rahway; the Woodbridge Fire Department and Metuchen Hose Company; Somerville Hook and Ladder Company, of Somerville; Wesley Hook and Ladder Company, of Asbury Park, and Eagle Hook and Ladder Brigade, of Metuchen; Highland Park Hook and Ladder Company, of New Brunswick, and Phil Daly Hose Company, of Long Branch.

Towerman Guilty of Wreck.

New York, Feb. 19.—Cornelius A. Jackson, who was the towerman at Ninth avenue and Fifty-third street on September 11, 1905, when a Ninth avenue elevated railroad train ran off the track, killing ewelve persons, was yesterday convicted of manslaughter in the second degree. He was tried before Judge Foster and a jury in Part 2 of the Court of General Sessions. Sentence will be passed on Thursday. The jury recommended that mercy be extended to the prisoner. The specific charge on which he was tried was causing the death of Solomon Newgass, one of the passengers. Evidence at the trial went to show that Jackson, on the morning of the disaster, had set the signals for a train which was to take the curve and run down Sixth avenue after passing through Fifty-third street. Then he went to a back room and as a Ninth avenue train came along, which should have taken the straight track down town, took the open switch and the forward car plunged into the street. Paul Kelly, motorman of the train, disappeared immediately after the accident and has never been found.

Appointments From Governor.

Trenton, Feb. 19.—Senator Minturn last night presented the report of the commission named by the Governor on warehouse receipts, accompanied by two bills. The members of the commission are Woodrow Wilson, J. W. Griggs and Frank Bergen. In executive session, the Senate received these appointments from the Governor: Members of the Salem County Board of Taxation, D. Harris Smith, three years; J. C. Ward, two years; Charles Mecum, one year (all reappointed); members of the board of managers of the State Hospital, at Morris Plains, David St. John, John T. Gillson, J. Anson McBride, John C. Ward and J. Anson McBride, being ex-Senators, were confirmed.

Show Brooklyn's Growth.

New York, Feb. 19.—By the report of the Brooklyn postoffice for the year 1906, which has just been made public, is shown the wonderful increase in the growth of Brooklyn in the last year. For the twelve months ending December 31, 251,961,470 pieces of mail were handled and the total receipts amounts to $2,421,590.28, which is an increase of 12.22 per cent. over the receipts of 1905. All of the receipts of the branch offices were in excess of those received in 1905. There are now in use in Brooklyn 129 substations. There are 901 regular carriers and 467 clerks in the service.

Rabid Man Attacks Workers.

Bridgeport, Conn., Feb. 19.—Frothing at the mouth, barking, snapping and acting in every way like a mad dog, John Reilly, thirty years old, took possession of a coal yard today, driving all employees out of the place in fear. He was finally overpowered by six policemen and locked in a padded cell. It is thought Reilly has hyprophobia, the city having recently had an epidemic of rabid dogs. Reilly attacked the shovellers with whom he was working, tearing at their faces with his hands and trying to reach their throats with his teeth.

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Red Alaska Salmon, 1-lb tall can	10c
Sardines Ex. quality imported, boneless, ½'s can	30c
Ex. quality Imported Sardines, ¼'s can	15c
Imported Sardines, ½'s, can	20c
Imported Sardines, ¼'s, can	10c
Domestic Sardines, ¼ oil, can	5c
Smoked Sardines, can	10c
Domestic Sardines, ¾ mustard, can	10c
Lobster, 1-lb flat can	35c
Lobster, ½-lb flat can	20c
Shrimp No. 1 pickled, can	10c
Dunbar's Shrimp, 2-lb can	25c
Marshall's Kippered Herring, can	15c
Soused Mackerel, can	15c
Broiled Mackerel, can	15c
Boneless Herring, can	10c
Tomato Herring, can	15c
Mackerel in kits (8 lbs)	$1.25
Bloaters, each	5c

JAMS, ETC.

A&P Strawberry Jam, lb jar	15c
A&P Raspberry Jams (all kinds) jar	15c
Imported Marmalade, lb jar	15c
Assorted Butters, 3-lb jar	30c
Apple Jelly, tumbler	10c
Johnson's Preserves, 5-lb crock	50c
Pure Jelly, tumbler	15c

PRUNES.

Prunes, 90-100, lb	5c
Prunes, 50-60, lb	7c
French Oregon Prunes, 40-50 lb	10c

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Apricots, can	20c
Cherries, Royal Anne, can	23c
Peaches, Lemon Cling, can	20c
Pears, Barlett, can	20c
Plums, Green Gage, can	15c
Pineapple, Singapore, 1½-lb can	15c
Pineapple, Singapore, 1-lb can	10c
Pears, N. Y. State, 2-lb can	10c
Strawberry, 1-lb can	10c
Strawberry, 2-lb can	15c
Sliced Peaches, 1-lb can	10c
Apples, Hudson Brand, gallon can	25c
Plums, N. Y. State, 2¼-lb can	10c
Pears, Jersey, 3-lb can	15c
Cocktail Pineapple, can	10c
Cherries, 2-lb can	12c
Peaches, Southern, 3-lb can	15c
Raspberries, red, 2-lb can	12½c

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10 with 1 package Mule Team Borax 12c
10 with 1 pkg Grandmother's Grains 10c
25 with a pint bottle Royal Salad Dressing 30c
10 with 2 lbs Laundry Starch lb 5c
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10 with 1 pkg A&P Macaroni or Spaghetti 10c
10 with 1 bot. A&P Ammonia 10c
10 with 1 can Sultana Spice (any kind) 10c

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DISTRICT PLAN CERTAIN

Bill For New Method of Choosing Assemblymen will be Passed Next Week.

WITHOUT OPPOSITION

Technical Objection to Measure Changing Representation in Assembly Will Be Overcome.

Only the early adjournment yesterday of the Senate at Trenton, before there was time to ascertain from Attorney-General McCarter whether or not the Hillery concurrent resolution is in proper form as a legislative bill, retarded the passage of the measure supported by popular sentiment. It is certain to have unopposed passage in the upper House next Monday night, and it will probably go through the Assembly before the end of next week's sessions.

The question as to the proper form of the measure, which was raised by Senator J. Boyd Avis, of Gloucester, did not arise from any opposition of the South Jersey member. In fact, Senator Avis is strongly in favor of the abolition of the present system of electing members of the Assembly by counties and is as desirous of having the proper constitutional means taken to bring about the establishment of districts as any member of the Legislature.

As Mr. Avis explained to the Senate, his anxiety to have the measure placed in proper form was born of his wish to avoid any further snags in the consummation of the plan.

The most convincing arguments in favor of the Assembly District plan are those that have been advanced along the lines of the messages of Gov. Stokes by Senators Hillery and Bradley. Mr. Hillery declared that the proposed change is desired by the people who have long demanded, as the courts have declared, the Assembly District method invalid because of its being in conflict with the organic law of the State, that the necessary means shall be taken to secure the change under the constitution as at present worded.

"The desirability of the passage of this proposed amendment is so apparent," Senator Hillery said yesterday, "that it is not necessary at this day to discuss the reasons for it. The people understand it, they want it because they are convinced that it will provide the proper sort of representative government, and they should have it."

"The Legislature should take the necessary steps to place this question of Assembly districts before the people," Senator Bradley said. "There seems to be a strong popular demand for a change from the present system and the people should have their way. If we have mistaken the sentiment of the voters of the State in respect to this question we may safely leave it to them, for no amendment can be had to the State Constitution until as a final act the people themselves vote on it. I know there are some skeptics who believe the people are sometimes in error, but I am not one of them. I believe we can safely trust the people to do what is best for them and for the State."

Mrs. Fisher's Funeral.

The funeral of Mrs. Richard C. Fisher, who died Saturday night, was held at her late home on West Fourth street, yesterday afternoon. It was conducted by Rev. Dr. A. C. McCrea, pastor of the First M. E. church, of which Mrs. Fisher was a member. The only son of the deceased, George B. Fisher, of Denver, Col., was unable to be present and one of his intimate friends, John P. Meakin, of Salt Lake City, who is spending a short time in the East, represented him at the service. He rendered a solo, "Sunshine of My Soul" and recited "The Guard of Gethsemane." Interment was made at Hillside. Beside the son, George B. Fisher, of Denver, Mrs. Fisher leaves four daughters, Mrs. J. P. Gifford, Mrs. J. H. Leggett, Mrs. Victor Christofferson and Miss Anna L. Fisher. She is also survived by a sister, Mrs. J. M. Packer, of Norwich, Conn.

Traffic System Satisfactory.

The new traffic system inaugurated at the Eastbound railroad station by Mayor Fisk is working very satisfactory. All carriages and autos approaching the station with or for passengers enter from Park avenue and leave by the way of Fourth street. In this way there is no confusion and the possibility of accidents is reduced to a minimum.

Discussing Fire Appropriation.

The Councilmanic Fire Committee met Monday night and transacted routine business. There was also a discussion regarding the appropriation to be asked for the coming year, but no decision was reached. Another meeting will be held between now and the first part of March to determine the amount to be asked for.

LARGE GATHERING AT FUNERAL OF P. A. EMMONS

SERVICES CONDUCTED BY MASONIC BRETHREN.

With a large gathering of Masonic brethren included in the attendance, the funeral of Peter A. Emmons, who was one of the most prominent members of the order in this section, was held at his late home on Jackson avenue, yesterday afternoon. The house was filled almost to crowding and beside the fraternal order representatives there were many New York business men and local officials present. Large delegations came from Anchor Lodge, No. 149, F. and A. M., Jerusalem Chapter, No. 24, R. A. M., and Trinity Commandery, No. 17, K. T.

The opening part of the service was conducted by Rev. Dr. C. W. Parsons, pastor of Grace M. E. church, after which the officers of Anchor lodge took charge. The full Masonic ritual was carried out by Worshipful Master J. Travis Sutphen, Past Worshipful Master L. A. VanAlstyne and Chaplain Dr. E. M. Rodman. The members of the lodge participated. Many handsome floral tributes were presented by the organizations.

Interment was made at Hillside cemetery and only the commitment service took place. The pall bearers were George Nicholson, John Melick and Edward Squires, all connected with the United States Shirt and Collar Company, of New York, which Mr. Emmons represented; P. J. Young, a New Brunswick merchant, and Mayor Newton B. Smalley and H. W. Marshall.

COLONIAL SUPPER SERVED BY WOMEN

HELD BY THE FIRST BAPTIST YOUNG WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Under the auspices of the Young Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church, and for the benefit of home and foreign missions, a colonial supper was held in the Sunday-school room last night. The room was elaborately decorated with American flags and draperies, while the several tables were garnished with flowers and small banquet lamps.

One room was devoted to an exhibition of old articles, including quilts, warming pans, books and candle-sticks. These were owned by Miss Clara Denton, Miss Pauline Denton, Mrs. House and Miss Whitney, and they were in charge, explaining incidents in connection with them. One quilt exhibited was said to be 110 years old.

The general committee consisted of Miss Ada Fountain, president of the society; Mrs. Harold Serrell and Miss May Shreve. The decorating committee consisted of Miss Pauline Denton, Miss Kathryn Rocap, Miss Margaret Chambliss and Miss Bessie Flanders.

Those presiding at the various tables were Mrs. William A. Connor, Mrs. George A. Chapman, Mrs. J. B. Probasco, Miss Ida Yerkes, Mrs. John Peeke Reynolds, Mrs. Frank W. Jones, Mrs. Walter A. McGee, Mrs. Robert Lowry, Mrs. George White and Mrs. Morris Zook. These women were attired in the costumes of the colonial days, as was also these waitresses: Miss Helen Robins, Miss Margaret Chambliss, Miss Bessie Flanders, Miss Marion Rocap, Miss Kathryn Rocap, Miss Elizabeth McGee, Miss Mabelle Cubberly, Miss Corine Tennyson, Miss Josephine Serrell, Miss Marguerite Serrell, Miss Alice Drake, Miss Elsie Drake, Miss Annie Kinsman, Miss Carrie Demler and Miss Ada Fountain. Those who assisted in the kitchen included Mrs. George H. Robins, Mrs. Stephen W. VanHorn, Mrs. Walter C. Dobbins, Mrs. S. W. Dunning, Miss Edna Van Cleef, Mrs. B. J. Shreve, Miss Abbie VanCleef, Mrs. David Sutphen.

There was also a candy table, Mrs. W. B. Vail, Miss Carolyn Coombs and Miss Gladys Leland being in charge. It is expected that the society will net $50 for missions.

Brooks Carson In the Hospital.

Brooks Carson, of Belmont avenue, who fell out of a tree last summer and broke several bones in his arm and hand, is now under treatment at a Jersey City hospital. At the time of the accident it was not thought that any bones were broken, but later an X-ray examination disclosed that there were and that in knitting they were out of shape. Now an effort is being made to straighten the bones.

Death of Thomas E. Morris.

Thomas E. Morris, a prominent citizen of Freehold, died at his home on Monday after an illness of two years. He is survived by a wife and three sons, Linden and Nathaniel, of New York, and Edward Morris, of this city.

REMEDIAL JURY MEASURE

As Passed by Senate, Bill Includes Union and Seven Other Counties.

TWO-WEEK JURIES

Bill Introduced By Colby—Plan to Investigate Stone Road Construction.

After agreeing to adjourn for the week at the close of a single session yesterday, the Senate at Trenton settled down to business and cleared the calendar before adjournment.

The Colby bill remedying the blunder in the jury act of last year, and providing for two-week juries in Essex and Hudson counties, was passed after being amended so as to include Passaic, Bergen, Camden, Mercer and Union counties.

Senator Robbins made his maiden speech in the Senate in defense of his joint resolution to investigate the increased cost of stone road construction. He submitted figures to show that a road built in Burlington some years ago, at a cost of $40,000, would now cost $75,000, due to the fact that the cost of stone had abnormally increased, due, he believed, to the result of a combine which made the State and counties pay higher prices for stone than individuals.

Senator Lee, as a dealer in stone, said there was no necessity for the investigation, and remarked that it was increased wages for labor which raised the price. Senator Slizer told of exorbitant charges made in his county, and the resolution passed unanimously.

Other bills passed were the Plummer act, creating townships as a fire protection district, and the Frelinghuysen bill giving trustees appointed in Chancery the same control over estates as executors under a bill.

Fifteen bills were introduced in the Senate today, including four election reform bills, by Mr. Colby, similar to bills introduced last year. A joint resolution was introduced providing for the removal of the remains of the late General Philip Kearny to the National Cemetery at Arlington.

MAYOR FINANCE HEAD OF COUNTY COMMITTEE.

Andrew McCardell Chairman of Republican Outing Committee.

County Chairman Frank H. Smith, Factory Inspector Andrew McCardell, Councilman Herbert Buxton, Arthur Murphy and Robert E. Hall attended the meeting of the Union County Republican Executive Committee at Elizabeth last night. The most important business considered was the appointment of the various committees for the coming year, as follows:

Executive—Hamilton F. Kean, Robert J. Kirkland, Charles M. Codding, William H. Lawrence, James White. Finance—Charles J. Fisk, W. B. Parrot, Robert E. Hall, H. S. Fullerton, Dr. F. W. Westcott. Speakers and Halls—Corra N. Williams, Duncan W. Taylor, John Farrell, O. R. Graham, Joseph Cahill. Outing—Andrew McCardell, Edward Bauer, Herbert Buxton, S. Russling Ryno, W. A. Benbridge, Harry Pflug.

Immediately after the regular meeting, the outing committee met and decided to hold the annual outing at Witzel's Grove on Saturday, August 10, and the Steamer Isabelle has been engaged for the occasion.

NICARAGUA'S WAR.

Interest In It Here Because of Alfonso Zelaya.

Plainfielders have more than a general interest in the war that Nicaragua is waging against Honduras. President Zelaya, of Nicaragua, who is in command of the Nicaraguan troops, is the father of Alfonco Zelaya, for two years a student at Cedarcroft school and well known about town. General Zelaya's ambition is said to be back of the conflict.

It is declared that the ambition of President Zelaya is to establish a union of the States of Central America. His plan is to replace the present Presidents of these States by others favoring his project. He is trying to begin with Hondurus, which is considered the weakest of these countries. General Policarpo Bonilla, who was at one time President of Hondurus and who led the recent revolution in that country, is now in Costa Rica, presumably for the purpose of persuading that government to remain neutral. The government of Costa Rica is enforcing the existing statutes to prevent the arming and organizing of Nicaraguan "emigrados," or refugees, who are living in Costa Rica.

Business in both Honduraus and Nicaragua is paralyzed. The recruiting of men is causing heavy losses to the coffee planters. Last week Hondurus received a large consignment of war material.

MR. ACKERMAN SEEKS TO ESTABLISH CO. HOSPITALS

ANOTHER MEASURE PROVIDES FOR PAY OF PATIENTS IN ASYLUM.

Senator Ernest R. Ackerman introduced two measures yesterday, the first one providing that counties not having county hospitals may construct the same at a cost not exceeding $20,000 the money to be appropriated in the usual way.

The second measure amends the law regulating the admittance of patients into insane asylums, so that relatives able to pay for the maintenanct of patients will be required to do so, and preventing the confinement in asylums of persons who are not insane.

Senator Frelinghuysen introduced a bill yesterday, which provides for the appropriation of $15,000 for the expenses of a detail from the National Guard to be appointed to represent the State at the dedication of the McClellan Monument in Washington on May 2, 1907.

SENATOR'S DINNER A GREAT SUCCESS

F. O. BRIGGS AND D. S. VOORHEES ADMIRABLE HOSTS.

Everybody who is somebody in New Jersey politics, from Governor Edward C. Stokes to the youngest newspaper correspondent, was at the Trenton House, at Trenton, yesterday, enjoying the hospitality meted out by Senator-elect Frank O. Briggs and Daniel S. Voorhees, his successor as State Treasurer.

Good fellowship and congratulations for the two hosts were the order of the day, while the guests partook of the good things that took up every inch of the surface of the tables, which bore salads, lobster included, and seafood—in fact all that the lusty appetites of the legislators could demand was there.

Senator-elect Briggs and Treasurer-elect Voorhees were the centre of attraction. All the guests had cordial congratulations for them, and they themselves felt felicitated to know that they had had a joint reception which Congressmen present declared had discounted White House functions.

Governor Stokes was one of the first arrivals at the dinner, but he remained only half an hour after tendering his congratulations, as stress of official business prevented a longer stay.

Later in the afternoon, a delegation of legislators, headed by Senator John Hinchliffe, with other Democrats and Republicans, captured the Senator-elect and subjected him to a very pleasant experience. Placing a wreath of green on his head, they formed a ring about him and sang "Auld Lang Syne" and "He's a Jolly Good Fellow," as he modestly bowed his acknowledgements.

"Uncle Dan" Voorhees was not forgotten, either, in the round of pleasantries. Captain Lovett, the sergeant-at-arms of the Senate, also wore a crown of green after some of his friends had decamped with his brand new tile. It was late in the afternoon when the guest dispersed.

REV. DR. CHAMBLISS WILL SPEAK AT DEDICATION.

New Baptist Edifice Will Be the Scene of Three Days' Celebration.

Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss, pastor of the First Baptist church, will assist in the dedication of the new edifice of the First Baptist church at Rahway, which will be observed with elaborate services, beginning on Sunday. He will speak at the service to be held Sunday night. In the morning Rev. Dr. T. E. Vassar, of Elizabeth, will preach and the dedication will take place in the afternoon, when Rev. W. G. Fennell, of Newark, will speak.

On Monday night there will be addresses by the pastors of Rahway and former pastors of the church; Tuesday night, Rev. W. W. Giles, of Summit, and Wednesday night, Rev. Dr. Henry M. Sanders, of New York, will speak. It is expected that the Baptist churches of this city will be represented at the several services.

Pythians at Grand Lodge Session.

The annual Grand Lodge session of the Knights of Pythias began at Trenton today and will be continued tomorrow. The two local lodges are represented by Asa D. Pope, Philip Jahn, Walter L. Hetfield, Jr., Elmer D. Cutting and Morgan Turton for Perseverance, No. 74, and Harry Werner for Unity, No. 102. The election of Grand Lodge officers and other business will be transacted.

Miss Etta Raybert, of East Second street, is visiting Mrs. Emma Starr Kirch at Tarrytown-on-the-Hudson.

A TUBERCULOSIS EXHIBIT

To Be Shown Here For A Week Beginning March 4.

MODEL TENT ADDED

Store In Stirling Building Will Be the Scene of the Exhibit—Trained Nurse In Charge.

The exhibit of the method to be used in handling tuberculosis cases prepared by the State Board of Health for display in cities and towns all over the State will be shown here the week beginning March 4. The Tuberculosis Society, of this city, organized last year to take part in the general campaign against the disease, will meet tonight to arrange for the exhibit.

A model of the tent used in the experiment conducted on the Casino grounds with the Michael Muldowney case will be shown. It will be made a regular part of the exhibit. Besides the tent will be shown apparatus, schedules of diet, arrangements for blanketing the patient and literature. A trained nurse will be in charge to explain the exhibit which will be installed in the vacant store in the Stirling building, Park avenue. Health Officer Thurlow, who is secretary of the Tuberculosis Society, will assist the nurse in carrying on the exhibit.

The display is part of an organized crusade of tuberculosis education that is being carried on by the State health board. The Tuberculosis Society of this city, of which Dr. B. VanD. Hedges is president, is actively helping in the work.

MR. AND MRS. C. EGEL FIFTY YEARS MARRIED.

Surrounded by Their Eight Children Couple Celebrate Event.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Egel, of Lincoln, celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding at their home, last night. Relatives and friends to the number of fifty gathered, including five sons and three daughters. There was an evening of general sociability, interspersed with piano selections by Miss vonMindern, of New Market; vical solos by the Misses Margaret and Emma Egel, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Egel.

The couple received a large collection of gifts, including cut-glass, goldware, money and many other useful articles. They were also the recipients of hearty congratulations from all.

Mr. Egel is a native of Germany. He came to this country when a young man, locating near his present place of residence and was married there. He acquired considerable property, portions of which he afterward sold to the New Jersey Central, the Lehigh Valley Railroad and the Standard Oil Company for the extension of its pipe line from the oil fields.

The couple have eight children, five sons, Dr. Chauncey Egel, of Westfield; Fred and John Egel, of Philadelphia; Bernie Egel, of this city; Paul Egel, of Bound Brook; the Misses Margaret and Emma Egel, of Lincoln, and a married daughter living in Newark. Mr. Egel has only one brother living, George Egel, of Somerset street. All of the children attended the celebration.

Fencing Class.

The Camera Club voted to organize a fencing class at a meeting on Monday night. Lawyer L. A. Clement, who is an expert with the foils, will have charge of the class to begin with. As the fencers become familiar with the game a professional fencing master will be retained to carry them on into the expert moves.

Powlison Plans Meetings.

The noonday shop meetings which are now being held in New York under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. are under the direction of Charles F. Powlison, formerly of Plainfield, and now religious secretary of the West Side Young Men's Christian Association. The meetings are having great success.

Seegar's Trial Off.

George Seegar was to rave been put on trial in the Union County Court today on the charge of larceny and felonious assault committed at the jewelry store of Leo Slonim on West Front street last November, but through his counsel, S. S. Swackhamer, Esq., the case was put off for the term.

Will Probated.

The will of Catherine Carney, who lived in Dunellen, was admitted to probate in New Brunswick yesterday. Dr. A. H. Dundon is executor. F. J. Blatz is counsel for the estate.

Oysters at Mt. Pleasant.

An oyster supper will be held at the Mt. Pleasant chapel, Friday night. The committee has mapped out an enjoyable programme.

CENTRAL OFFICIALS INSPECT STATIONS

VISITED PLAINFIELD YESTERDAY—GOING OVER ENTIRE ROAD.

Officials of the New Jersey Central are making a tour of inspection over the entire road, this week, traveling in the special car "Central" drawn by the observation engine No. 900. Those in the party include General Superintendent C. W. Huntington, General Passenger Agent W. C. Hope, Chief Engineer Joseph O. Osgood, Division Superintendent E. E. Kerwin, Passenger Trainmaster Chas. H. English, General Baggage Agent F. B. Greenwalt, General Advertising Agent Arthur Tomalin, District Passenger Agent I. E. Whyte, of Asbury Park; District Passenger Agent C. K. Armstrong, of Newark, and Superintendent of Telegraph F. H. Sherman, of this city.

All the stations from Communipaw to Perth Amboy were visited yesterday, including those on the Sound shore branch to Chrome and the South Branch from Somerville to Flemington. Other stations on the main line visited yesterday afternoon were Bound Brook, Dunellen, Findere and Garwood. The stations from Elizabeth to Plainfield were inspected this morning and the officials then visited the stations west of Somerville, including the High Bridge brannch. They will probably stop tonight at Allentown and tomorrow and Friday will be spent in going over the company's lines in Pennsylvania. A trip will then be made over the New Jersey Southern Division.

MANY WOMEN MEET TO DISCUSS Y. W. C. A.

MISS SNIDER EXPLAINS PROPOSITION TO GATHERING AT WARREN CHAPEL.

In the interest of the movement to organize a Young Women's Christian Association in Plainfield, a public meeting was held in Warren chapel last night. There was a large attendance of women, including many of wealth and influence who will lend their support and assistance in the matter. Miss Snider, one of the travelling secretaries of the association, has been in town several days calling on women who are likely to be interested in the formation of an association. She was present at the meeting and spoke at some length.

Rev J. O. McKelvey, pastor of the chapel, was in charge of the meeting and after conducting the opening exercises, he introduced Miss Snider. She told of the objects of the association which are for the social and physical development of its members and instruction in millinery, the arts, dressmaking, bookkeeping, stenography and other commercial courses. Of course, Miss Snider explained, the association is chiefly intended for the advancement of religious principles, Bible study. There are two classes of membership--active and associate. The active members are expected to be Christians and naturally identified with some church. The associate members need not be Christians, and they have all privileges except that of voting. There is also a junior department for girls under fifteen years. Their dues are fifty cents a year, while the dues for others are $1 a year, with extra fees for membership in the commercial and industrial classes and gymnasium.

Miss Snider explained that she had just organized an association at Camden with a membership of 600. A property was purchased and about $3,300 was raised, $1,000 of which was paid on the place and the balance put in the treasury. She said that she did not favor starting an association with less than 300 members. After her talk Miss Snider answered a number of questions put to her by those particularly interested.

A conference will be held at the home of Mrs. Frederick G. Mead, "Sunnyside," East Front street, on Thursday afternoon, February 28, at 4 o'clock, when Miss Snider and others will speak.

Endorse Local Option Bill.

The Men's Club of the Congregational church at its regular meeting on Tuesday, Feb. 5, passed the following resolution: "Resolved, That we endorse the Local Option bill to be introduced into the Legislature by the Anti-Saloon League, and urge their representatives to give the same their careful attention and strong support. It is further resolved, that the secretary, Sidney Dunning, forward copies of this resolution to the members representing Union and Somerset counties."

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POLICE BOARD AGREES ON NEW APPOINTMENTS

Chris. Frederickson For Captain, John Flynn, Sergeant, and Herbert Overbaugh for Detective-Sergeant.

HIGGINS, ROUNDSMAN

Such Is the Slate Made At Board Meeting—Common Council to Act On Monday Night.

When the Common Council meets on Monday night it will receive a communication from Mayor Charles J. Fisk containing a list of nominations for police department promotions. These are the lucky men slated:

For captain, Sergeant Christian Frederickson.

For sergeant, Roundsman John Flynn.

For detective-sergeant, Patrolman Overbaugh.

For roundsman, Patrolman Morris Higgins.

These appointments were agreed upon at a meeting of the Police Board on Monday night. After wrestling with the subject for fully two hours and a half, the board in session at the mayor's office, arranged with Mr. Fisk, who by virtue of his office is a member of that body, that these nominations should be passed up to the city fathers for confirmation.

The original list presented to the Common Council and then withdrawn by the Mayor was made up in this fashion: Captain, Christian Frederickson; sergeant, John Flynn; detective-sergeant, Florence J. McCarthy. It developed at the meeting that the appointments had not come before the Police Board for approval, and at the request of the Mayor, Councilman Frank Randolph obtained permission to withdrawn them.

A Daily Press man attempted to interview Mayor Fisk last night regarding the action of the Board in revising the list, but His Honor refused to discuss the subject. "I have absolutely nothing to say about this matter," he declared. "The fact is I am considering the matter and will make up my mind this week, but I will have nothing whatever to say until after I have communicated with the Common Council. I will neither confirm nor deny any question you may put to me."

BIG PRAYER MEETING.

Interdenominational Gathering Planned by Congregational Mission Association.

An interdenominational prayer meeting was planned at the monthly meeting of the Women's Missionary Association of the Congregational church yesterday afternoon. It will be held at the Congregational church February 28. Mrs. Curtis Bates will lead. The association has invited all the home missionary societies in the city to take part in it.

A paper by Mrs. J. M. Whiton on Porto Rico and the Congregational missions there was read by Mrs. C. L. Goodrich. Mrs. Whiton is attending a missionary conference in Washington. Mrs. Goodrich has travelled through Porto Rico.

The meeting was marked by a solo by Mrs. Thomas McDonald. Refreshments were served.

Moving Picture Show.

On Washington's Birthday, afternoon only, at 3:30 o'clock, for the benefit of the Y. M. C. A., D. W. Robertson's moving picture company will appear at the Y. M. C. A. hall with the best programme that has ever been given. All the pictures will be entirely new. In addition screaming comedy entitled "Society." By request "Robin," the comedy juggler, will also appear again. Seats now on sale at Hodge's drug store and at Y. M. C. A.

Public Library Class.

In another column appears an advertisement for Public Library helpers. It has been the custom for some years for the Public Library to train its own helpers, thus giving an excellent opportunity of learning approved library methods, etc., and later, when vacancy arises, of entering the library as a member of the regular staff. ***

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36x72 Daghestan Rugs—a rare opportunity at this price—$9.50 value, for	$7.49
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9x12 Kishmir Rugs, Oriental colorings and designs; reversible; $11.98 value for (This Week Only.)	$10.49
8.3x10.6 Brussels Rugs, the rugs that wear; $13.00 value, for	$11.27
9x12 Handsome Brussels Rugs, $15.00 value for	$13.49
9x12 Hartford Brussels, new patterns, $19.98 value, for	$15.63
6x9 Axminster Rugs, floral and Oriental, standard quality, $15.50 value, for	$12.24
8.3x10.6 Smith Axminster, a big variety, the pick of a large line, $22.00 value, for	$19.13
9x12 Regular Axminster; the quality here is the best; $24.50 value, for	$20.13
9x12 Axminster Rugs, slightly mismatched, excellent quality, $22.00 value, for	$16.89
9x12 Kymric Wilton Velvet, exquisite colorings, Oriental patterns, $45.00 value, for	$34.27
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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

The sneeze powder nuisance has invaded the trolley cars and several times during the past week passengers have had to endure the nuisance to satisfy the cravings of some of the weak minded who think the thing a joke. It is said the Public Service officials are laying for the jokers and the first one caught will be made an example of in order to abate the nuisance.

Everyone will want to attend the opening of Excelsior Hook and Ladder Company's three days' fair, which starts tomorrow night. The committee has decided to open the fair Washington's Birthday afternoon, so as to enable the residents to have a place where they can go and spend some of their money in a good cause.

Mrs. Stephenson, mother of Mrs. William T. Sharpe, was painfully injured several days ago by falling down the cellar stairs at her home on West Front street. Dr. Westcott was called and after examination found that no bones were broken, although her injuries will confine her to her home for some time.

Tomorrow afternoon at 1:30 the pupils of the public school will hold their Lincoln's and Washington's Birthday exercises in the assembly room of the building. The parents and friends are invited to enjoy the exercises with the school.

Hardly a day passes but what some narrow escape is reported by the coasters on Spencer's Hill. The road bed is a solid glare of ice; this with the sharp turns and water breakers on the hill makes the hill a dangerous coasting spot.

Miss Mamie Merceirs, of West Fourth street, Plainfield, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Merceirs, of Grand street.

School closes tomorrow afternoon and will not reopen again until Monday morning at 9 o'clock.

NORTH BRANCH.

Mr. and Mrs. David DuMont, of Bedminster, and Mr. DuMont's sister, Mrs. Scudder, of New Paltz, N. Y., have gone to Arapako, Okla., to spend two weeks with Rev. and Mrs. Marian T. Conklin. Mr. Conklin was years ago pastor of the Reformed church in Whitehouse.

The King's Messengers' Mission Society of Millstone has elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, Miss Genevieve B. Wyckoff; vice president, Miss E. Gertrude Nevius; secretary, Miss Annie French.

Rev. Dr. Blocker, of New Brunswick, preached as a candidate in the Reformed church at Bedminster Sunday. A congregational meeting will be held there this afternoon for the purpose of selecting a pastor.

Arrangements are being made for the opening of two rural free delivery routes from the Neshanic Station Postoffice in the spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Williams have returned from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bunn, at Rahway.

The Ladies' Association will hold a sociable in the chapel of the Reformed church tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard S. Cramer and son have been visiting relatives in Pluckemin.

Raymond Codington has returned from a visit in Dover.

WHITEHOUSE.

Rev. John T. Scott, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Lamington, will go to Liberty Corner next Monday night to speak at the quarterly meeting of the Christian Endeavor Local Union, which will be held in the church there. Rev. J. T. Sproull, of Newark, the State president, will also make an address.

Miss Eva Make is teaching the scholars of the public school at Pottersville during the absence of Professor Guy H. Rentschler, who was called to Ringtown, Pa., because of the severe illness of his sister.

About fifty young people of Potterstown and vicinty congregated at the home of Lucas A. Voorhees the other night, the gathering being a surprise party. Games, dancing and music afforded amusement.

Rev. and Mrs. Henry T. Jones, of Whitehouse Station, went to Somerville yesterday to visit friends. While there Mr. Jones attended the regular monthly meeting of the Raritan Ministerial Association.

Miss Mae B. Petty, formerly of East Orange, and Frederick W. Dealaman, of Martinsville, will be married next Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Van Doren, near Readington.

Miss Lillian Simons, of Gladstone, entertained her Sunday-school teacher and class Saturday evening, in honor of her birthday. Twelve guests were present. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Conover, of Readington, have been entertaining George S. Dalley, of Pleasant Run, and Charles Wyckoff, of Reaville, with their families.

Mr. and Mrs. William T. Apgar and daughter, Miss Lenola Apgar, of Readington, have returned from a visit to Mrs. M. H. Hann at High Bridge.

Mrs. John I. Mills, of Pottersville, has returned home after spending some time with relatives in Brooklyn.

Miss Eleanor Sutphen, of Hopewell, is visiting her cousin, Miss Dorothea Latourette, at Readington.

Mrs. George E. Sovereign, of Pottersville, is home, after a visit to relatives at Rahway.

Mrs. Henry Anthony, of Peapack, is suffering from a stroke of paralysis.

WESTFIELD.

Commencing with last night special services will be held at Willow Grove chapel each evening until Saturday. Rev. W. S. Stearns will conduct the services Thursday and Friday evenings.

The work of removing the stock from the old copper works at Garwood is about completed. Foreman Englehart will commence the work of taking down the buildings at once.

Westfield Library Commission now announces that it expects to have the library in shape to give out books by April 1. Most of the old books are now in the hands of the bookbinder.

Earl A. Merrill will lecture on "Faith and Reason in Religion" at the Congregational church here tonight.

BOUND BROOK.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Staats have been entertaining Mrs. Staats' sister and her daughter, Mrs. Reynolds and Miss Mildred Reynolds, of Easton, Pa., at their home in Elizabeth street, South Bound Brook.

Bahler Straungman, of North Branch, was entertained over Sunday at the home of his aunt, Mrs. S. Howard Williamson, in Elizabeth street, South Bound Brook.

Mrs. Adam Zimmerman and daughter, Miss Sadie Zimmerman, of Main street, South Bound Brook, spent Sunday with friends in Plainfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernst Miller, of South Bound Brook, were guests Sunday at the home of Mrs. Miller's parents in Henry street, Elizabeth.

Mrs. William Schenck, of South Bound Brook, is visiting friends in Elizabeth.

SOMERVILLE.

Rev. Charles Fiske, rector of St. John's Episcopal church, is at home again, after a six weeks' trip to the Pacific coast, where he has been holding evangelistic services.

Joseph Thompson, of Millington, spent Sunday with his brother, Lewis A. Thompson, of West Cliff street.

Mrs. Emil Reiderer, of Dover, who had been a guest of Mrs. Albert Case on West High street, returned to her home yesterday.

Mrs. George Sanborn, of Bridge street, who is abroad for three months, has reached Spain.

Mrs. George Thompson entertained the History Club at her home on High street yesterday afternoon.

Wire Tappers Got $350,000.

New York, Feb. 20.—Baited by promises that he could make a million dollars in a day, William F. Walker, the absconding treasurer of New Britain (Conn.) Savings Bank, fell into the net of the shrewdest band of wire tappers in the country and lost $350,000. On his first vist to their fake pool room in Twenty-eighth street he lost $110,000, and on the second and last visit $240,000. He made the risk after he had already lost heavily in wildcat mining speculation and proved easy prey for the sharpers who "discovered" him in a downtown bucket shop. Details of the swindle, which excels in cleverness and the amount involved any wire tapping game ever worked in this country, were disclosed yesterday to Pinkerton detectives and an immediate search was instituted for the sharpers. Regular police detectives also scoured the city, but only to find that one of the wire tappers is in Europe and that the three others fled several days ago to various parts of the country.

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Mrs. Julia Hynes, of 523 Sixth street, Plainfield, N. J., says: "For nearly a year I was suffering with a severe pain in the loins, or what is generally called backache. I was also afflicted with a stiffness or lameness of the limbs and the kidney secretions were highly colored and contained some sediment. Any remedies that I took to clear up the kidney secretions and rid me of my aches and pains did me apparently no good or benefit. I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills doing so much for people suffering as I was, and began using them, getting a supply at Randolph's drug store. Though at first I saw no change in my condition, I soon began to have less pain in my back and my limbs were not stiff any more. I kept right on with the pills and took them several months, with the result that they cured me of my trouble and I am glad to endorse them."

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CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The Junior Society of the First Baptist church will meet Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

The Epworth League of the First M. E. church will hold a business and social meeting in Vincent chapel Friday night.

Rev. E. G. Browers, of Christ church, Elizabeth, will be the special preacher at St. Stephen's church on Friday night.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church will hold a chicken supper in the church tomorrow night.

The Young Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will hold its annual meeting in the church Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Rev. George A. Warner, rector of the Church of the Holy Cross, will preach Sunday morning on "Pride—Humility," the first of the special Lenten sermons.

Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson, rector of Grace church, who has been visiting in Canada, has returned and will preach the first Lenten sermon at the church tonight at 8 o'clock.

Under the auspices of Ebenezer Baptist church a variety concert will be given in Reform Hall, tomorrow night. A fine programme has been arranged under the direction of the pastor, Rev. P. T. Morris.

The Sunshine Mission Band of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church which is preparing a number of useful articles to be sent to home and foreign mission fields, will hold a sewing meeting in the chapel of the church this afternoon.

Rev. Mr. Short, of the Mission House, Trenton, minister in charge of the Church of the Heavenly Rest, will conduct all of the Lenten services at the church, including those during the week and the special services on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

The cantata, "Love and Praise," by West, to be given at the First M. E. church Sunday night, March 3, is considered one of the best works by this favorite composer. Its rendition will occupy the entire evening. In the afternoon the cantata will be given in the Presbyterian church, Westfield, by the combined choirs of the First M. E. and Westfield churches. J. Edmund Skiff will be in charge of the renditions.

CLEVELAND MAY RETIRE AS A PUBLIC SPEAKER.

Former President Non-Committal—Delegation to Accompany Him To Chicago.

Princeton, Feb. 20.—The address to be delivered before members of the Union league, Chicago, Washington's Birthday, by former President Cleveland, may be the last public speech the only living ex-president of the United States will make. It has been rumored that Mr. Cleveland would discontinue appearing before the public as a speaker after February 21, but when seen last evening the former president was non-committal, remarking: "I am not prepared to say this positively. There is nothing else that I can say."

A delegation of members of the league will come to Princeton to accompany Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland to Chicago. Elaborate arrangements are being made by the league for the occasion and for the entertainment of the speaker and Mrs. Cleveland.

SEEK CORDOVA'S PARDON.

Petition Being Circulated by the Former Parishioners and Friends of Deposed Minister.

New Brunswick, Feb. 20.—H. B. Cook, who defended Rev. J. F. Cordova when the South River minister eloped with Miss Julia Bowne, a member of his choir in the South River Baptist church, said yesterday that a petition was being circulated for Cordova's pardon. Mr. Cook said that the movement originated among parishioners and friends of Cordova who felt that he had been treated with undue severity. It did not originate with his relatives.

The petition, Mr. Cook said, was being circulated in New Brunswick and South River, and would be presented to the Court of Pardons at the next session. Mr. Cook declined to give any information as to the people circulating the petition other than to say they were well known and of influence in the community.

Trenton Monument Fund Grows.

Trenton, Feb. 20.—It has been estimated that between $6,000 and $7,000 will be added to the Mercer county sailors' and soldiers' monument fund as the result of the ball and a fair which closed in the Second Regiment Armory Saturday night. The new City Hall Commission has offered a place in front of the proposed municipal building for the monument, which will result in a considerable saving in the cost. The fund now amounts to $12,000, and $15,000 is the estimated cost of the memorial.

Clubhouse for Elizabeth Eagles.

Elizabeth Aerie, No. 667, Fraternal Order of Eagles, is about to purchase old Grand Army Hall on East Jersey street, near First street, Elizabethport, and will convert it into a clubhouse. The building was erected by popular subscription many years ago as a home for Judson Kilpatrick Post No. 67, G. A. R., which owns the property. An addition was made to the building several years ago.

LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

Kyrle Bellew has at last found a play which he regards as a better vehicle for his talents than was "Raffles." It is "A Marriage of Reason," by J. Hartley Manners, in which Mr. Bellew will return to the New Plainfield theatre tonight. Mr. Bellew has the role of an English Earl who makes a financial marriage with a fascinating American girl who ultimately compels his love after many moving incidents in aristocratic circles abroad.

In giving to the public a drama that deals with the subject of capital and labor, Charles Klein has reached a goal that dramatists hitherto have not dared to try for. In his latest play, "The Daughters of Men," which will be at the New Plainfield theatre Washington's Birthday, afternoon and night, Mr. Klein has treated of this great subject of the bitter struggle between capital and labor, and so carefully and skillfully has he treated this subject that prominent labor leaders throughout the country have predicted that this drama may be the means of solving this question—a question that has been in the minds of the masses of this country for generations.

It is seldom that a play meets with the universal endorsement of managers, theatregoers and the press in general on its initial production, but an exception last season was that of "My Wife's Family," the combined efforts of two progressive and well known players, Hay Stephens and Harry Linton. This merry laugh producer was an instantaneous hit, having return dates in many cities by special request. It is in three acts filled with catchy musical numbers of original theme, while the comedy lines are all bright and new. The company presenting the comedy, interpreting the three acts of fun and music, is one of the best entour, while the costuming and stage setting and electrical and mechanical effects are correct in every detail. There are two dozen musical numbers, all of the whistling order, to be heard in "My Wife's Family," which will be presented here at the New Plainfield theatre Saturday afternoon and night.

—Abram Kunzman, of the West End, who recently purchased the flats at Central avenue and West Second street, will soon award the contracts for extensive improvements in the building, both inside and out.

—Captain George Benn, of the Mission Yacht Association, of Brooklyn, who has been in town several days in the interest of his work, has returned home. While here he received a number of subscriptions for his work, and promises of much literature.

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—The Sesame Club will meet tomorrow morning at the residence of Mrs. J. H. Doane, 423 East Seventh street.

—The Union County Board of Freeholders will meet at the Court House, Elizabeth, on Thursday, March 7, in regular session.

PERSONAL.

Rev. Mr. Francis, formerly of this city, is visiting in town for a few days.

W. C. LaRue, of East Second street, has recovered from a short illness.

Captain Winn, of the Jackson building, has recovered from a severe illness.

Miss Mary Dunham, of West Front street, has been visiting relatives at Raritan.

Miss Mary Jahn, of the local telephone office, has recovered from a slight illness.

Miss Anna May Campbell, of Grove street, has been entertaining company from Massachusetts.

Mr. and Mrs. Kanen, of West Sixth street, have been entertaining Chas. Goldacher, of Syracuse, N. Y.

Mrs. Harry Auten, of Somerville, has returned home after a visit with her parents on Central avenue.

Miss Agnes Brown, of the West End, who has been visiting relatives in Brooklyn, has returned home.

Miss Florence Smalley, of East Front street, who has been detained at home by illness, is much improved.

F. E. Kinsman, of Sherman avenue, left Plainfield yesterday for a business trip to Pittsburg and Washington.

George H. Webber, of West Front street, who fell a few days ago and received slight injuries, is able to be around again.

Rev. D. W. S. Hubbell, of Central avenue, who has been spending several days in New York, has returned to his home here.

Harry McGee, of Orchard place, the borough, who underwent an operation on Monday for appendicitis, is improving slowly.

Mrs. Coddington, of Martinsville, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. John G. Bicknell, of South avenue, has returned home.

Frank Neal, formerly of this city, but now of New York, has been spending several days with his parents on West Front street.

Mrs. Scribner, mother of Charles Scribner, of Myrtle avenue, the borough, is detained at home with a severe attack of the rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. W. DeLaR. Anderson, of Washington Valley, who have been stopping in New York with Mrs. Anderson's parents, have returned to their home.

Miss Pauline Denton, of Washington avenue, will entertain a company of friends at her home Friday night in honor of her guest, Miss Trippency, of Brooklyn.

In honor of their fifth wedding anniversary a company of thirty-five friends and relatives surprised Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Shotwell, of Fairview avenue, Monday night.

Miss Wildey, superintendent at Muhlenberg Hospital, who has been enjoying a month's vacation, is expected to return home March 1. She has been visiting various places of interest and during her absence Miss Venner has filled her place.

In a recent issue of the magazine supplement to the Sunday New York Times there appeared a picture of Mrs. Frank L. Schoonmaker, formerly of this city, together with those of several other prominent New York society women.

CHILD'S LEGS CUT OFF; FATHER AWARDED $10,000.

Orange and Passaic Valley Trolley Company Admits Its Liability to That Amount.

Newark, Feb. 20.—Ten thousand dollars' damages was the verdict given by jury in the Circuit Court Monday by direction of Judge Adams in favor of Carolina Generosa, three years old, whose legs were cut off above the knees by a trolley car in Orange on May 15. The defendant was the Orange & Passaic Valley Street Railway Company. The verdict was reached after counsel had come to an agreement, the trolley company admitting its liability to the amount of $10,000. The amount named in the papers was twice that sum.

The announcement that the case had been settled out of the court was made as the trial was about to be began. In the arms of her father the child, still wan and weak from the effects of the accident, was taken into court. Before directing that a verdict according to the terms of the agreement be decided on Judge Adams requested counsel to ascertain whether the amount named was satisfactory to the father. Learning that it was, the court gave instruction to the jury.

A Republican Tribute.

James E. Martine has admitted that if the Gubernatorial nomination is forced upon him by the Democracy next fall, he will accept it. History in the case of the farmer orator is almost sure to repeat itself. When duty calls, with danger of defeat, he is never found wanting. But that seems to be about the only time he is wanted by his party.—Newark News.

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As soon as the casting cools, which will be anywhere from twelve to sixteen days, workmen will begin the task of trimming off the rough edges. This is no easy matter, and it will take some days.

In conversation with a newspaperman Monday afternoon one of the officials of the firm said that they often made castings from fourteen to thirty-five tons, but that he did not think that many firms made them as heavy as fifty tons.

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POSTPONE KELLY'S TRIAL.

Police Captain's Hearing Halted by Illness of Commissioner.

Jersey City, Feb. 20.—Summing up in the case of Captain John F. Kelly, of the Second Precinct, who has been on trial for alleged failure to close policy shops and pool rooms in his precinct, was last night postponed by the Police Board to Thursday night.

Captain Charles Cox, of the First Precinct, now awaiting trial on the same charge, will probably be retired at his own request, as it is understood his application is to go before the Police Board at its next session. He is the only Fagan captain in the department, and his suspension caused considerable comment at the time it occurred.

Sergeant Michael Reardon, of the Second Precinct, who was suspended pending the disposition of a charge against him of destroying a signal-box record too soon, and was told to return to duty, pending the further consideration of his case, is still suspended. After Theodore Bierck, president of the Police Board, had informed Reardon that he might report for duty he was again suspended.

College President to Wed.

New York, Feb. 20.—Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia University, is to wed Miss Kate La Montagne. Announcement of their engagement was made yesterday to intimate friends by Mrs. Auguste La Montagne, the bride-elect's mother. Miss La Montagne is a daughter of the late Auguste La Montagne, of this city and Paris. Mrs. La Montagne and her two daughters, one of whom is Mrs. Francis Key Pendleton, have been living in New York for the last fifteen years, and here, as well as in Paris, have been identified with leaders of society.

Supposed Boarders Were Thieves.

Cranford, Feb. 20.—Two men called at Mrs. John Howe's house, on Twentieth street, Kenilworth, Saturday afternoon, and engaged board, saying they were going to work yesterday in the Meyer leather factory. They remained in the rooms long enough to gather up several suits of clothing belonging to the other boarders, and then left. The police of Roselle and Cranford have been notified to look out for them.

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NEW EXCISE MEASURES IN THE LEGISLATURE

DEMOCRATIC MEMBERS CONFER ON AMENDMENTS TO BISHOPS' LAW

There was a conference of the Democratic members of the Legislature at Trenton on the excise bills yesterday afternoon. Senator Silzer, of Middlesex, presented to the conference his Bishops' law amendments. They did not receive the support many of the Democrats believed they deserved.

The amendments relieve the landlord from liability with the tenant when the acts committed by the tenant are unknown to the landlord; make women drink at the bar, if they want to drink in saloons; abolish the back room; relieve the tenant from the Bishops' law feature which forbids the sale of saloon property and license to aliens of the State, and abolishes the Bishops' law provision that the excise boards and judges of the Common Pleas Courts order the screens drawn during the prohibited hours.

These features sought to be amended are the prohibitions of the Bishops' law on which the interdenominational committee is standing "pat."

Mr. Morris, of Sussex, who believes there should not be any excise legislation this season, said in the conference that he would rather the amendments to the Bishops' law should be submitted in separate bills. There is to be an attempt made next Monday night to make the Silzer bill a caucus amendment of the Democrats.

The long-expected Local Option bill made its appearance in the House yesterday, being introduced by Assemblyman Buck, of Cumberland, at the instance of the Anti-Saloon League of New Jersey. It is the same as the measure of this nature introduced last winter, with the exception that it goes a little further and permits municipalities to vote by wards on the question of having or not having saloons. It is somewhat of a coincidence that both local option bills should come from Cumberland county and that both should be fathered by Assemblyman Buck.

Assemblyman Miller, Mr. Buck's associate last winter, was to have stood sponsor then for the Local Option bill, but he was kept home by the death of his wife at the time, and Mr. Buck took his place. That measure failed of passage, and this measure is likely to meet the same fate. The Democratic majority of the House is opposed to temperance reform of any kind and has the votes to defeat this measure. Even the Republicans are somewhat fearful of so radical a measure.

Protected Crookedness.

New York, Feb. 20.—Paying the police for protection, a band of Western pickpockets, hold-up men, and all-around "crooks," which recently swooped down on New York, has established headquarters in the Tenderloin, and is now carrying on operations on cross town cars on a bigger scale than ever before known. More skilful and daring than any set of criminals the police have had to deal with in years, these newcomers from the West are permitted to play their craft unmolested. Nightly in two of their rendezvous in the heart of the Tenderloin they mingle in friendliest terms with detectives who are detailed to hunt them down and stories of "big hauls" and "tough days" are bandied about with as much freedom as if every detective or policeman were an accomplice instead of foe. Ten dollars a week is the average assessment, although quite a few pay less. David Simons, a hold-up man and general worker, pays each week $10, with the understanding that he will not be disturbed. He served two years in Philadelphia and is now wanted in Chicago for jumping a bail bond. Phoenix, Ariz., also wants him. While these facts must be known to the police, he is permitted to ply his calling in New York, and the only things required of him are that he be not too Western in his methods and come up every week with $10.

Frozen to Lamp Post.

New York, Feb. 20.—Policeman Adams, of the East Twenty-second street station, found an aged man leaning against a lamp post at Fifteenth street and Avenue A Monday morning moaning bitterly. Dr. Lewis toik the man to Bellevue Hospital, where it was found that his feet, ears, nose and hands were frost bitten. The skin had been torn from the palms of both hands where the man had pressed them against the post in an effort to support himself. He said he was Max Sperlinger, of No. 106 Lexingtin avenue.

Martine a Good Loser.

James E. Martine, the "Farmer Orator" of New Jersey, enjoys the distinction of having been the candidate for his party—the Democratic—for almost every office in his county and Senate district for the last thirty years, without ever having won. Mr. Martine, who was defeated for Congress at he last election, was the Democratic choice for United States Senator to succeed Mr. Dryden. He is now spoken of as the Democratic candidate for Governor next fall.—New York Tribune.

—A Washington's Birthday dinner will be given at Truell Court on Friday night.

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Prices—25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50.

Thursday, February 28,

Treasurer Sam Cunningham's Benefit

HAPPY HOOLIGAN

With Joe Sullivan and 40 Others.

Ill With Asthma, Ends Life.

New York, Feb. 20.—Ill with asthma, Henry Gottlieb, of No. 1,024 Halsey street, who had a law office at No. 132 Nassau street, Manhattan, killed himself yesterday by sending a bullet into his right temple. Recently he told his wife and four children that he did not believe he would recover.

HOLIDAY ATTRACTIONS
February 22

Y.M.C.A. COURSE

Mendelssohn Concert Company

A Strong Musical and Literary Attraction.

Admission ..... 35 cents
Reserved seats ..... 50 cents

Matinee, 3 p. m.

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The latest moving pictures.

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Illustrated Lecture

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NORTH POLE

with

Commander Robt. E. Peary, U. S. N.

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MONDAY, MARCH 4,

New Plainfield Theatre 8.15 o'clock.

Tickets may be secured at drug stores. Reserved seats $1.00, 75c, 50c. Admission to Family Circle 25c.

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12-room house, all improvements, very central location; just the house for a doctor, dentist or boarding house. Price only $4,500.

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Next to the Station and next to bargain.

NOTICE.

All licenses granted by the City will expire March 1. All persons wishing to renew the same must make application to the City Clerk on or before Feb. 25. After March 1 no person will be allowed to carry on any business for which a license is required without securing one.

P. S. KIELY, Chief of Police.

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NOTICE OF ORDER TO LIMIT CREDITORS.

Somerset County Surrogate's Court.

Estate of James Armstrong, Deceased. Notice is hereby given, That on the eighteenth day of February A. D. 1907, on the application of the undersigned, as Administrator of the Estate of James Armstrong, deceased; an order was made by the Surrogate's Court, requiring the creditors of the said James Armstrong, deceased, to bring in their debts, demands and claims against the said decedent, under oath or affirmation, and present the same to the subscriber within NINE months from the date of said order; and in default thereof any such creditor shall be forever barred of his or her action therefor against the subscriber.

EUGENE M. LAING, Administrator.
146 Park Avenue,
2 20 10 w Plainfield, N. J.

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Illustrated Lecture by

Harriet Chalmers Adams

of California.

In Y. M. C. A. Hall, Tuesday, Feb. 26

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Recently returned after three years in Latin America; thrilling story of Dangers and Hardships. Absorbingly interesting. Instructive throughout. All seats 50c. Diagram at Hodge's Pharmacy. 2 18 3

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Youths' Suits and Overcoats, sizes 16, 17, 18 and 19 years. These garments are valued at from $10 to $16.50; are high grade make, in finest cut and fitting suits; some in Blue and Black Serges and Thibets. To be sold at

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SPECIAL!

Child's Suits in sizes 10, 11 and 12 years of age, in knickerbocker suits, worth up to $5.00; special at $2.24. Special Child's Suits in Double-breasted, plain pants, worth up to $5.00, ages from 8 to 15 years. To be sold at

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Child's Overcoats, sizes 3 to 8 years in Oxford, Blue and Mixed Goods, values up to $7.00; special at $1.99. Special—Youths' pants in 26 to 31 in waist, 27 to 30 inches length, strictly all wool and guaranteed finest class make and fit. To be sold at

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Because { It causes headaches, dizziness and pains in the back of the head.
It causes the temples to throb—the eyes to itch and burn.
It causes a sleepy, unnatural and tired feeling and — sickness.

Do you know What { Makes the memory of children at school so poor?
The professors in the great colleges are advocating glasses for?
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Children's 50c Toques for 39c. Men's black ½ Hose at 15c, 2 pr, 25c

Special sale of Back and Side Combs. Special sale of Table Linen and Towels.

NEWS IN THE SUBURBS

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

The funeral of William Laible will be held from his late home Friday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock. Mr. Laible was a member of Unity Lodge, K. of P., of Plainfield.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal church will hold a Washington's Birthday supper tomorrow night.

The Monday Night Club of the Methodist Episcopal church will hold an entertainment the night of February 28.

New pictures have been hung in the Whittier and Lincoln schools. They are all copies of famous masterpieces.

The bank will issue its own notes about March 1. The plates are being made in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wotton will move from Plainfield to the village in the near future.

The Presbyterian Foreign Missionary Society met at the home of Mrs. A. A. Lake.

Friendship Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. J. E. Meeker tomorrow afternoon.

John Randolph is nursing a sprained hand. It was hurt in ice-cutting.

A new well has been driven at the New Market school by George Giles.

The Athletic Club will hold a hare and hound chase on Friday.

L. L. Block has had a hardwood floor laid in his shop.

Jesse Ayers has purchased a house on North avenue.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

The young people getting up a play for the benefit of the church will soon begin their rehearsals. The play will be given sometime in March.

Thomas A. Linaberry has returned from Bloomsbury, after a short stay with his father, Dr. J. S. Linaberry.

Electric lights will be installed in the Baptist church next Saturday by Frank Randolph.

The last rehearsal of Mme. Jarley's Works will be held in Washington Hall tonight.

The local schools will be closed on Friday on account of Washington's Birthday.

(Additional suburban news on page 2).

CITY JOTTINGS.

—Scheuer & Co.'s store will be open until noon on Friday, Washington's Birthday.

—Paul R. Collier has written a new school song for the P. H. S. boys. It is being used to confound the opposition in all interscholastic contests.

—The Trenton True American, in speaking of Marguerite Smith Alkire, a member of the Mendelssohn Concert Company, the next Y. M. C. A. Star Course attraction, says: "Mrs. Alkire has a charming voice and immediately engrosses the attention of her audience. The change in her voice from the natural to the effected is most wonderful, and at first almost startling. In ranges her voice is unsurpassed." See Y. M. C. A. ad in another column.

—From the desert of Islay on the coast of Peru to the steaming jungle of the Upper Amazon is the territory covered by Harriet Chalmers Adams, the South American traveller, in her illustrated story of a journey in the Land of the Incas. Mrs. Adams is to appear at the Y. M. C. A. Hall Tuesday night, and the association plans to use the proceeds of the entertainment towards furnishing the game room. Mrs. Adams takes her audience far into the wilds of the savage country on the eastern slope of the Andes, into a land which she alone of civilized women has visited. Many beautiful color pictures illustrate this interesting story. Seats on sale at Hodge's drug store.

Four Dead In Train Wreck.

London, Ont., Feb. 20.—The International Express on the Grand Trunk, en route to Detroit, was wrecked in the yards here last night. It is reported that four people were killed.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

"PARACAMPH" For Inflammation

THE honest and convincing testimony of those who have used "Paracamph" is positive proof that it is unequalled as a specific for external inflammation. It cures burns, bruises or cuts and is a most effective remedy for chilblains. It instantly relieves pain, controls fever and prevents blood poisoning.

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WELCOME FOR DE ANGELIS.

Comedian Sure to Get a Big Reception Next Tuesday Night.

Jefferson De Angelis is sure of an enthusiastic welcome when he offers his latest success, "The Girl and the Governor," at the New Plainfield theatre next Tuesday night. As the amorous governor of a South American town in the sixteenth century, he has a role which affords him his best

Jeff De Angelis,
Who appears at the New Plainfield Theatre Next Tuesday Night in "The Girl and the Governor."

opportunities for displaying his rare ability as a comedian, singer and dancer. Two of his topical songs, "In the Land of the Free" and "Have You Ever Heard It Told That Way Before?"—he is compelled to respond to more encores than he has verses. The prima donna is Estelle Wentworth, prominent in "Dolly Varden," "Fantana," and other successes; Richie Ling is one of our very best lyric tenors; Anna Boyd is the contralto and Lillian Rhoades, the graceful little singing and dancing ingenue.

The company comprises sixty people, and the chorus is exceptionally strong. The scenic production is very elaborate. "The Girl and the Governor" as given here has been a great success in the large cities, and comes direct to Plainfield from the Manhattan theatre, New York.

TWO ILL, HAD NO FOOD.

Jersey City, Feb. 20.—Starving to death in a barn-like structure in the rear of 146 Beach avenue, James Owens, 70 years old, and his daughter, Mrs. Mary White, 45 years old, were found last night by Patrolman Duffy, of the Third Precinct.

They had not touched a particle of food for four days, and for a week prior to that their fare had consisted of a few crusts of bread.

They had not been seen by the neighbors for three days, and when found they were suffering from pneumonia as well as starvation. Both are in critical condition, and because of the old man's age his recovery is doubtful.

Two Lots

Opposite Netherwood Hotel, eighty-eight feet frontage, will be sold cheap for desirable improvement.

Lots, Rock Ave. and West Fourth Street, high ground overlooking new factory on Rock Avenue.

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THE VILLAGE CHOIRMASTER.
WM. N. RUNYON, Director.
50 Chorus of fifty young men and women in rube costume. 50
At HOPE CHAPEL
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Admission 25c.

$100 Two Elegant Upright Piano Bargains. $115
This week only, fully guaranteed Weber, Chickering, Decker bargains. We have the goods, and save you from $50 to $200. Why pay agents enormous profit. Call and be convinced. Hadley's, 315 West Front street. Open evenings

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Fancy India River Oranges, Tangerine Oranges, California Naval Oranges.

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Boston Head Lettuce, Celery, Green Beans, Cucumbers, Fresh Tomatoes, Rhubarb and Spinach.

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Corner Central Avenue and West Front Street. Opposite First Baptist Church.

DIED.

PRUGH—On Wednesday, Feb. 20, 1907, Mary, wife of John Prugh, in her 81st year.

Services at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. R. V. Kinney, 186 Somerset street, on Friday, February 22, at 3 p. m. Interment at Easton, Pa. Friends and relatives are invited. 2 20 2

LAIBLE—At Dunellen, N. J., February 19, 1907, William Laible, aged 44 years, 2 months, 4 days.

Funeral service at his late residence, Friday, February 22, at 2:30 p. m. Members of Unity Lodge, K. of P., No. 102, of Plainfield, respectfully invited.

SWENSON—At Stirling, N. J., Tuesday, February 19, 1907, Daniel Swenson, aged 71 years and 8 days.

Funeral at the Presbyterian church, Stirling, Friday afternoon, February 22, at 2 o'clock. Interment at Stirling. 2 20 2

COBBS—On Wednesday, Feb. 20, 1907, Nettie I., wife of Leslie M. Cobbs, in her 21st year.

Services at the home, 637 West Third street, on Friday, February 22, at 2:30 p. m. Interment at Hillside. 2 20 2

Townsend's Granite Works
Fourth and Richmond Streets.
Tel. 2214. Westfield trolley passes my office

Classified Advertisements

Rates for advertisements under this heading one cent a word for first insertion, one half a cent a word for consecutive insertions of the same advertisement running for less than one month; one month, fifty cents a line (6 words to a line), double rate for advertisement set in capitals.

No advertisements received for less than ten cents.

Copy for deaths and marriage notices and classified advertising accepted up to 2:30 p. m.

THE DAILY PRESS is not at liberty to give any information regarding advertisements that require an address in care of this office. Persons answering these ads. should mail or leave answers as stated in advertisements.

Help Wanted.

WANTED—Nurse maid for an infant, also invalid lady. 518 Belvidere avenue. 2 20 3

WANTED—Bright, smart young man of good appearance; 16 to 18 years old, in store. Address R., care Press. 2 20 3

WANTED — Competent chamber maid and waitress (white). Apply 1106 Park avenue. 2 20 3

GROCERY CLERK—Young man wanted; must have experience and reference. Apply M. B. Walker, Westfield. 2 20 3

WANTED — Two young women with a High School education, or its equivalent, for apprentice class at the Public Library. Apply between 2 5:30 p. m.

WANTED—White girl for general housework. Apply 514 Central Ave. 2 20 3

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework, in small family; good wages. Apply 73 Sandford Ave.

WANTED — Experienced watchman for factory; must be familiar with steam boiler. Address Permanent, care Press. 2 18 3

WANTED—Presser, one who understands pressing ladies' and gentlemen's clothing. Apply L. M. Cobbs, 146 East Fifth St. 2 19 3

WANTED—White girl as children's nurse; German preferred. Apply evenings, Mrs. Rushmore, 14 Sycamore avenue. 2 16 6

DRESSMAKER wants apprentices. Call 68 Fairview Ave. 2 18 3

GLOVES—Experienced prix, seam, pique and hemmers wanted. I. Oliver & Co., 552 West Broadway, New York city. 2 18 3

WANTED—Young colored man as butler and make himself generally useful. Apply 911 West Seventh St. 2 18 t

WANTED — Two coremakers, Aluminum Press Co., Dunellen. 18 t

WANTED—Girl for general housekor. 28 Craig place. 2 18

COOK and waitress wanted (white) by March first. Address F. J. S., care Press. 2 19

WANTED—First class colored laundress, by the month, to sleep at home. 950 Hillside Ave. 2 18

WANTED — Experienced cook, white; reference required. Apply 1060 Central Ave. 2 4 t

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at once at Mrs. Day's Intelligence Office, South Plainfield, N. J. 2 9 t

HELP WANTED—Single gentleman with actual experience as canvasser for permanent road position with a magazine of the highest class. Call on Mr. Howell, 126 Watchung avenue. 2 15

WANTED—White girl for general housework; no washing. Call afternoons, 955 West Sixth St. 1 24 t

CHORUS tenor wanted for local choir; must have high voice and sing at sight; adequate compensation. Apply by letter, H. M. Case, 52 Crain place. 2 18

Help Wanted.

GIRLS WANTED—Sixteen years or over. Apply Watchung Silk Co., Chatham street. 2 19 3

WANTED—Competent white cook for small family to assist with washing; references. Apply evenings, 908 Watchung avenue, city. 2 19 2

DRESSMAKER wants young woman as helper; must have some experience. Call at 68 Fairview Ave. 2 18 3

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at once at Mrs. Keller's Intelligence Office, 22 Somerset place. 12 29 tf

GIRL wanted to cook, wash and iron; references required. Apply 526 West Seventh St. 1 29 tf

Rooms and Board.

FURNISHED rooms to let. 402 East Fifth St. 2 20 3

WANTED—By couple, 2 rooms and board in private family; with pleasant surroundings. Address B., care Press. 2 19 3

TWO fine connecting rooms and bath, with board, March first. 514 Madison avenue. 2 20 6

TWO large rooms to rent, with board. 110 East Fifth street, near Park avenue. 2 15 tf

COMFORTABLE, well heated rooms, with excellent board; also table board; evening dinners a specialty. For terms call or address Mrs. A. L. Waldorf, 132 and 134 Crescent Ave. 2 8 tf

GOOD accommodations; low rates. Boyce's Hotel, 97 Somerset St. tf

For Rent.

TO RENT—House, 8 rooms; all improvements; North Plainfield; corner house; $30. Address A. A., care Press. 2 20 3

FIRST-CLASS house to let. 21 Regent street. 2 18 6

STORE 222 Richmond street, suitable for barber, baker or clothier. 2 20 3

TO LET—4 rooms; $12 per month, on Plainfield avenue. A. Young, agent, 815 South Second St. 2 16 5

TO LET—Store of 136 Park avenue. Inquire William Jeffery, on premises. 2 12 tf

TO LET—Large, new store, No. 407 Watchung avenue. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin building. 9 24 tf

DENTIST office, heat, telephone, light, water, door attendance. 178 East Front street. 1 11 tf

Money to Loan.

MONEY to loan on mortgage; five per cent. Louis A. Clement, lawyer, Babcock building. 2 18 6

TO LOAN on bond and mortgage, $3,000, also $3,500, on satisfactory risks. J. F. MacDonald, 149 North avenue. 1 31 tf

MONEY to loan, five per cent. gilt edge real estate. J. T. Vail. 1 14 tf

MONEY to loan at 5 per cent. on first mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot. tf

TO LOAN—Money on first mortgages at 5 per cent. V. W. Nash, Jr., 221 Park avenue. 6 22 tf

$4,000.00 TO LOAN on first bond and mortgage, on Plainfield property at five per cent. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin Building, East Front street. tf

TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street. tf

Real Estate Agents.

NEW HOUSES FOR SALE—Two elegant new houses on West Eighth street, 3 baths, large high lot, shade and every modern improvement; tile baths; three fine houses at Netherwood, every improvement, shade and high terraced lot; two fine new houses on West Seventh street, every improvement; best location; also 8-room house on Summit avenue, near Westervelt. Call and see plans, Manning or McIntyre, 163 North avenue, open evenings. 1 31 1m

FOR SALE—Fine new 10-room house situate on a high terraced lot, 100x250, in the best section of Netherwood; hard wood floors and trim, 2 tiled bath rooms, 3 fireplaces, steam heat; occupancy April 1; will finish to suit purchaser. Plans can be seen at the office of William H. Abbott, 163 North avenue; also have plans for several houses which I am erecting in other parts of the city; prices from $7,500 to $12,000. 1 29 1m

THOSE desiring to own a farm should consult one who has been selling farms for years, and he is yours truly, William Henry Rogers. 136 Park avenue, Plainfield; telephone 44. tf

Lost and Found.

LOST—On train from Plainfield to New York, pocketbook containing about $50. Finder liberally rewarded at 135 East Sixth St. 2 19 2

POOR girl will be grateful if the finder of her souvenir pocketbook will leave it at Daily Press office. It was lost yesterday noon while she walked from Fourth street and Park avenue to East bound railroad station and thence through tunnel to North avenue. It contained a sum of money and was given her by a dear relative now dead. 2 16 tf

Miscellaneous.

PUBLIC auction sale of household and kitchen goods at 29 Maple avenue, North Plainfield, Saturday, February 23, at 12 o'clock. 2 20 2

PRIVATE sale of furniture; a bargain. Woodhull apartments, over Stanley's, top floor; call between 10 a. m. and 6 p. m. 2 18 4

REMOVAL NOTICE—New York dental parlors removed to Woodhull & Martin building. 2 18 1m

MRS. BONY — High-class dressmaking; French models; fine work remodeling; moderate prices. 12 Stone St., North Plainfield. 1 24 1m

NEXT—We are next to station and next to bargain; bring in your bargain and be next to buyers. Ira L. LaRue, 152 North Ave. 1 8 tf

GENERAL typewriting and stenographer. Call at 33 Somerset street, N. Plainfield. A. G. Daudt. 2 2 1m

FREE! FREE! Six fine square pianos, for cost of tuning and carting only; great chance for beginners and others. Call at once, Hadley's piano salesrooms, 315 West Front St. 23 tf

DEAD animals removed. Ruckman Brothers, 204 Plainfield avenue, 'phone 415-L. 8 28 6m

P. F. LATOURETTE, auctioneer; sales promptly attended to; satisfaction guaranteed. 326 West Front St. 2 10 tf

BEFORE selling your furniture see Latourette, 326 West Front St. tf

BABIES crochet sacques for sale, all prices; also ladies' knitted sweaters made to order. Mrs. Mayer, 54 Pearl street, North Plainfield. tf

THE highest cash price paid for household goods, furniture, etc. Fred W. Hand, Auctioneer, 136 East Second street. 'Phone 1722. tf

Situations Wanted.

TWO girls want places, one as cook, other as chambermaid and waitress; best references. Call intelligence office, 22 Somerset place. 2 20 3

RESPONSIBLE man wants position as watchman; can attend to furnace. Address Watchman, care Daily Press. 2 20 3

ELECTRICAL engineer, 17 years with Plainfield Electric Light Co., wants position. 654 West Fourth St. 2 20 3

WANTED—Day's work on Monday or washing to take home. 132 Johnston Ave. 2 18 3

POSITION wanted as chauffeur by an expert machinest for the coming season; will drive Sundays to get familiar with car. Address Reliable, care Press. 2 18 3

Wanted—Miscellaneous.

WANTED—April 1, flat for two adults. Address Flat, care Press. 2 20 3

MILK route or oil route wanted. Address Milk, care Daily Press. 20 3

I WANT to buy pony cart; must be cheap for cash. P. O. Box 301, Plainfield, N. J. 2 20 6

LOAN wanted, about $350, on chattel mortgage, 6 months; will pay $50 premium and 6 per cent. interest. Address Responsible, care Press. 2 19 2

WANTED—To purchase small up-to-date house; convenient to railroad; terms must be reasonable. Address Home, Daily Press. 2 19 3

WANTED — Immediately, some 1906 back numbers of "Motor." Address "Motor," care of Press. 2 18 tf

WILL care for good horse for the winter for use of same. Address Good Care, care Press. 10 6 tf

For Sale.

14 BUILDING LOTS—14—In city of Plainfield, will sell cheap; these lots are all 50 feet front and 150 to 265 feet deep; here is a chance for a builder to make money. Address C. H. Jaeger, Hotel Kensington, city. 2 20 3

FOR SALE—Couch, combination desk, bookcase with drawers; 19 window shades. 821 Webster place. 20 2

I HAVE $50,000 to sell at once. John Manley, 321 Park Ave. 2 19 4

FOR SALE—Two beautifully situated, modern dwellings on large lots, containing 14 rooms, bath and butler's pantry; also hardwood floors, electric lights, etc.; one with stable and all other latest modern improvements in one of the best sections of Washington Park. Charles H. Lyman, 207 North avenue, Plainfield, N. J. 2 19 4

FOR SALE—Fine residence on East Seventh street, near Watchung avenue, 10 rooms, 2 bathrooms, and all improvements; in perfect condition throughout; price $7,500; will place mortgage to suit. For particulars, address, A. M. Lederer, city. 2 13 4 eod

FOR SALE—AT A HEAVY SACRIFICE, ENTIRE CONTENTS OF 10-ROOM HOUSE; ALL NEW AND UP-TO-DATE. ADDRESS FURNITURE, CARE DAILY PRESS. 2 18 3

BLENHEIM pups, male and female; pedigreed; reasonable. Mrs. Meiggs, Benson place, Westfield. 16 7

FOR SALE OR FOR RENT—Several houses, stores and offices. J. P. W. Taylor, 102 North Ave. 12 20 tf

For Sale.

NEWLY furnished lunch room for sale cheap. Address X., care Press. 2 19 2

FOR SALE—Seven-room house in West End, one block from trolley; $1,800. Address House, care Daily Press. 2 16 tf

$75 BUYS fine upright piano; guaranteed; great opportunity; on storage. Hadley's, 315 West Front St. 2 18 3

FOR SALE—Very desirable eight-room house; all improvements, gas and electric light; lot 40x170; possession May 1; a good bargain. J. T. Vail. 2 16 tf

FOR SALE CHEAP—Oak dining room furniture; fine condition. 23 Summit avenue. 2 16 4

HOUSE for sale at Netherwood, plans can be seen at my office. New house to let; ten rooms; all improvements; steam heat; $55 a month. Building lots for sale; cash or installments; when your lot is paid for I will build you a house. Charles Hand, 319 Watchung Ave. 2 14 1m

FOR SALE—Automobile; fine light side entrance touring car; like new; exceptional bargain. Thompson, 313 West Front. 2 15 8

FOR SALE—A fine lot between Park and Watchung avenues, on Second street. M. F. Gano, 221 Park avenue. 2 5 tf

FARM, 24 acres, for sale, near Somerville, on macadam road; good buildings. McNabb, lawyer, 209 North avenue. 1 28 1m

REAL ESTATE for sale, rent and exchange at bargain figures; insurance in strong companies at lowest rates; money to loan at five per cent. Thickstun & Emmons, 197 North avenue. 9 28 tf

FOR SALE—House and lot on Webster place, near Watchung avenue; fine location; 8 rooms; all improvements. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

LOT FOR SALE on John street, near West Seventh, 50x150; fine location; will sell very reasonable. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE—Houses and lots in all parts of the city; properties that I have picked up in trade that I can sell you for less than market prices; if you want to buy or have anything to sell come and see me. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

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EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Feb. 24: "Convincing the World."
By REV. WALTER J. YATES, D. D.
John xvii. 20-23; ix. 35-38; x. 37, 38; Phil. ii. 15; I Pet. ii. 12.

"That men may see your good works and glorify your Father which is in heaven."

The Christian, it has well been said, is the world's Bible. Paul speaks of some of his converts as his epistles known and read of all men. The promise of God is to write His laws not on tables of stone, as in the days of Moses, but on human hearts.

When a person becomes convinced of the truth of moral or religious principle and feels it to be important and chooses to accept it and make it a working factor in his life, he begins to change under the influence of that new force. Not only does the inner character change and become obedient to the control of the new ideal, but the outer life conforms to its image. Men see the thought become visible and tangible. It is not put into words so much as it is manifested in flesh and blood. It appears in the lines of the face, the tones of the voice, the sweep of the hand and in the very step of the foot. The whole being, inner and outer, is a revelation of the invisible, intangible principle which has seized the man.

One may catch a glimpse of a great truth and may simulate it—that is, he may become an actor of it outwardly and his skill in imitation may be so great as for a time to make men think he is inwardly what he appears outwardly. But this deception can continue but for a limited time and the mask will have some crack or rent through which the real man beneath will appear as he actually is to those who look closely.

The world is not long deceived as to a person's real character, and if men were deceived God is not mocked. Whatsoever the man purposes down deep in his heart to be, that he becomes, and all the forces of life, physical, mental and moral, are like powerful hammers beating him into the shape of his inner intention. We choose our patterns, and then our lives are relentlessly shaped into those forms.

We may deceive ourselves and suppose because we have never breathed a syllable of our inner life to another that therefore no other one knows what we think and intend. They read our inmost thought and know our secret desires even if we have ourselves not fully realized that we have cherished them.

An unclean thought harbored in the mind, an impure desire allowed to remain in the soul, prints its stamp indelibly in the look of the eyes, the grasp of the hand, in the lines of the telltale face. The power which chisels the human face into settled form is the thought force which dwells within, and no art can conceal for long time His work.

The power which convinces the world of the living power of Christ to save a soul is the life of a child of God lived daily before the eyes of the world. The most convincing of Christian evidences are not the miracles recorded in the Bible or the prophecies it relates. They are the visible miracle of a daily Christian life lived before the eyes in the midst of trials and temptations here and now and the Christian testimony of the joyousness of living that same life. The illumined face is the surest prophecy of the inner spirit.

That which silences all doubts and answers all questions is the living, joyous, victorious, right man of God, the man who is so sane you go to him for advice rather than to any other, the man to whom you go for sympathy in temptation before you do to any other, because he is so human and natural.

What convinces the world today of the power of Christ to save is the appearance of a man whom He has saved. Are you convincing the world of anything? Is it of the success of Christ or of His failure in you? Be a man, be a true woman, in fact, if that is what you desire to appear. Live the Christ life, and the world shall come to know Him as you do.

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The human mind has been compared to a compass set on a rickety table. Any jar sets the needle swinging untruly. A single sharp temptation or worry will send our conscience all wrong sometimes. But if we collect ourselves and wait quietly a moment upon God, the needle will swing true again and point the right way.—Forward.

A Christmas Prayer by Dr. Hale.

Dr. Edward Everett Hale, who in the declining years of his long and noble life still clings steadfastly not only to the tenets of his religious belief, but also to his wonderful love of country, contributes the following Christmas prayer to the December number of the Woman's Home Companion:

Father of Love, Father of Life, our Father who art here,
We thank Thee for everything—
For the glory and beauty and wonder of the world,
For the glory of springtime,
For the glory of summer,
For the glory of autumn,
For the glory now of winter.
Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all His benefits. On this Christmas day we bless Thee,
For Thy Son, well beloved,
Who saves us from our sins
And gives us life more abundantly.
He is our Master, and all we are brethren.
We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we thank Thee
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Topic.—Foreign missions. The kingdom in the islands.—Isa. xlii. 10-12, 16, 17.

In this chapter the prophet lays special emphasis upon the fact that the islands of the sea will rejoice in the salvation of the Lord. In the fourth verse he declares that "the isles shall wait for His law;" in the tenth verse he calls upon "the isles and the inhabitants thereof" to "sing unto the Lord a new song and His praise from the end of the earth," and in the sixteenth and seventeenth verses he prophesies moral and spiritual transformations such as have been particularly applicable to the people of islands. Nor did Isaiah prophesy in vain. What he declared 700 years before Christ Christian missions have realized. The islands of the sea have been most susceptible to Christian influences. They waited for God's law, and when it came they accepted it with a universal readiness that has not been equaled in continental missions.

Christian missionary work has been signally successful among islanders. Paul's first converts were made on the island of Cyprus, and, strange to say, among these was Paulus, the Roman governor of the island. This fact seems almost prophetic, for nowhere have governments so readily responded to the teachings of the gospel as island governments. Not only have the people responded to the gospel call, but in a remarkable degree the laws of God have been incorporated in the laws of the state. We have only to call the roll of the important islands of the world to see how universally they have accepted Christianity. Great Britain, the most influential island in the world's history, was at one time heathenish and barbarous, but was conquered by Christianity.

The gospel has met with wonderful success in Greenland, the Sandwich Islands, Philippines, New Hebrides, Madagascar, the south sea islands and in Japan, the most influential oriental empire of today. A study of mission work in any of these islands will prove most interesting and illustrate the wonderful saving power of the gospel, for in the islands of the sea the most benighted people have lived. The worst forms of vice, superstition and cruelty have existed. But the gospel has triumphed in spite of all difficulties and hindrances, and thus we are encouraged to continue zealously our mission work, even under the most adverse circumstances. "With God nothing is impossible."

BIBLE READINGS.

Isa. lii. 7; Nah. i. 15; Matt. xxviii. 19, 20; Acts i. 1-11; viii. 26-40; Rom. ix. 1-5; x. 14, 15; II Tim. iv. 6-8; Heb. xi. 36-40; Rev. xxii. 17.

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Among the prominent Norwegians who have recently expressed great sympathy for Christian Endeavor are the bishops of Christiansand and Christiania and the dean of Christiania.

The British Christian Endeavor organ has heard of the formation of the first Christian Endeavor society in British Central Africa. It consisted of a nucleus of twelve young men in the boarding school at Cholo and rapidly grew to fifty-six young men. The pledge has now been translated into their language.

Dr. William Carey in reporting the Christian Endeavor work of his mission field admits that the so called "regular" prayer meetings do not always go with clockwork precision and adds that he knows of only one clock in the entire district. Some of our American societies, with five or six clocks in every home, are sadly irregular also.

"I feel as if I were going to swim across an ocean when I look upon the possibilities for Christian Endeavor and the work it will require from all of us, but I love the work and am exceedingly happy in it." This inspiring sentence is from a letter by that [illegible] Christian Endeavor worker of N[illegible] P. C. Reiersen.

"Now, as to Morgan—"

"Yes, sir."

"What possible business do you suppose he has with Mr. Pickering?" I demanded.

"Why, sir, that's clear enough. Mr. Pickering owns a house up the lake,—he got it through your grandfather. Morgan has the care of it, sir."

"Very plausible, indeed!"—and I sent him off to his work.

After luncheon I went to the end of the corridor, and began to sound the walls. They were as solid as rock, and responded dully to the strokes of the hammer. I sounded them on both sides, retracing my steps to the stairway, becoming more and more impatient at my ill-luck or stupidity. There was every reason why I should know my own house, and yet a stranger and an outlaw ran through it with amazing daring.

After an hour's idle search I returned to the end of the corridor, repeated all my previous soundings, and, I fear, indulged in language unbecoming a gentleman. Then, in my blind anger, I found what patient search had not disclosed.

I threw the hammer from me in a fit of temper and it struck one of the square blocks in the cement floor which gave forth a hollow sound. I was on my knees in an instant, my fingers searching the cracks, and drawing down close I could feel a current of air, slight but unmistakable, against my face.

The cement square, though exactly like the others in the cellar floor, was evidently only an imitation, with an opening beneath.

The block was fitted into its place with a nicety that certified to the skill of the hand that had adjusted it. I broke a blade of my pocket-knife trying to pry it up, but, in a moment, I succeeded, and found it to be in reality a trap door, hinged to the substantial part of the floor.

A current of cool, fresh air, the same that had surprised me in the night, struck my face as I lay flat and peered into the opening. The lower passage was as black as pitch, and I lighted a lantern I had brought with me, found that wooden steps gave safe conduct below and went down.

I stood erect in the passage and had several inches to spare. It extended both ways, running back under the foundations of the house, and cut squarely under the park before the house and toward the school wall. The air grew steadily fresher, until, after I had gone about two hundred yards, I reached a point where the wind seemed to beat down on me from above. I put up my hands and found two openings about three yards apart, through which the air sucked steadily. I moved out of the current with a chuckle in my throat and a grin on my face. I had passed under the gate in the school wall, and I knew now why the piers that held it had been built so high,—they were hollow and were the means of sending fresh air into the tunnel.

When I had traveled about twenty yards more I felt a slight vibration accompanied by a muffled roar, and almost immediately came to a rough wooden stair that marked the end of the passage. I had no means of judging directions, but I assumed that I was well within the school park.

I climbed the steps and in a moment stood blinking, my lantern in hand, in a small, floored room. Overhead the tumult and thunder of an organ explained the tremor and roar I had heard below. I was in the crypt of St. Agatha's chapel. The inside of the door by which I had entered was a part of the wainscoting of the room, and the opening was wholly covered with a map of the Holy Land.

It was all very strange and interesting. I looked at my watch and found that it was five o'clock, but I resolved to go into the chapel before going home.

The way up was clear enough, and I was soon in the vestibule. I opened the door, expecting to find a service in progress; but the little church was empty save where, at the right of the chancel, an organist was filling the church with the notes of an exultant march. Cap in hand I stole forward, and sank down in one of the pews.

A lamp over the organ keyboard gave the only light in the chapel, and made an aureole about her head,—about the uncovered head of Olivia Gladys Armstrong! I smiled as I recognized her and smiled, too, as I remembered her name. But the joy she brought to the music, the happiness in her face as she raised it in the minor harmonies, her isolation, marked by the little isle of light against the dark background of the choir,—these things touched and moved me, and I bent forward, my arms upon the pew in front of me, watching and listening with a kind of awed wonder.

There was no pause in the outpouring of the melody. She changed stops and manuals with swift fingers and passed from one composition to another; now it was an august hymn, now a theme from Wagner, and finally Mendelssohn's spring song won the cold, dark chapel to light and warmth with its exultant notes.

She ceased suddenly with a little sigh and struck her hands together, for the place was cold. As she reached up to put out the lights I stepped forward to the chancel steps.

"Please allow me to do that for you?"

She turned toward me, gathering a cape about her.

"Oh, it's you, is it?" she asked, looking about quickly. "I don't remember that you were invited."

"I didn't know I was coming myself," I remarked truthfully, lifting my hand to the lamp.

"That is my opinion of you,—that you're a rather unexpected person. But thank you, very much."

She showed no disposition to prolong the interview, but hurried toward the door, and reached the vestibule before I came up with her.

"You can't go any farther, Mr. Glenarm," she said, and waited as though to make sure I understood. Straight before us through the wood and beyond the school buildings the sunset faded sullenly. Night was following fast upon the gray twilight and already the bolder planets were aflame in the sky. The path led straight ahead beneath the black boughs.

"I might perhaps walk to the dormitory, or whatever you call it," I said.

"Thank you, no! I'm late and haven't time to bother with you. It's against the rules, you know, for us to receive visitors."

She stepped out upon the path.

"But I'm not a caller; I'm just a neighbor! And I owe you several calls, anyhow."

She laughed but did not pause and I followed a pace behind her.

"I hope you don't think for a moment that I chased a rabbit on your side of the fence in the hope of meeting you, do you, Mr. Glenarm?"

"Be it far from me! I'm glad I came, though, for I liked your music immensely. I'm in earnest; I think it quite wonderful, Miss Armstrong."

She paid no heed to me.

"And I hope I may promise myself the pleasure of hearing you often."

"You are very kind about my poor music, Mr. Glenarm; but as I'm going away—"

I felt my heart sink a trifle. She was the only amusing person I had met at Glenarm, and the thought of losing her gave a darker note to the bleak landscape.

"That's really too bad! And just when we were getting acquainted! And I was coming to church Sunday to hear you play and to pray for snow, so you'd come over often to chase rabbits!"

This, I thought, softened her heart. At any rate her tone changed.

"I don't play for services; they're afraid to let me for fear I'd run comic opera tunes into the Te Deum!"

"How shocking!"

"Do you know, Mr. Glenarm,"—her tone became confidential and her pace slackened,—"we call you the squire, at St. Agatha's, and the lord of the manor, and names like that! All the girls are perfectly crazy about you. They'd be wild if they thought I talked with you, clandestinely,—is that the way you pronounce it?"

"Anything you say and any way you say it satisfies me," I replied.

"That's ever so nice of you," she said, mockingly again.

I felt foolish and guilty. She would probably get roundly scolded if the grave sisters learned of her talks with me, and very likely I should win their hearty contempt. But I did not turn back.

"I hope the reason you're leaving isn't—" I hesitated.

"Ill conduct? Oh, yes; I'm terribly

"Oh Yes, I'm Terribly Wicked, Squire Glenarm."

wicked, Squire Glenarm! They're sending me off."

"But I suppose the Sisters are awfully strict."

"They're hideous,—perfectly hideous."

"Where is your home?" I demanded. "Chicago, Louisville, Indianapolis, Cincinnati, perhaps?"

"Humph, you are dull! You ought to know from my accent that I'm not from Chicago. And I hope I haven't a Kentucky girl's air of waiting to be flattered to death. And no Indianapolis girl would talk to a strange man at the edge of a deep wood in the gray twilight of a winter day,—that's from a book; and the Cincinnati girl is without my elan, esprit,—whatever you please to call it. She has more Teutonic repose,—more Gretchen of the Rhine valley about her. Don't you adore French, Squire Glenarm?" she concluded, breathlessly, and with no pause in her quick step.

"I adore yours, Miss Armstrong," I asserted, yielding myself further to the joy of idiocy, and delighting in the mockery and whimsical moods of her talk. I did not make her out; indeed, I preferred not to! I was not then,—and I am not now, thank God!—of an analytical turn of mind. And as I grow older I prefer, even after many a blow, to take my fellow human beings as I find them. And as for women, old or young, I envy no man his gift of resolving them into elements. As well carry a spray of arbutus to the laboratory or subject the enchantment of moonlight upon running water to the flame and blow-pipe as try to analyze the heart of a girl,—particularly a girl who paddles a canoe with a sure stroke and puts up a good race with a rabbit.

A lamp shone ahead of us at the entrance of one of the houses, and lights appeared in all the buildings.

"If I knew your window I should certainly sing under it,—except that you're going home! You didn't tell me why they were deporting you."

"I'm really ashamed to! You would never—"

"Oh, yes, I would; I'm really an old friend!" I insisted, feeling more like an idiot every minute.

"Well, don't tell! But they caught me flirting—with the grocery boy! Now aren't you disgusted!"

"Thoroughly! I can't believe it! Why, you'd a lot better flirt with me," I suggested boldly.

"Well, I'm to be sent away for good at Christmas. I may come back then if I can square myself. My! That's slang,—isn't it adorable?"

"The Sisters don't like slang, I suppose?"

"They loathe it! Miss Devereux,—you know who she is!—she spies on us and tells."

"You don't say so; but I'm not surprised at her! I've heard about her!" I declared bitterly.

We had reached the door, and I expected her to fly; but she lingered.

"Oh, if you know her! Perhaps you're a spy, too! It's just as well we should never meet again, Mr. Glenarm," she declared haughtily.

"The memory of these few meetings will always linger with me, Miss Armstrong," I returned in an imitation of her own tone.

"I shall scorn to remember you!"—and she folded her arms under the cloak tragically.

"Our meetings have been all to few, Miss Armstrong. Two, exactly, I believe!"

"Then you prefer to ignore the first time I ever saw you," she said, her hand on the door.

"Out there in your canoe? Never! And you've forgiven me for overhearing you and the chaplain on the wall—please!"

She grasped the knob of the door and paused an instant as though pondering.

"I make it three times, without that one, and not counting once in the road and other times when you didn't know, Squire Glenarm! I'm a foolish little girl to have remembered the first. I see now how b-l-i-n-d I have been. Good-by!"

She opened and closed the door softly, and I heard her running up the steps within.

I ran back to the chapel, roundly abusing myself for having neglected my more serious affairs for a bit of silly talk with a school girl, fearful lest the openings I had left at both ends of the passage should have been discovered. Near the chapel I narrowly escaped running into Stoddard, but I slipped past him, found my lantern, pulled the hidden door into place, and, traversing the tunnel without incident, soon climbed through the hatchway and slammed the false block securely into the opening.

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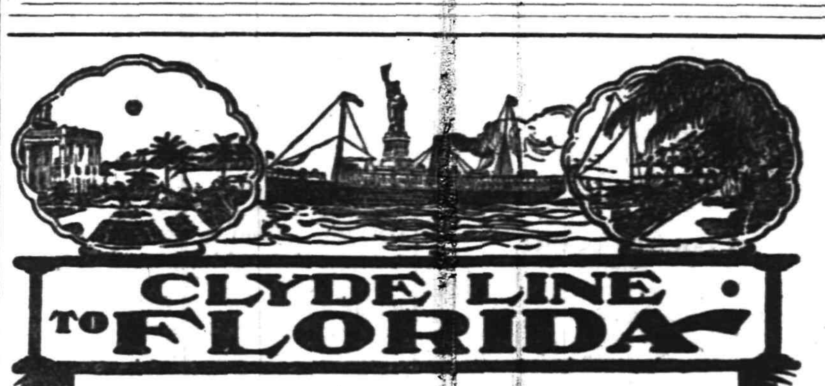

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Bowling and General Sports

PERSEVERANCE FIVE LOST TO NEWARK FIVE

PYTHIANS FROM THE STATE METROPOLIS HAD AN EASY TIME.

The bowling team of Perseverance Lodge, K. of P., was defeated three games straight by the Newark Lodge five, last night, at McLaughlin's alleys. Four of the six men used by Perseverance rolled weakly, and the strongest man on the Plainfield side didn't touch 200. That sort of rolling was never calculated to defeat the Newark team. They are the champions of the Newark Pythian league. They rolled something like champs.

John Cose and V. W. Nash were the only Plainfielders who hit the pins as if they were to be knocked down. Nash was high local man with 188. W. Colburn touched high for the game with 200.

The scores:

NEWARK.			
J. Colburn	150	172	182
W. Colburn	146	149	200
Cox	171	159	187
Alleston	160	182	142
Eug. Rue	196	177	164
Totals	823	839	875
PLAINFIELD.			
Firstbrook	124	...	127
Cutting	125	139	136
Pope	132	129	141
Cose	169	177	161
Nash	154	168	188
Frazee	...	127	...
Totals	704	740	753

There was a big gallery of Pythians to root for the Perseverance men. A supper was enjoyed at Timbo's restaurant, North avenue, after the match. A return game will be played in Newark.

V. W. Nash was chairman of the bowling and entertainment committee in charge. He was assisted by G. E. Firstbrook and E. D. Cutting.

PARK BOWLERS WIN THE LEAGUE TROPHY

PRIZE MONEY ALSO GOES TO PLAINFIELD TEAM IN BIG TOURNEY.

The Park Club team is the winner of the championship of the Central Journal Bowling League. Last night the Elizabeth Club, which was a close second and a strong claimant for first place, met the Newark Bay team at Bayonne, and by dropping two games, not only lost the chance to win the championship, but the opportunity to tie the Parks for first honors.

In last night's match at Bayonne, Elizabeth took the first game by a score of 840 to 768; lost the second by a score of 879 to 766 and the third by a score of 863 to 799. The final standing of the teams is as follows:

	Won.	Lost.
Park Club	19	11
Elizabeth Club	18	12
Westfield Club	18	12
Cranford Casino	16	14
Roselle Casino	10	20
Newark Bay	9	21

Much credit is due the Parks for their great work during the tournament. The team has made the best showing in years. It took the lead early in the tournament and held it throughout. In the last match rolled by the locals they lost two games to Cranford, something unexpected, but no one expected that the tail-enders would take two games from Elizabeth, so that their performance equals that of the Parks in the final match.

By winning the championship, the Parks score one win on the silver cup offered by the Elizabeth Journal and a $20 money prize. Fred O. Ball, of the Parks, also captures second place in the individual averages, giving him second money, $10. Walter Long, also of the Parks, lost third money by five pins, to Crane, of Cranford, while Tenney, of Elizabeth, gets first money, $15. Elizabeth and Westfield are tied for second team place, which has a $10 prize, and this will be rolled off in a few days. The Park Club team, which won the championship, was composed of Fred O. Ball, Walter Long, William Barlow, Edward Daniel and Ray Lyman. Their work throughout has been uniform and the scores much above the average. It is largely due to the coaching of Captain Ball that the members put up such good scores.

TWO TOURNEY TEAMS KEEP THE GAMES AGOING.

VanEmburgh and Blatz Get a Total of 420 On One Occasion.

Tourney games divided attention with the Pythian match at McLaughlin's last niht and the former furnished some good entertainment for the gallery. Four teams competed and though a few low scores were handed in, the majority of them were good. Nash and Skelly took two games from Causebrook and McLaughlin and VanEmburgh and Blatz did the same trick to Mack and Meyer. In their first game VanEmburgh and Blatz rolled a total of 420, the best for the night.

The scores:

McLaughlin	128	166	169
Causebrook	136	199	159
	264	365	328
vs.			
Skelly	176	190	211
Nash	204	151	159
	380	341	370
Mack	197	125	180
Meyer	164	194	213
	361	319	393
vs.			
VanEmburgh	220	172	191
Blatz	200	176	192
	420	348	383

GOLF.

The new officers and governors of the Westfield Golf Club held Monday night their first meeting since the annual election. The officers are: E. F. Low, president; H. E. Knight, vice-president; C. C. Marshall, secretary; R. L. VanDyke, treasurer. C. C. Marshall is chairman of the handicap committee for the coming season. E. R. Perkins, greens committee; H. W. Gladwin, house committee; Mrs. E. F. Low, ladies' entertainment committee. The ladies' committee expects to arrange an interesting programme of social events for the spring season. The clubhouse is now being redecorated and painted and the furnishings renovated. As yet no plans have been made for the coming season but a programme of events will be made up in April. It is anticipated that the coming season will be a most attractive season at the Golf Club.

BOWLING.

The scores put up by the Perseverance Lodge rollers in the contest with the Newark Knights last night were "awful." The only man in the lot who did anything at all was John Cose and his figures were 'way below his average. The remainder seemingly had a bad attack of stage fright and "Fozzy" Firstbrook has been kept busy explaining matters and declaring that the Newarkers can't do it again.

Tourney games scheduled for tonight at McLaughlin's: Woolston and Cunningham against W. and J. Schaub; Gaddis and Dilks against Sheelen and Alberts. It is possible that Chief Kiely and Judge Runyon may roll the series with the Schaubs postponed from last week because of Chief Kiely injuring his knee.

BASKETBALL.

The disputed game between the Plainfield and Rahway Y. M. C. A. basketball teams has been ordered replayed by the league contest committee in Rahway.

Y. M. C. A. Basketball.

The Passaic team will play here in the Y. M. C. A. league race Monday night. The Passaic second team will play the home seconds.

Floral Fete For Nursery.

The members of the City Union, King's Daughters, who are interested in the forthcoming fair to be held at the Casino for the benefit of the Day Nursey at the home of Mrs. F. W. Butler, this morning decided to change the date for the event to April 11, 12 and 13, and it will be called a "Floral Fete."

OBITUARY.

Daniel Swenson.

Daniel Swenson, for thirty-seven years a resident of Stirling, died at his home there yesterday morning. He had been ill for a long time with a complication of troubles. Mr. Swenson was in his seventy-second year and beside farming was engaged in the milk business, having a large route in this city conducted by his sons. He belonged to the Stirling Presbyterian church and was one of its most prominent workers. A wife, three daughters and six sons survive him. The funeral will be held at the Presbyterian church Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock and interment will be at Stirling.

Mrs. Leslie M. Cobbs.

Mrs. Nettie I. Cobbs, wife of Leslie M. Cobbs, died at her home on West Third street, this morning, after a brief illness. She was twenty-one years old. The funeral will be held at the house Friday afternoon at 2:30 and interment will be at Hillside.

Mrs. John Prugh.

Mrs. Mary Prugh, wife of John Prugh, died early this morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. V. Kinney, of Somerset street. She had been an invalid for the past two years from paralysis but death was immediately due to a stroke that came a few days ago. Mrs. Prugh was in her eighty-first year and came to this city from South Bound Brook. She was a member of the Reformed church at that place and also the W. C. T. U. She was an energetic worker in the latter organization for many years and did much for the advancement of the cause. Beside her husband there are surviving four children, Mrs. C. S. Ulmer, of South Bound Brook; M. F. Prugh, of Shell Rock, Iowa; Mrs. R. V. Kinney, of Somerset street, and Mrs. W. B. Grannatt, Jr., of West Fifth street. Mr. and Mrs. Prugh celebrated the fifty-ninth anniversary of their wedding two weeks ago. The funeral will be held at Mrs. Kinney's home Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock and interment will be at Easton, Pa.

IN COUNTY COURT.

Ticket Agent On Trial For Alleged Assault.

The case of Jacob Tarlan, a Hebrew grocer of Cranford, against Charles Foster, also of that place, on a charge of assault and battery, is occupying the attention of the Union County Court, today. Mr. Foster is the New York ticket agent for the Illinois Central Railroad, and it is charged that he went into Tarlan's grocery last October and assaulted the palintiff, claiming that he had circulated reports that he owned him $15 and wouldn't pay it.

The defendant does not deny that he struck Tarlan, but claims that he did so in self-defense. He says that he went into the store ready to pay a debt of $9.54 and that there was an argument as to the amount alleged to be due. A bystander, he says, pushed him into Tarlan, whereupon the latter struck him. Then he defended himself. The weight of opinion appears to favor the defendant.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following real estate transfers have been recorded at Elizabeth: Irving W. Marclay et al. to Mary D. Vail, Webster place, 655 feet northeasterly of Putnam avenue, Plainfield, $1; Clara A. Stelle to Julia R. Stelle, westerly side Central avenue, 135 feet northerly of Stelle avenue, Plainfield, $1; Peter M. Felmley et al. to Thomas Hyland, southeasterly side East Fourth street, 40 feet northeasterly of Emmons' land, Plainfield, $1; Same to same, southeasterly side East Fourth street, corner Emmons, Plainfield, $1.

Newark Gets Light Cheaper.

Pending the expiration of the present contracts, which have about eighteen months to run, the P. S. C. will furnish light to the city of Newark for $85 an arc lamp, a reduction of $10. The new contracts will be for lamps at $70 a year, the rate announced by the P. S. C. as part of its general plan from reduction.

Memorial Service.

Under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. a Frances E. Willard memorial service will be held in the rooms on Madison avenue tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Mrs. P. C. Bodine will be in charge of the service.

Root Guest of Kean.

The Secretary of State and Mrs. Root were the guests of honor of Senator and Miss Kean at dinner at Washington last night.

GOV. STOKES WILL REVIEW REGIMENT

EXECUTIVE WILL PRESENT MEDALS FOR LONG AND FAITHFUL SERVICE.

Company commandants of the Second Regiment of the National Guard of New Jersey have submitted to regimental headquarters their lists of members of the respective companies who are this year entitled to long and faithful service medals.

Along with these lists Regimental Adjutant John M. Rogers has compiled a list of the man and companies winning special prizes during the past year for marksmanship and duty.

These prizes will be presented tomorrow night at Trenton by Hon. Edward C. Stokes, governor of New Jersey and commander-in-chief, who also officiated in that capacity last year. The review of the Second Regiment tomorrow night will be in honor of the executive.

The exercises will open at 8:30 p. m., when the first call will be announced. At 9 o'clock the adjutant's call will be given, followed by the formation of the battalions. At 9:45 the adjutant's call will be sounded and the companies will form for review. Following the review the governor will present the medals.

After the presentations the regimental parade will take place. At the conclusion of the retreat the band will play "The Star Spangled Banner."

The event will be brought to a close with a dance.

The members of Company K and their guests will make the trip in a special car, leaving the North Avenue Station tomorrow night at 7:20.

CLOSED PORTALS.

Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., will meet tomorrow night when matters of importance will be considered.

Franklin, Somerset, Benevolent and Plainfield Councils, Jr. O. U. A. M., are planning to give an entertainment in the near future. An exceptionally strong programme will be arranged.

A temporary organization of Perth Amboy Aerie, Fraternal Order of Eagles, was formed Monday night with 150 charter members. There will be another meeting next Monday, at which officers will be chosen. The charter is expected within a few days. The membership of the aerie includes many city officials and others prominent in city affairs.

PERSONAL.

Miss Julia G. Shinn, who has been a missionary in Burma for the past seven years, is visiting her friend, Mrs. George Batchelor, of West Seventh street.

Richard Waring, of Park avenue, left this morning by boat for New Orleans from which place he will proceed to southern California. He will locate there for an indefinite period looking after a timber tract recently purchased by his father.

Mrs. O. L. Jenkins and her brother, George A. Hallock, of East Front street, will leave on Friday for Pittsburg to visit their brother, Fletcher Hallock. George Hallock will return home on Monday, but his sister will remain for a longer time.

PROVIDES ELECTROCUTIONS.

Senate Passes Bill Appropriating $10,000 for Building.

Trenton, Feb. 20.—The Wakelee bill appropriating $10,000 for the erection of a building for the electrocution of criminals was passed by the Senate last night. This measure will make effective the law for electrocution passed last year. That act takes effect March 1 next. Though hanging was abolished and the new method of execution created by the present law, no appropriation was made for the change. That made the Wakelee bill necessary.

Senator Wakelee introduced a bill last night fixing those who may be present at electrocutions. It provides for twelve citizens, two of whom shall be physicians, to be selected by the prison keeper, to be present at electrocutions of criminals; limits clergymen to two and reporters to six as witnesses.

COLBY WON'T QUIT POLITICS.

Essex Senator Dennis Emphatically That He Intends to Withdraw.

Trenton, Feb. 20.—Senator Everett Colby, of Essex, denies emphatically that he intends to withdraw from participation in the political affairs if this State. He said that he did not intend for a while to devote his whole time to politics as he had done in the past two years. His wife's health was in such an impaired condition that her physician had ordered him to take her abroad, and he intended to do so in the spring, when the Legislature adjourned. He expected, however, to return in the fall in time to do his share of the work in the primary fight in this county.

Rev. E. E. Roberson will deliver the third of his special subject sermons at the Y. M. C. A. Sunday afternoon, on "Bright Spots On the Bridge of Sighs."

SCHEUER'S SPECIALS

FOR THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

Borden's Peerless Evaporated Milk, 10c kind, a can **8c**	Aunt Jermima Pan Cake Flour, 10c kind, a pkg **8c**	Cerebo's Salt, Imported, never cakes, 10c kind, a box **8c**	Grated Pineapple for Pies, 12c kind, large can **8c**
Korn-Kinks, Malted Corn Flakes, a package **4c**	Alpha Home Pudding, Cocoanut Rice, Cocoanut Tapioca, a pkg **4c**	Uneeda Biscuits, fresh and crisp, a package **4c**	Huntley & Palmer's Marie Biscuits, 15c kind, a pkg **10c**
Stuffed Dates, 25c kind, a box **17c**	Heinz Strawberry Preserves, 45c kind, 2-lb bottle **39c**	Marasquin Cherries, $1.25 size, ½-gallon bottle, **85c**	New York State Hand-picked Pea Beans, 10 lbs ..... 39c, 5 lbs 21c
Kippered Herring, from Canada, large tin **11c**	Choice Pulled Figs, 18c kind, a lb **15c**	McCann's Irish Oatmeal, 55c kind, 5-lb tin **49c**	Crystalized Ginger, a tin **8c**

CHOICE CALIFORNIA NAVAL ORANGES, a dozen ..... 25c, 35c and 45c
FLORIDA SWEET ORANGES, Indian River Fruit, a dozen ..... 25c and 35c

LENTEN SPECIALS.

Salt Mackerel, white and fat, each 6c
Smoked Bloaters, per fish 3c
Boneless Codfish, a lb 12c
Salt Herring, a lb 5c
Salmon (Colman Flag) a can 12c
Bird Rock Lobster, ½-lb can 20c
Bird Rock Lobster, 1-lb can 35c
Little Neck Clams, a can 10c
Sardines, in oil, a can 4c
Sardines, in mustard, large tin 8c
Smoked Salmon, thinly sliced in glass ..... 16c and 28c
Boneless Herring, glass tumblers 10c
Russian Sardines, a bottle ... 10c
Fresh Ground Horseradish, a bottle 8c

N. O. Molasses, finest quality, best Plantation, open kettle, gallon, 58c; a quart 15c
Syrup, Golden Drips, pure sugar syrup, a gal. 45c; a qt. 13c
Flour, Hecker's Hygenic, whole wheat flour; 12 lb bag 39c
Buckwheat, new Sussex County, 25 lb bag, 76c; 12 lb bag, 39c
Graham Flour, fresh ground, 5-lb bag 14c
Rye Flour, fresh ground, 5-lb bag 14c
Oatmeal, best White Rolled Oats, 6 lb bag 21c
Corn Meal, best granulated, yellow or white, 5-lb bag 18c
Hominy, fresh ground, in bulk, 4 lbs for 10c
Barley, new course, 3-lb bag, 11c
Farina, Best Wheat Farina, 4-lb bag 15c

CANNED FRUIT AND VEGETABLES.

Corn, Royal Blue, sweet, can 10c; per dozen $1.10
String Beans, Varick Brand, can 10c; per dozen $1.10
Succotash, Leroy Brand, can 10c; per dozen $1.10
Pumpkin, Queen Quality, can 10c; per dozen $1.10
Peas, Fort Hill Brand, can 12c; per dozen $1.30
Spinach, Nabob Brand, can 14c; per dozen $1.60
Asparagus, Shrewsbury Points, can 20c; per dozen $2.20
Pears, in heavy syrup, large can 15c; per dozen $1.70
Peaches, Wheeler Brand, a can 14c; per dozen $1.65
Apples, gallon can ..... 25c per dozen $2.75
Blueberries, hand selected, can 15c; per dozen $1.70

SCHEUER'S BEST MINNESOTA XXXX FLOUR, makes more loaves bread to the barrel than any other flour, per barrel $5.18. 100 Stamps Free with a barrel. 24½lb bag 65c

Animal Crackers, Fresh and Crisp, a lb **9c**	Egg Biscuits, 18c kind, a lb **12c**	Peanut Wafers, 12c kind, a lb **10c**	Vanilla Wafers, 12c kind, a lb **10c**
Ginger Snaps, lb 5c	Lemon Cakes, lb 5c	Nic-Nacs, lb 5c	Hand-made Pretzels, 12c
Fancy Baldwin Apples, pony basket **35c**	20 Stamps with pony basket White or Yellow Turnips **20c**	20 Stamps with 3 large rolls Toilet Paper **25c**	20 Stamps with 3-lb box Crescent Laundry Starch **20c**

$1.00 in Stamps With Any of the Following:

3-lb box large California Prunes 25c
1 box Gold Medal Cocoa 20c
1 box Hasty Lunch Chocolate 18c
1 bottle Vanilla Extract 15c
1 bottle Lemon Extract 15c
1 package Farina 10c
3-lb package Rice 20c
2-lb package Scheuer's Oats .. 10c
1 package Parlor Matches 12c
1 bottle Royal Shoe Dressing .. 10c
2 cakes Scouring Soap, each ... 5c
2 bottles Ink, a bottle 5c

In Our Meat Department.

Choice Young Turkey, a lb ..... 20c and 22c
Roasting Chickens 18c and 20c
Corned Beef Tongues, lb 15c
Legs of Lamb, lb 16c
Shoulder of Lamb, lb 12c
Prepared Ham, lb 15c
Fresh Rump Roast, lb 12c
Rump Corned Beef, lb 12c
Fresh Pork Sausage, lb 14c
Pickled Tripe, a lb 5c
Hamburg Steak, lb 10c
Philadelphia Scrapple, lb 10c

$1.00 in Stamps With Any of the Following:

4 lbs. California Prunes 25c
3-lb package Buckwheat 15c
¼-lb package Black Pepper 10c
¼-lb package Cinnamon 12c
¼-lb package Cloves 12c
1 package Macaronni 10c
1 bottle Cider Vinegar 10c
1 can Baked Beans 10c
1 can Black Jack Stove Polish 10c
1 box Tooth Powder 10c
8-lb bag Salt 10c
1 box Starch Luster 10c
1 box Magic Hand Cleanser .. 10c

BURNHAM'S CLAM BOUILLON ... half pint bottle, 20c; pint bottle, 35c; quart bottle 65c

Extra Stamps—TEAS.

100	STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Tea	60c
70	STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Tea	50c
30	STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Tea	35c
100	STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Premium Baking Powder...	45c

Extra Stamps—COFFEES.

30	STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Coffee	32c
30	STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Coffee	29c
20	STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Coffee	27c
20	STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Coffee	23c

Central Blocked.

Traffic on the Central Railroad between Bound Brook and Easton was completely blocked last night for several hours by the wrecking of two freight trains one mile east of Glen Gardner. Central trains were run by way of the Lehigh Valley Railroad between the two places until the wrecking trains from Elizabeth and Phillipsburg had cleared away the debris.

James Manning in Hospital.

James Manning, a well-known Dunellenite, was taken to the hospital yesterday to be operated upon for acute Bright's disease. It was said this morning that his condition was improving.

—The best teas and coffees in the city are to be found at Neuman Brothers store. Every pound is selected only from high grade imports but sold at prices charged by others for inferior goods.

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BOYS' BATTLE SERIOUS

Twelve - Year - Old Unconscious Nine Hours After Being Hit.

STRUCK BY 10-YEAR-OLD

Head Hit Sidewalk and Concussion of the Brain Resulted—Colored Boy Who Struck Him Arrested.

As a result of a blow struck in a boyish quarrel, Orel Victorson, 12 years old, who lives with his parents at 53 Brook avenue, lay in an unconscious state for more than nine hours last night and early this morning. He was hit at Washington and East Front streets, at 7:50 o'clock, by Matthew Austin, a ten-year-old colored boy, son of Mrs. Hetty Austin, of Elm street.

Orel and Matthew quarreled several weeks ago, and a number of battles were fought. The boys would fall to with their fists working like flails whenever they met and keep at it until separated by passersby. When they got within reach of each other at the Washington street corner last night the usual result followed. Matthew is a muscular lad and strikes a hard blow. One of his swings caught Orel full on the side of the head and the white boy tumbled forward. His forehead struck on the sidewalk, and he lay still. Matthew decided that the best place for colored small boys was home, and he headed for Elm place on a run.

The Victorson boy was picked up, unconscious, and carried to the workshop of Charles Keiderling, a furniture and glass packer, nearby. Keiderling telephoned to the police and summoned Dr. A. Gesswein, of East Front street. The physician, Chief Kiely and Patrolman O'Keefe reached the Kiederling shop at the same time. The doctor could not bring the boy to his senses and had him removed to his home. Chief Kiely learned who had struck Orel from Walter Southers and Eddie Drake, small boys who witnessed the fight, and O'Keefe arrested the colored boy at his home.

Orel remained in an unconscious state until 5 o'clock this morning. Dr. Gesswein said at 10 o'clock that the boy was suffering from concussion of the brain, brought on by the contact of his head against the sidewalk. He is expected to recover in three or four days. The skull is not fractured.

Matthew was arraigned before Judge Runyon, and remained until this afternoon, to await the result of Orel's injuries. In view of the doctor's report, it is expected that he will be released. They are convinced that he did not hit Orel with anything but his fist, and there is reason to believe that Orel started the fight, as Matthew claims.

Matthew took his arrest without excitement. He was cheerful in his cell this morning, and enjoyed the three big sandwiches and the huge tin cup of coffee that were given him for breakfast. He maintained stoutly that Orel began the fight and was helped by his brother, and seemed quite confident that the righteousness of his cause would triumph. His mother came down early to comfort him, and Chief Kiely soothed her agitation by telling her how probable was the release of Matthew this afternoon.

LAFAYETTE GRADUATES TO ORGANIZE A CLUB.

Call Issued for Preliminary Meeting to Be Held in Newark February 28.

For the purpose of forming a permanent organization of Lafayette College, a call has been issued by a committee of six, of which Joseph O. Skinner, '02, 164 Market street, Newark, is one, for a meeting to be held Thursday night, February 28, at the Union Club, 35 Clinton street, Newark.

This gathering will be an informal one and it is proposed to form a temporary organization and select committees to look after the various details of a big dinner a few weeks later. All Lafayette men are urged to attend this meeting and help to make the movement a success. There are a number of Lafayette men in Plainfield who are expected to attend the meeting. The call is issued by George W. W. Porter, '85; Fred F. Kennedy, '98; Joseph O. Skinner, '02, of Newark; Wayne Dumont, '92, Paterson; John J. Voorhees, '98, Jersey City, and L. P. Runyon, '01, Perth Amboy. All communications should be sent to Mr. Skinner.

Police Appointments.

It is reported that the police promotion list to be sent to the Common Council by Mayor Fisk on Monday night will include the appointment of Patrolman Herbert Overbaugh for sergeant and Roundsman John Flynn for detective-sergeant, and not the reverse as stated in last night's issue.

SENATOR KEAN VOTES FOR MORMAN APOSTLE

REED SMOOT SEATED IN U. S. SENATE —DRYDEN WAS ABSENT.

Senator Reed Smooth, of Utah, stays in the United States Senate despite the fact he is an apostle of the Mormon church. The Senate yesterday sustained his right to the seat, which he has occupied four years, although he has been all the time a target for attack.

Among those who voted to unseat him was LaFollette, of Wisconsin. John Kean, of New Jersey, cast his vote in Smoot's favor. His colleague, John F. Dryden, was absent. The gallery was filled with women at the time, but they were prevented from hissing when the result was announced. The fight had lasted over a period of three years.

The original Burrows resolution read: "Resolved, That Reed Smoot is not entitled to a seat in the United States Senate as a Senator from Utah." Before this could be voted upon, Senator Hopkins, of Illinois, offered an amendment inserting after the word "resolved," "Two-thirds of the Senators present concurring." This really provided that the resolution should require a two-thirds vote for adoption. Forty-nine Senators voted affirmatively on the amendment and twenty-eight negatively. Senator Carmack, of Tennessee, then offered as a substitute a resolution providing that Reed Smoot be expelled from the Senate. This was defeated 43 votes to 27. Then the vote came on the original resolution, and was lost, the vote being 42 nays to 28 yeas.

LUCIUS T. KOONS WEDS MISS OLIVE BOGARDUS.

Ceremony At Home of Bride's Mother Performed By Phillipsburg Minister.

Miss Olive Bogardus, daughter of Mrs. E. H. Bogardus, of Putnam avenue, and Lucius T. Koons, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Koons, of Sandford avenue, this city, were quietly married last night at 6:30 o'clock at the bride's home. Only the immediate families were present. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Percy Y. Schelley, of Phillipsburg, N. J., an old friend of the groom.

The house was attractively decorated with greens and cut flowers, the bride and groom being married under a bower of green.

After the wedding supper Mr. and Mrs. Koons left for a few weeks' tour in the South. Upon their return they will make their home in this city.

Both are well known in Plainfield, the groom being a graduate of the Plainfield High School. He is vice president of the Palmer Lime and Cement Company, of New York.

FREEHOLDERS GUESTS OF MAYOR N. B. SMALLEY.

Somerset Board at Pedeflous' For Lunch and at Iroquois for Dinner.

The Somerset County Board of Freeholders are spending the day at the North Plainfield end of the county, the purpose being to examine the borough side of the West End avenue bridge, where it is proposed to build wing walls and to inspect the Warren township road. This morning the bride was inspected and plans submitted by the engineers from both counties were examined. The estimated cost for wing walls on both sides of the bridge is about $2,600.

Afterwards the freeholders took a trip over the road in Warren township and stopped at Pedeflous' Hotel for lunch. Later in the afternoon the members will have dinner at the Hotel Iroquois. They are the guests of Mayor Smalley.

Will Celebrate Fifth Anniversary.

H. J. Martin's Bible class, "The Willing Workers," of Trinity Reformed church Sunday-school, has invited its friends to the celebration of the fifth anniversary of the organization to be held in the lecture room of the church Monday night at 8 o'clock. There will be a musical and literary entertainment, followed by a social hour. The programme will be given by Prof. Martin A. Korff's Orchestra; Mrs. Thomas McDonald, soprano; Miss Caroline Lambert, reader; Miss Hazel Martin, accompanist.

First Rehearsal of "Pinafore."

The Plainfield Operatic Association held its first rehearsal of "Pinafore" on Tuesday night. The music is by far the most catchy and easier to learn than the other productions. Rehearsals will be held every Tuesday night at the Casino until the date of the performance, May 2.

Martin On Committee.

F. L. C. Martin has been chosen a member of the New Jersey Automobile Dealers' Association, which has been organized by the New Jersey Automobile and Motor Club.

—Tomorrow being a legal holiday, The Daily Press will not be issued.

TO FIGHT CONSUMPTION

Plainfield Clinical Society to Organize a Tuberculosis Association.

PLAN A CAMPAIGN

Dr. B. VanD. Hedges and Dr. Bailey to Deliver Lectures Here in Connection With Exhibition.

Steps were taken last night at a meeting of the committee on tuberculosis from the Plainfield Clinical Society, toward forming a permanent organization in Plainfield. There is now a State organization, and it is the desire of those interested in fighting tuberculosis and lung troubles in general to organize a local society with definite aims and purposes.

This action was the result of a discussion regarding the State exhibit to be held in the Stirling building for one week, beginning March 4. A committee on advertising and publicity will be appointed soon and it was decided to expend $150 for the use of the committee. As stated yesterday, Dr. B. VanD. Hedges, as president of the Board of Health, will have general charge of the exhibit here and there will be a trained nurse in attendance throughout the week to explain the object of it. Dr. Hedges will also give lectures and if it can be arranged Dr. Bailey, of Elizabeth, will exhibit a number of lantern slides on the subject in the evening. He has expressed his willingness to do this. In speaking of the exhibit, Dr. Hedges said today:

"This is a campaign of information pure and simple and judging by the interest shown it speaks well for the effort to put tuberculosis down and out. This is only one of many campaigns started throughout the country and there has been a notable diminution of the disease ever since. If we can properly educate the people up to that point where they thoroughly understand how to prevent and care for the disease, a great work will be accomplished."

B. C. FIRSTBROOK WEDS MISS GERTRUDE T. GEIER

CEREMONY PERFORMED BY REV. A. C. M'CREA AT HIS HOME LAST NIGHT.

Miss Gertrude T. Geier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Geier, of Madison avenue, and Bertram Collins Firstbrook, of Grant avenue, were quietly married at 6 o'clock last night. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. A. C. McCrea, pastor of the First M. E. church, at his home on Central avenue. City Judge William N. Runyon, an intimate friend of the groom, was the only witness outside of the bridal party.

Miss Geier was gowned in brown broadcloth, trimmed with velvet, and carried a bouquet of bride roses. She was attended by Miss Kathryne Slade, of West Front street, who wore gray broadcloth with velvet trimmings. The groom's attendant was Thomas M. Muir.

Following the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Firstbrook left for New York from which place they started on a short bridal trip. On returning they will make their home on Madison avenue. Both young people are well known throughout the city, the groom having an unusually large circle of friends. He is engaged in the grocery and milk business and has been prominent for several years in amateur theatricals.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Firstbrook received an attractive array of gifts, principally cut glass and furniture. The bride presented her attendant with a pearl clasp pin and the best man received from the groom a diamond stickpin.

S. B. Howe, Jr., Lectures.

Samuel B. Howe, Jr., who is at the head of the history department in the Plainfield High School, delivered an address in the Goshe, N. Y., High School lecture course last night on "The George Washington of the Netherlands." His talk brought out the similarity between the career of William of Orange, the founder of the Dutch Republic, and that of the founder of our own country.

Charles Foster Found Guilty.

Charles Foster, of Cranford, the New York ticket agent for the Illinois Central Railroad, who was the defendant in an action brought by Jacob Tarlan, also of Cranford, charging assault and battery, was found guilty in the Union County Court, yesterday, as charged in the indictment. Sentence will be pronounced in a few days.

—Preparations are bing made to repaper and repaint police headquarters.

Y. M. C. A.'S CONVENTION

Will Open In Elizabeth This Evening and Run Four Days.

W. D. MURRAY TO TALK

He Will Address the Convention Tomorrow On the State Work—Secretary Robbie On Committee.

The Plainfield Y. M. C. A. will be well represented at the thirty-fourth annual State convention of the Y. M. C. A., which will open in Elizabeth this evening. The convention will last four days. W. D. Murray, of this city, a member of the State executive committee, will address the convention tomorrow morning, on "The State—New Jersey." Kenneth Robbie, the Plainfield secretary, is on the education committee. H. W. Barrows, who left the boys' secretaryship here this week, was on the social committee.

The meetings, conferences and banquets will be held in Association Hall, the City Hall Armory, and the various uptown Presbyterian churches. They will be attended and addressed by well-known Y. M. C. A. leaders from all parts of the country.

The programme for the first two The programme for tonight will be as follows:

5 to 6:30 p. m.—Registration; assignment for entertainment. 6:30 p. m.—Informal reception, the Armory, West Scott place. 7:00 p. m—Delegates' dinner; organization of the convention; address, the Rev. Dr. Arthur Judson Brown, secretary Presbyterian Board of Foreign Missions, "The Young Men's Christian Association, An Effective Agency in the Life of the Community;" announcement of convention committees; 9:30 p. m.—Adjournment.

MR. ACKERMAN'S BILL WAS MISUNDERSTOOD.

Merely Allows Counties to Increase Appropriations to Hospitals.

Newspapers all over the State announced yesterday that Senator Ernest R. Ackerman, of Union, had introduced a bill, Senate No. 110, allowing counties to build county hospitals at an expense of not more than $200,000.

Senator Ackerman informed a reporter last night that it was an error. The bill he introduced was one brought to Trenton by the Legislative committee of the Union County Board of Freeholders and its purport was to allow Boards of Freeholders to increase the amount that counties might give to hospitals from $15,000 to $20,000 a year. The bill is in the interest of Union county and will probably pass without opposition as it is not mandatory in its provisions.

Kean As Everybody's Friend.

In this week's issue of the Saturday Evening Post, United States Senator John Kean is dissected in the "Who's Who and Why" page. He is pictured as "Everybody's Friend"—fills the role of listening to everyone's troubles and is in fact a receptable for all confidences worth having. As the right hand man of Senator Nelson W. Aldrich, probably the strongest man in the Upper House, he learns what he can and only lets the Rhode Island statesman into his secrets. The character sketch writer gives him credit for always being present while Congress is in session.

Gift from Colonel Collins.

At the review of the Second Regiment will be held tonight at the Armory in Trenton Colonel Dennis F. Collins will be presented with a fine oil painting, the work of a New York artist, and which was secured by his friends in this and other cities. The picture is valued at about $400.

In Union County Court.

Agnes Bushman, formerly of Westfield, is the defendant in the Union County Court, today, in an action brought by the State on a charge of larceny at the jewelry store of Rudolph Brunner, Westfield, on December 23, 1905. The case will probably take all day.

Minch is Acting Governor.

Trenton, Feb. 21.—When Governor Stokes started yesterday on a business trip to Virginia, which will last until Sunday or Monday, Senator Bloomfield H. Minch became acting Governor by virtue of his office as president of the Senate.

Vine Trimmer Arrested.

Daniel Conway, an old vine trimmer, was arrested on a main line trolley car at Richmond street at noon today for drunkenness. He was taken to the station house in the patrol wagon shouting protestations.

—Tomorrow being a legal holiday The Daily Press will not be issued.

—Lovers of good tea and coffee are reminded that Neuman Brothers' store is the place to get them. Nothing but the best grades sold and always at honest prices.

BROWN FOR SURROGATE

Nomination Likely to Go to North Plainfield and Collector is Being Boomed.

ROWLEY A POSSIBILITY

G. O. P. Shrievalty Nomination Will Go To Bernards Man If Cooper Declines—Democrats Prefer Carney.

In Somerset county, the voters will be called upon in the fall to choose not only an assemblyman but a surrogate and a sheriff as well. North Plainfield will be satisfied if the surrogateship plum comes its way and friends of two active Republicans are at work in their behalf. The men in question are Collector George F. Brown and Borough Clerk Frank Rowley. Brown in particular has strong backing, the powers that be looking with favor upon the mention of his name in connection with the nomination.

Mr. Brown's health is not of the best, but it is not expected that that fact would deter him from accepting a nomination, provided he does not want to hold on to the collectorship. Mr. Rowley's friends are also at work and it is believed that a strong fight will be made at the convention to land him in the berth. The Democrats are expected to renominate the present incumbent, William DeMond, of Bridgewater. DeMond is an model official and this fact will draw him many votes from the opposition party.

So far as the shrievalty is concerned, there seems to be an unanimity of opinion in favor of renominating the present incumbent, Edward Cooper, of Warren township. Cooper has given satisfactory service to the county and the Republicans feel that he deserve another term. There is, however, a movement on foot to name a Bernards man. The only other nomination to be made is that of assemblyman. W. W. Cooper, of Bound Brook, will be renominated. As for the Democrats, it is said that David J. Carney would have an excellent chance of nomination for sheriff if he would only say the word. The nomination for assembly is apt to go abegging at the party convention.

WANSER TO REVIEW IN STOKES' ABSENCE

SECOND REGIMENT WILL HAVE MILITARY FUNCTION TONIGHT.

Because of the departure yesterday of Gov. E. C. Stokes on a business trip to the South, plans for the review of the Second Regiment of the National Guard of New Jersey tonight in the Armory at Trenton have been changed and the review of the militia will be by Major General P. Farmer Wanser, of Jersey City, instead of by the Governor. All other details of the review will be carried out as originally planned.

The first call for the review will be sounded in the armory at 8 o'clock. The adjutant's call will be at 9 o'clock. The regiment will pass in review at 9:05 o'clock.

Following the review various military trophies and medals offered during the past year will be presented. The regiment will then participate in a regimental parade which will be followed by a salute to colors. There will be an informal dance at the close of the review and other ceremonies. Music for the dancing will be by Winkler's Second Regiment Band.

Admission to the armory for the review will be by ticket only. Luncheon will be served after the review and this will be strictly confined to tickets of invitation.

Company K and its guests will leave here at 7:20 from the North avenue station.

BIG ICE CROP.

One Company Has Ten Houses Filled.

There is now every prospect that the Natural Ice Company will have a sufficient crop of ice to supply the local trade next summer. The cold weather during the past few weeks has given the company an exceptional opportunity to gather plenty of ice. Ten houses at Watchung are now filled and this week work was started filling the four smaller houses near Wilson's pond. This is by far a greater harvest than was gathered at this time last winter.

The ice is of good thickness, averaging from nine to twelve and fifteen inches. The crop during the latest cold spell was about the finest ever seen in this vicinity, and contains but a very small proportion of snow. The company is naturally much pleased over the result of its work.

MISS WILBUR BECOMES BRIDE OF PHILADELPHIAN

FREEHOLDER'S DAUGHTER WEDDED TO BLAKE BROADHEAD TATHAM AT HOME.

Miss Louise Fink Wilbur, daughter of Freeholder and Mrs. Samuel P. T. Wilbur, and Blake Broadhead Tatham, of Philadelphia, were married last night at the home of the bride, 51 Westervelt avenue. The guests numbered 175. The house was handsomely decorated in pink and white, with pink roses and carnations, to bring out the color scheme against a background of smilax and palms.

The ceremony was performed at 8 o'clock by Rev. C. E. Herring, of the First Presbyterian church. The bridal party entered the parlor, where the marriage was solemnized, from the dining room, through an aisle of ribbons, halting before a bank of palms beside a window. Miss Wilbur was attended by Miss Adele E. Black, of New York, and the best man was Filmore A. Drake, of Akron, O. The ushers were Edward Tatham and Charles Tatham, of Newark, brothers of the groom. James F. Buckle, Jr., was page and Ruth Smith, of Cranford, was flower girl. The wedding music was played by an orchestra.

The bride was dressed in white leary lace over white chiffon and taffeta, and carried white roses and lilies of the valley. She wore a veil caught up with a spray of the lilies. The maid-of-honor was gowned in cream lace over white chiffon and taffeta; she carried pink roses and sweet peas. The flower girl was dressed in white. Mrs. Wilbur was gowned in a handsome creation of gray silk aeolian, trimmed with panels of pan velvet; she wore violets.

A reception followed the ceremony. Among the guests were residents of New York, Brooklyn, Philadelphia, Easton, Westfield, and Newark. After the reception the bride and groom left for a honeymoon trip to the South.

They will make their home in Philadelphia, where the groom is in the automobile business. Mr. Tatham is the son of Mrs. Mary A. Tatham, of Philadelphia.

The bride received a roomful of gifts. They included furniture, china, objects of art, silver and cut glass. Fine pieces of the latter were conspicuous in the array.

The bride's gift to the groom was a pair of gold cuff buttons and his gift to her was a check. The best man and ushers received stickpins and the maid-of-honor a pearl daisy pin. The page received a stickpin and the flower girl a baby pin.

CITY'S FIRST NEWSDEALER DIES AT HIS WESTERN HOME.

W. H. Forman, Aged Sixty-five Years, Passes Away at St. Louis.

W. H. Forman, a cousin of Former Freeholder L. E. Barkalew, of the borough, the first man to sell New York newspapers in Plainfield, died recently in St. Louis, where he was living. It was about sixty-five years ago that he was engaged in selling papers here. He lived in the house now occupied by W. M. Angleman, the grocer, No. 45 Somerset street. He first started business by selling the New York Sun, being assisted in securing The Sun by Robert Anderson, who was in Moses Beach's bank at East Front street and Bank place. Mr. Beach was the owner of the New York Sun at that time. He will be remembered by some of the older residents.

PEOPLE'S LOBBY WANT BILLS REFERRED TO THE PEOPLE.

Essex County Branch Meet and Effect Permanent Organization.

Walter Linbarger, the representative from North Plainfield, attended a meeting of the Executive Committee of the People's Lobby in Newark, last night, to make arrangements for introducing the referendum bills in the Legislature next week. These measures provide that bills shall be referred to the people.

In connection with this meeting the Essex County Branch effected an organization by electing Former Assemblyman O'Hines as permanent secretary; William Hoerster, secretary; Dr. Adolph Roeder, F. W. Kelsey and Charles H. Ingersoll as an executive committee.

Death of T. C. F. Fingerhut.

Theodore C. F. Fingerhut, aged fifty-six years, for many years a resident at Mt. Bethel, where he had a chicken farm, died yesterday morning from Bright's disease. The funeral services will be held from the Mt. Bethel church, tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock and interment will be at Mt. Bethel.

Entertainment Tonight.

S. S. Swackhamer will make an address at the entertainment to be given by the Ladies' Aid Society of the Christian church tonight.

N. B. SMALLEY SAYS "NO"

Mayor Thinks Four Terms Enough and Will Decline Another Nomination.

POLITICS IN BOROUGH

Mayor, Collector, Assessor, Two Councilmen and Freeholder to Be Elected In North Plainfield in the Fall.

Not only will the boroughites have to select a new mayor in the fall but it will also have to a collector, an assessor, two councilmen and a freeholder. Mayor Newton B. Smalley won't be re-elected for the simple reason that he will refuse to accept a renomination. He says so, himself, so that ends it. After having filled the office—most creditably too—for four consecutive terms, His Honor has resolved to retire from the limelight of publicity. Higher honors

Mayor N. B. Smalley.

are in store for him, says his friends but just what they may be can not be learned.

Neither party has brought out any candidate as yet and there is likely to be "nothing doing" until fall. There is an abundance of good material within the ranks of both the Democratic and the Republican parties, however, and it is not thought that the nominations will go begging. One politician in the borough said last night that he had heard the name of former Councilman James K. Arnold mentioned by Republicans, and he had also heard of a little boom for Samuel Townsend by Democrats. Mr. Townsend is now one of the members of the Board of Education and like Mr. Arnold has always taken a deep interest in borough affairs.

There appears to be no question that George F. Brown will be renominated by the Republicans for collector provided he wants another term, but there are whispers that he will get a bigger job next fall. Assessor J. H. Cooley will be unopposed for another nomination, it has been learned on good authority, and the same applies to Freeholder Smith. The terms of two councilmen, John H. VanWinkle, Jr., and Frank Krewson, will also expire. Nothing has been said as to these positions, but it is likely that the Republicans will have a large field to pick from in making these nominations.

"UNCLE" NORTON ALL RIGHT.

No Need For Customers of Pawnbroker Who Moved to Worry.

Harry A. Norton, the pawnbroker who conducted a shop on East Front street, for several weeks, has moved to Newark. The business outlook here was not promising enough.

One or two of the few people who had pledged jewelry with him have been worried over their goods, but their worriment was needless. He left his address with Chief of Police Kiely and anyone who wants to learn it can get the information at police headquarters. Norton came here from Trenton and there was the same perturbation among his customers there until the Trenton police gave out his address here. The police vouch for Norton's squareness. They investigated him when he first came to the city. "Norton is all right," said Chief Kiely this morning. "Anyone who has stuff pledged with him can get it back whenever they are ready to redeem it."

Slipped on Walk; Broke an Arm.

Mrs. Aaron Mattox, of Spruce street, slipped on an icy walk on West Seventh street, Tuesday night, and fell heavily, sustaining a broken arm and several bad bruises. She was assisted home and a physician was called to attend her injuries.

President Hadley May Speak.

The Plainfield Yale Club expects to have President Hadley, of Yale, as the principal speaker at the annual banquet to be held at the Casino on March 15.

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Remarkable Offerings for Saturday's Selling.

Being closed on Friday, Washington's Birthday--we intend putting two days' business into one--or do twice the business on Saturday. To do this effectively we have prepared a feast of values that will outrival anything offered so far this year. Come Saturday prepared to get your share of the good things.

Fine Millinery.

First showing of Spring Millinery. On Saturday, February 23d, we will place on sale a most exceptional line of new stylishly trimmed Suit Hats at a price that will astonish you. These Hats are the very essence of newness in the new shapes and colors. This sale will be for Saturday only; values up to $7.00, for $3.98

Another Decorated China Sale.

This will prove the best offering made so far. This lot consists of beautiful Decorated Cake Plates, Butter Dishes, Covered Vegetable Dishes and Meat Dishes, at 9 o'clock Saturday morning, so be on hand in time. Values up to $1.75. Sale price ..... .39

(See Window Display.)

Outing Flannel Night Shirts for Men.

This lot consists of superior quality outing flannel, perfectly made and finished, and will be offered Saturday at less than half regular price. They are worth regularly $1.00 to $1.25; Saturday, all day ..... .43

Ladies' Tailored Suits.

We have gone over our suit racks and find that we have 26 Ladies' Fine Tailored Suits left. We don't want them any longer. We wish to exchange them for your money, but you get the best end of the bargain. Here's the price, just about half what they are worth:

5 Suits, sale price $8.50
6 Suits, sale price $11.00
6 Suits, sale price $12.50
5 Suits, sale price $14.50
4 Suits, sale price $17.50

Ladies' Waists.

Ladies' Mercerized Taffeta Plaid Waists in a big variety of color combinations. These waists are handsomely made, and are worth regularly $2.50; special price for Saturday only ..... .98

Black Sateen Petticoats.

An immense purchase of handsome Black Sateen Petticoats, with deep shirred flounce, full width. They are regular $1.00 value. For Saturday evening from 7 till 10 o'clock they will be sold for ..... .63

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

STIRLING.

Miss Rosa Herrmann, of Valley road, who had been spending ten months with her uncle, of West Branch, N. Y., on account of ill health, is expected home today.

Donald Swenson, of this town, who had been suffering from heart trouble for the past three months, died Tuesday at his home on Warren street.

Fred Herrmann, of Valley road, left here yesterday for Atlantic City, where he will spend a few weeks with relatives.

There will be a Washington's Birthday party tonight at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nicklas Thomas, of Millington.

Mrs. Theodore Bebout, of Main street, spent yesterday with friends in New York.

Rev. George Sluter, of this place, is suffering from a severe attack of the grip.

Mrs. Fred V. Biscoe, of Chestnut street, is visiting friends in New York.

Miss Rotha Thomas, of Chestnut street, is suffering from a severe cold.

BOUND BROOK.

The annual meeting of the Washington Camp Ground Association of Bound Brook will be held in Voorhees Hall, Bound Brook, Friday night. Rev. Dr. Henry R. Rose, of Newark, will give an illustrated lecture on "Our National Capital and Mt. Vernon."

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Hoffman and son, Clarence Hoffman, of Newark, were recently entertained at the home of Mr. Hoffman's sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Merlett, of South Bound Brook.

Rev. Dr. Henry Stout will be installed pastor of the Reformed church of South Bound Brook Monday night, February 25. Rev. Dr. James La Fevre, of Somerville, will preach the sermon.

Miss Nellie Sullivan, of Somerville, and Miss May Slingerman, of New Brunswick, were recent guests of Mrs. Elizabeth Lovering, at her home in Elizabeth street, South Bound Brook.

Peter Freuler, Jr., and daughter, of New York, are being entertained at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Freuler, Sr., in Prospect place, Beachwood Heights.

The annual masquerade ball of Indianola Tribe, No. 219, Improved Order of Red Men, of Bound Brook, will be held in Bound Brook Hall tonight.

Mrs. Harriet Robins, of South Bound Brook, has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hunt, of Raritan.

Mrs. John B. Willis is laid up at her home in Greenbrook with the grip.

NORTH BRANCH.

Rev. George H. Stephens has returned to his home in Philadelphia, after spending some time with his sisters, the Misses Bessie and Anna Stephens, at North Branch Depot.

Miss Alice Packer, Miss Squires and Miss Wilson, of Newark, have been guests at the home of Beniah J. Everett, at Neshanic, for a few days.

Miss Effie Beekman, of Bedminster, who attends the high school in Bernardsville, captured first honors in the recent midwinter examinations.

F. H. Benson, a student from the Princeton Theological Seminary, will preach in the Reformed church in this place next Sunday morning.

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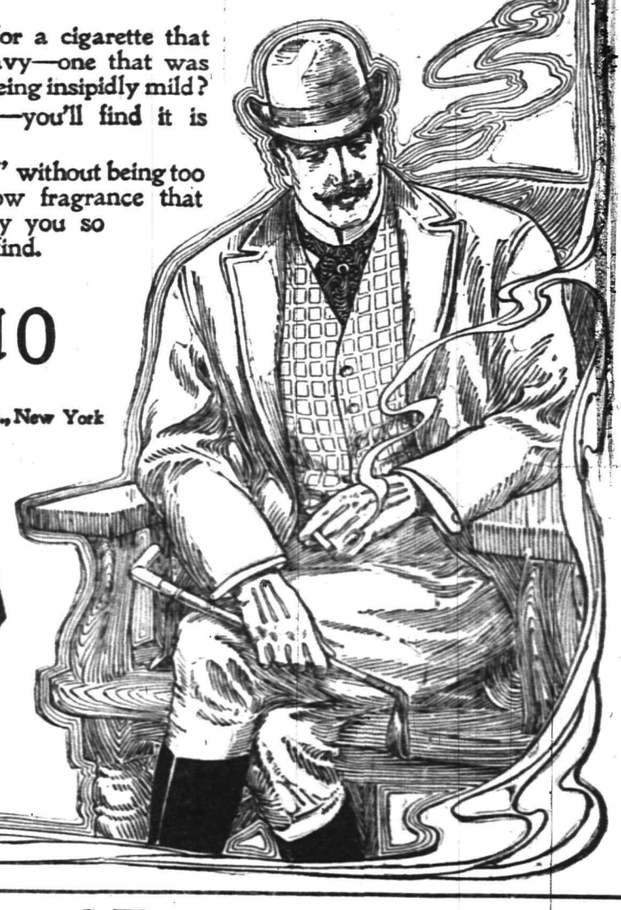

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7c yard—500 yards of Outing Flannel, extra heavy weight; good assortment of patterns; regular value 10c yard.

7c yard—1,000 yards of Apron Ginghams, well selected assortment of patterns; regular value 9c yard.

4c yard—2,500 yards White Crash Toweling, good width and quality; regular value 6c yard.

6c yard—500 yards Crash Toweling, extra heavy weight and good value at 8c yard.

25c yard—Special lot of Dress Goods Remnants, all different lengths; regular price of these goods was 50c yard.

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USE PRESS WANT ADS

Miss Sarah Gulick, of Gladstone, has been a guest for a few days of Mrs. William Lisk, at Union Grove, near Pottersville.

Miss Mary Disbrow, of Bound Brook, is a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Disbrow, near North Branch Depot.

Miss Anna P. DuMont, of North Branch Depot, is spending a week with Mrs. C. A. Troup, in New York.

Alexander B. Brokaw, of Neshanic, has been a guest of his sister, Mrs. Vandervoort, near Millstone.

'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Sheelen Bros., of Fanwood, have purchased of the Central New Jersey Land Improvement Co. the store property they have occupied ever since they went into business. The property is located on South avenue, opposite the club house, and is considered the most desirable business property in the borough. The price paid has not been announced, but papers in the deal were passed Monday. The firm is composed of Borough Collector Charles Sheelen and Augustus Sheelen, the well known bowler. Both are popular among a large circle and this together with square dealing with the public has built them up a large trade among the borough and 'Plains residents.

The fair of Excelsior Hook and Ladder Company opens tonight in the hall. Everything is ready and all that is needed to make the three days' sale the success it should be is the support and liberal patronage of the residents. The fair will be open tomorrow afternoon on account of its being a holiday.

The pupils of the public school held their Washington Birthday exercises this afternoon in the assembly room. A pleasing patriotic programme was rendered and enjoyed by a number of the parents and friends. At the close of the programme school was dismissed until Monday morning at 9 o'clock.

Washington's Birthday will be appropriately observed here tomorrow. The stores will close part of the day, the pupils of the school will enjoy a full holiday and the majority of the residents will honor the day.

George Baldwin is again detained at home with sciatic rheumatism, having suffered a relapse on account of going out too soon.

Judgment for the full amount has been rendered in Justice Clark's court in the contract case of Smith against Miller.

Miss Edith Elliott has been detained at home several days on account of a severe attack of the grip.

John Miller is suffering from a badly sprained ankle, the result of a fall on the ice.

John Reick has been confined to his home for several days on account of illness.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

The annual school meeting will be held March 19. The budget will be about the same. If the State apportionment is larger than expected, teachers' salaries will be raised.

The Martha Washington supper of the Baptist church tomorrow night will begin at 6 o'clock and last until 9. "Martha" and "George" will receive the guests.

Friendship Lodge is growing rapidly. Six applications were brought in at the last meeting by C. T. Rogers and others are expected at the next session.

In the first five months of the school year 103 pupils have kept their attendance record clear. The total enrollment is 230.

The suit of the Syracuse Stove Co. against George Steengraafe, on contract, will be heard by Justice Von Minden on Monday.

Another match between Thomas Groves and Frank Smalley is being arranged. A purse will be hung up, probably.

C. T. Rogers & Co. has sued A. A. Stryker, on contract, in Justice Von Minden's court. It will probably be settled.

The sight of one of Peter Benward's eyes has been lost beyond repair. It is hoped to save the other.

There will be a meeting of the men of the Presbyterian church tomorrow night to organize a brotherhood.

Devotions will be held in St. John's church on Wednesday and Friday nights during Lent.

Miss Mabel Cole has returned from a visit to friends in Jersey City.

SOMERVILLE.

Camp Middlebrook Chapter, D. A. R., was entertained Tuesday, at the home of Mrs. Green, by Mrs. Green and Mrs. Stillwell.

Mrs. Cassie Garretson, of Millstone, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Clare Brown, on Staten Island.

Nickel Saves His Life.

New York, Feb. 21.—Deflecting the course of a bullet, a five cent piece yesterday saved the life of Samuel Poemerantz, a plumber, of 86 Watkins street, who was shot by Samuel Fischer, twenty-four years old, who describes himself as an actor, of No. 486 Rockaway avenue, in No. 309 East New York avenue. Striking against the coin, which Poemerantz had in his vest pocket, the bullet pierced his shirts, but only caused a slight flesh wound of the abdomen. Fischer says he fired in self-defence.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

GOTHAM'S AMUSEMENTS

Miss Ida Tarbell, the magazine writer who exposed Standard Oil for the first time, attended a matinee at the New York Hippodrome last week, and with a woman friend occupied seats HH-36-37 in the top gallery, these seats being in about the tenth row of the cheapest seats. Miss Tarbell explained at the box office, when she secured the tickets, that she wanted to view the Hippodrome performance from the standpoint of the masses, and voluntary went into the chaeper seats so as to observe the effect of this performance upon the people around her. After the matinee she said the effect of the dazzling extravaganza on the people near her was phenomenal, and that hundreds of them remained motionless in their seats after the final curtain, evidently unable to realize that the dream of fairyland was over and that they must depart.

When it is to happen no one knows—not even Miss Starr knows—but some day the dainty little actress, who has leaped into immediate popularity by her captivating portrayal of the leading role in Mr. Belasco's "Rose of the Rancho," hopes to have an opportunity to interpret her heart's idol, Juliet, Shakespeare's star-crossed heroine.

Miss Starr confessed her ambition to a woman friend the other day under a pledge of secrecy, which is why it appears here in cold type, for she is too modest to proclaim it from the housetops. She wouldn't play Juliet now, though she had the chance. With characteristic good sense she recognizes the intricacies of tragedy and is content to wait until her style and method have matured. Her ambition is to work and become a serious actress.

"Some people think that small women should play youthful parts always," she said. "That's beautiful; but to get away from that and to be taken seriously on the strength of your art, that's real ambition."

She has a scrapbook containing some fine notices of her serious work during her brief career as a stock actress, particularly of a death scene she played in Pinero's 'Lady Bountiful,' in San Francisco. The tenor of those notices is sufficiently flattering to warrant her in raising longing eyes to the altitude where Juliet sits enthroned. And with her own delightful personality for a premise, how she would play the part under Belasco's quickening touch!

Daily Press want ads. pay.

Tomorrow being a legal holiday, there will be no books circulated at the Public Library. The reading room will be open from 2 until 6 o'clock in the afternoon; with an assistant in attendance.

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FOR SALE—Very desirable eight-room house; all improvements, gas and electric light; lot 40x170; possession May 1; a good bargain. J. T. Vail. 2 16 tf

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FOR SALE—Automobile; fine light side entrance touring car; like new; exceptional bargain. Thompson, 313 West Front. 2 15 8

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P. S. KIELY, Chief of Police.

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Korn-Kinks, Malted Corn Flakes, a package **4c**	Alpha Home Pudding, Cocoanut Rice, Cocoanut Tapioca, a pkg **4c**	Uneeda Biscuits, fresh and crisp, a package **4c**	Huntley & Palmer's Marie Biscuits, 15c kind, a pkg **10c**
Stuffed Dates, 25c kind, a box **17c**	Heinz Strawberry Preserves, 45c kind, 2-lb bottle **39c**	Marasquin Cherries, $1.25 size, ½-gallon bottle, **85c**	New York State Hand-picked Pea Beans, 10 lbs .....39c, 5 lbs 21c
Kippered Herring, from Canada, large tin **11c**	Choice Pulled Figs, 18c kind, a lb **15c**	McCann's Irish Oatmeal, 55c kind, 5-lb tin **49c**	Crystalized Ginger, a tin **8c**

CHOICE CALIFORNIA NAVAL ORANGES, a dozen.....25c, 35c and 45c
FLORIDA SWEET ORANGES, Indian River Fruit, a dozen.....25c and 35c

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Smoked Bloaters, per fish....3c
Boneless Codfish, a lb.....12c
Salt Herring, a lb.....5c
Salmon (Colman Flag) a can 12c
Bird Rock Lobster, ½-lb can 20c
Bird Rock Lobster, 1-lb can 35c
Little Neck Clams, a can....10c
Sardines, in oil, a can.....4c
Sardines, in mustard, large tin 8c
Smoked Salmon, thinly sliced in glass .....16c and 28c
Boneless Herring, glass tumblers 10c
Russian Sardines, a bottle...10c
Fresh Ground Horseradish, a bottle 8c

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Syrup, Golden Drips, pure sugar syrup, a gal. 45c; a qt....13c
Flour, Hecker's Hygenic, whole wheat flour, 12 lb bag....39c
Buckwheat, new Sussex County, 25 lb bag, 76c; 12 lb bag, 39c
Graham Flour, fresh ground, 5-lb bag 14c
Rye Flour, fresh ground, 5-lb bag 14c
Oatmeal, best White Rolled Oats, 6-lb bag 21c
Corn Meal, best granulated, yellow or white, 5-lb bag.....13c
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Farina, Best Wheat Farina, 4-lb bag.....15c

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Peas, Fort Hill Brand, can 12c; per dozen.....$1.30
Spinach, Nabob Brand, can 14c; per dozen.....$1.60
Asparagus, Shrewsbury Points, can 20c; per dozen....$2.20
Pears, in heavy syrup, large can 15c; per dozen $1.70
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1 package Farina.....10c
3-lb package Rice.....20c
2-lb package Scheuer's Oats..10c
1 package Parlor Matches...12c
1 bottle Royal Shoe Dressing..10c
2 cakes Scouring Soap, each...5c
2 bottles Ink, a bottle.....5c

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Choice Young Turkey, a lb .....20c and 22c
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Corned Beef Tongues, lb.....15c
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Shoulder of Lamb, lb.....12c
Prepared Ham, lb.....15c
Fresh Rump Roast, lb.....12c
Rump Corned Beef, lb.....12c
Fresh Pork Sausage, lb.....14c
Pickled Tripe, a lb.....5c
Hamburg Steak, lb.....10c
Philadelphia Scrapple, lb.....10c

$1.00 in Stamps With Any of the Following:

4 lbs. California Prunes.....25c
3-lb package Buckwheat.....15c
¼-lb package Black Pepper 10c
¼-lb package Cinnamon....12c
¼-lb package Cloves.....12c
1 package Macaronni 10c
1 bottle Cider Vinegar.....10c
1 can Baked Beans.....10c
1 can Black Jack Stove Polish 10c
1 box Tooth Powder.....10c
8-lb bag Salt 10c
1 box Starch Luster.....10c
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Mrs. Francis Whiteley, of Steiner place, is detained at her home by illness.

PERSONAL.

Miss Lillian Whittal, of Carlton avenue, is much improved from a severe illness.

Harry McGee, of Orchard place, continues to improve from an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. George Edwards, formerly of this city, but now of Cranford, is visiting friends in town.

Mrs. Thomas Cuming, of Fairview avenue, who has been visiting at Stelton, has returned home.

Fred Armstrong, of Duer street, has about recovered from an illness of several weeks, which threatened typhoid fever.

Miss May Vincent Whitney, of Third place, will take part in a musicale to be held in Newark on Saturday, March 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence L. Murphy will remove from the Stirling building to their new home on East Second street about April 1.

City Treasurer William F. Arnold, who has been detained at home by a slight attack of the grip, will probably be able to leave the house today.

W. Cleveland Runyon, of New York, who has been spending several days with his aunt, Mrs. L. J. Denton, of Washington avenue, has returned home.

Albert Steiner, teller at the Plainfield Trust Company, who was injured coasting on Lincoln's Birthday, has recovered sufficiently to be at his desk again.

Mrs. Henry M. Feley, who was recently married and is now residing in New York, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Dunn, of Sandford avenue.

Miss Elizabeth Winn, of the Jackson building, will go to New York tomorrow to visit her father, Captain Winn, on his sailing vessel. She will return home on Monday.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Monroe Avenue M. E. church will hold a chicken supper in the church tonight.

Lawyer S. S. Swackhamer will deliver a lecture at the Christian church tonight under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society.

The Young People's Association of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will meet tomorrow night for the third study in the "Life of Christ."

Rev. George B. Shaw, who has just returned from a three weeks' tour of Rhode Island, will occupy his pulpit at the Seventh-Day Baptist church Sabbath morning.

There will be reception of new members at the communion service to be held at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church on Sunday morning, March 3.

Rev. Samuel Price, of Camden, will deliver his illustrated lecture on "Nansen's Trip to the Pole," at the Park Avenue Baptist church Thursday night, February 28.

Rev. Dr. J. S. Zelie, of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, will deliver the second of the series of special sermons on "Lessons from the Book of Proverbs," on Sunday night. The subject will be "Some People Whom the Wise Men Observed."

It is expected that either Dr. Waldo or Maurice Audsley will assist at the free Lenten recital to be given at the Church of the Holy Cross Saturday afternoon. Dr. Waldo is a 'cello player of note and Mr. Audsley is well-known as a violin player.

Under the auspices of the Missionary and Aid Society of Warren chapel an entertainment will be held in the chapel Wednesday night, February 27, for the benefit of the building fund. No admission fee will be charged, but a silver offering will be received.

More Space for Union Celebration.

Elizabeth, Feb. 21.—From present indications, the "Old Home Week" executive committee will have to provide more room than was originally contemplated to accommodate the large number of manufacturers, business firms and amusement enterprises seeking concessions to exhibit within the "Old Home Week" grounds. The prices which the committee is being offered for privileges to exhibit are increasing from week to week, and the revenue from this source will be much larger than had been expected. The parade committee will meet tonight to outline arrangements for the big pageant which it is proposed to hold during the week of the celebration, and which will be the largest and most elaborate ever witnessed in this city. In the meantime the committee on sports is contemplating the largest and most interesting athletic program ever offered in Union county.

Douglass Jumps His Bonds.

Stewart Douglass, who was arrested for chicken stealing, and was released on $400 bonds furnished by his counsel, Abe David, has departed for parts unknown. Yesterday morning application was made in the Union County Court for the forfeiture of the bonds, and the same was granted. Douglass was indicted by the Grand Jury and his case was to have been called soon.

—The workmen are making excellent progress in the work of remodelling the Plainfield Savings Bank building and it is expected that the bank will be ready for business during the early part of the summer.

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EVENTS SCHEDULED FOR THE HOLIDAY

ATTRACTIONS AT THE THEATRE, Y. M. C. A., HIGH SCHOOL AND ELSEWHERE.

Washington's Birthday, a legal holiday, will be generally observed in this city tomorrow. Although there are a limited number of attractions, there are enough to provide a pleasant day and evening for all. At the Y. M. C. A. two strong and pleasing programmes are booked. The afternoon matinee by the D. W. Robertson projectoscope company will present everything new in the moving picture world, including the latest illustrated songs and Young, the wonderful Japanese juggler. The evening programme, the last of the season's Star Course entertainments, will be presented by the Mendelssohn Concert Company—a combination of artists strongly endorsed by the press as entertainers of rare ability in the musical and literary field.

Another strong attraction will be at The New Plainfield theatre, where a matinee and evening performance of Charles Klein's great play, "The Daughters of Men," will be given by a metropolitan cast. It portrays the struggle between capital and labor. The problem is the labor union question.

An event of special interest to pupils and graduates of the Plainfield High School will be the annual reception and dance of the Alumni Association to Miss Ellen Niles, who has completed a long service as one of the faculty. Frank Moss, the New York lawyer, will also make an address.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Grace M. E. church, has arranged a "Mother Goose Bazaar," which commences tonight and will continue tomorrow afternoon and night, where many attractions will be offered.

Tomorrow night the Young Men's Association of Hope Chapel, assisted by the young women, will give an Old Folks' concert at the chapel under the leadership of Judge William N. Runyon.

In addition to the above there will be a number of smaller celebrations of a private character, appropriate to the day, and altogether the holiday primeses to be an enjoyable one for young and old.

NEW THEATRE PROBABLE FOR NEW BRUNSWICK.

A new theatre, devoted exclusively to vaudeville, with nightly performances and frequent matinees, is one of the probabilities of the near future for New Brunswick. Vaudeville managers have had their eye on that city for some time, thinking that there is a good opening here for first class vaudeville, but no one has cared to go to the expense of putting up a building for that purpose and there were no properties that could be readily converted into a comfortable theatre. The decision of the Y. M. C. A. directors to sell their building on Church street solves the problem.

J. Brognard Wright, the real estate man who has this building for sale, is in communication with capitalists who are considering taking the building for the purpose of utilizing the theatre part of it. The theatre is fully equipped with scenery and has a seating capacity for 400 people, and is comfortably arranged. It is just the kind of a place that a vaudeville manager would want.

It is understood that the directors want $30,000 for the building. It is argued that by utilizing the small frame building now used as a photograph gallery, alongside of the building and extending it two very deep stores could be made out of the building without molesting the auditorium part at all.

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GRAND LODGE SESSION

New Jersey Knights of Pythias Holding Annual Convention at Trenton.

REPORTS PRESENTED

Three Plainfielders In Class of Fifty-Seven That Received Grand Lodge Degree.

The forty-fourth annual convention of the Grand Lodge of the Knights of Pythias of New Jersey was opened at Trenton yesterday to continue until Friday. The feature of the opening session was the conferring of the grand lodge rank on fifty-seven candidates. The work was performed in the presence of more than 300 grand knights from all parts of the State.

The Plainfielders who received the Grand Lodge degree were Philip Jahn, Elmer D. Cutting and Walter L. Hetfield, Jr., while Harry Werner, Morgan Turton and M. F. Cano were among the witnesses. Following the business session for the day, the Plainfielders secured a special permit to visit the State prison and were shown through the most interesting parts of the big structure.

The reports of the officers show the organization to be flourishing financially, but for the first time in many years there is shown a decrease in membership. An effort will be made during the coming year to regain this loss in members and to increase the membership to a point never attained before.

Grand Chancellor Joseph Wilson, Jr., of South Amboy, in his annual report, said that there were 81,819 members in good standing in the insurance department of the order, carrying a protection of $125,445,000. This is a net increase in membership during 1906 of 6,962 and in insurance in force of $8,239,500. During 1906 860 death claims were paid, entailing $1,593,269.80 for settlement.

Speaking of the uniform branch, the grand chancellor said there were 500 members in the two regiments, and that there should be 5,000 in the State. Concerning the Pythian sisters, he said there were two branches of this department, the Pythian Sisterhood and the Rathbone Sisters, the former composed of women only and the latter of both sexes.

Elmer E. Margerum, of Trenton, grand keeper of the records and seals, in his annual report said that there was a gain of $22,702.17 over last year in the finances of the grand lodge. The total membership was 15,021, showing a net loss for the year of 84. The receipts during the year were $158,295.51. For the relief of widows' families, burial of the dead, etc., $70,792.91 were spent. The total expenses of the grand lodge during the year were $4,197.59.

The following officers were elected: Past grand chancellor, Joseph Wilson, Jr., South Amboy; grand chancellor, William T. Hilliard, Salem; grand vice-chancellor, Abram Klenert, Paterson; grand keeper of records and seal, Elmer E. Margerum, of Trenton; grand master of exchequer, John Patrick, of Rutherford; grand prelate, Henry A. Heinrichs, Paterson; grand master at arms, A. Lewis Drucker, Elizabeth; grand guard, Harry C. Keeler, Newark; grand outer guard, William S. Quick, Somerville.

WANT TUBERCULOSIS HOSPITAL FOR VERONA.

Women Plead With Newark Board of Health to Establish One.

At a meeting of the Newark Board of Health last night Mrs. Edwin A. Prieth and Mrs. Mary Wilson, of Montclair, appeared and asked sanction for a plan which they have evolved for the establishment of a tuberculosis sanitarium on the grounds of the Newark City Home at Verona.

It is proposed by them to use for that purpose a girls' cottage in the group of buildings which is not now in use. It would accommodate about sixty patients, is at high altitude and is surrounded by about six acres of land. The two women are engaged in the matter from motives of voluntary charity.

They said their attention had been called to the need of an institution for lung tuberculosis victims by a case in Newark of which they had knowledge. It was that of a man for whom they were obtaining hospital treatment. They investigated and found that there were scores of similar cases. They enlisted the sympathy of Newark officials. Their idea was to have the city provide and operate the place and to receive pay patients as well as others.

Dr. H. C. H. Herrold, president of the Board of Health, told the women that the matter will be taken up by the board with the Common Council, the Finance Committee of which would have to provide the means for the operation of such an institution. It is expected that the cost would approximate $40,000 a year, and many phases of the practical workings would have to be decided upon before it could be undertaken.

Levi Bird, of Somerset street, is critically ill with pneumonia.

Among the Washington Birthday events will be a lunch-box social to be held tomorrow night under the auspices of the Women's Relief Corps in G. A. R. Hall.

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RECEIVER'S NOTICE.

J. Henry Crane, receiver of Empire Match Company, heretofore appointed by the Chancellor of the State of New Jersey, in a cause pending in the Court of Chancery, wherein Abraham Gro, and others are complainants and the said Empire Match Company is defendant, hereby gives notice to the creditors of the said Empire Match Company, to present and make proof to said receiver of their several claims and demands against the said defendant corporation within three months from the 19th day of February, 1907, and that all creditors and claimants failing so to do within the time so limited, will be excluded from the benefits of any dividends that may be made and declared upon the proceeds of the affects of the said corporation. This notice is given pursuant to the direction of the Chancellor made in an order in said cause dated February 13, 1907.
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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS

WHITEHOUSE.

William B. Sharp, seventy-three years old, who died a few days ago in Somerville, was born at Rowland's Mills and learned the blacksmithing trade with James Ewing, at Pleasant Run. He was a partner of his brother, John J. Sharp, at Branchville, now South Branch, for several years, and in 1872 went to Somerville.

Whitehouse Grange, No. 159, Patrons of Husbandry, is making arrangements to hold a public entertainment in Grange Hall, Whitehouse, on Saturday evening, March 9. It will consist of dialogues, recitations, singing, etc.

The congregation of the Methodist Episcopal church in Whitehouse tendered Rev. Dr. Sylvanus D. Decker, the pastor, a donation visit last night. A supper was served.

The wedding of Miss Bessie Perry, of Dreahook, and Jacob H. Young, of New York, took place at the home of the bride, near Whitehouse Station, last evening at 6:30 o'clock.

A delegation of members of St. Luke's chapel at Peapack went to New York today to attend a missionary meeting in St. James' church.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Whitehouse will be entertained Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Joseph Higgins.

Mrs. Andrew Melick, of New Germantown, is ill at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick L. Lamerson, at Pottersville.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Melick, of Round Valley, have been visiting Mr. Melick's brother, J. W. Melick, at Grandin.

Miss Nellie McConnell has returned to her home at Pottersville, after a visit to friends at Bernardsville for ten days.

Miss Alice Hall, of New Germantown, has returned from a few days' visit to relatives in Somerville.

Mrs. H. N. Miller, of Peapack, has returned from a visit to relatives in Bayonne and Newark.

Miss Nellie Simons, of Gladstone, is suffering from an attack of grip.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

The Young People's Social Club will give an original Etheopian sketch, and Mme. Jarley's Wax Works entertainment tonight. Dancing will be a feature.

Frank Randolph, of Dunellen, will begin the work on the electric lights in the Baptist church on Tuesday. The work will be completed by Saturday.

The borough committee of the Good Government Club held a meeting at the home of William Hamilton last night.

The tickets for the Gold Medal minstrel show to be given in Washington Hall on February 27, are now on sale.

Miss Giles is substituting for Miss Smalley at the local school.

SMOKING ROOM FEATURE OF KING'S DAUGHTERS' FETE.

Plans for Three Days' Event at the Casino in April.

The Floral Fete to be held at the Casino on April 11, 12 and 13 for the Day Nursery, under the auspices of the City Union, King's Daughters, will be one of the most elaborate of the kind ever given in town. The enthusiasm with which the members and the various committees are taking hold of the details assures a great success. As the name of the affair implies flowers will form a large part of the decorations. Each one of the several booths will be arranged with some particular flower.

The Casino has been engaged for the fete, and aming the features will be a smoking room for the men and another room will be reserved for light suppers and chafing dishes. This will be in charge of Miss Rafferty. The various booths, the circles in charge and the articles for sale will be as follows:

Charity, useful articles; Golden Rule, lemonade; Daughters of the Cross, misscellaneous; Cheerful Workers, flowers; Benevolent, cake; Brightside, books, stationery; Whatsoever, Japanese tea room and fishing pond for children; Loyal Daughters, Red Cross, bath room accessories, etc.; Cup Bearers, candy; Silver Cross, will furnish entertainment Thursday afternoon and night; Emanuel, ice cream.

Besides the above there will be tables for the sale of fancy hat pins to be in charge of Mrs. George A. Beaton and another table of jewelry to be in charge of Mrs. W. L. C. Glenney. In the effort being made to secure funds for the maintenance of the Day Nursery, the committee wants it known that rugs and pictures are much needed at the nursery and if anyone has a piano which they would like to donate it would be greatly appreciated.

It has also been arranged to have Mrs. Daniel F. Ginna take charge of the sale of small plain and fancy tables and Mrs. Dorsey Hyde will sell dolls.

TO ARGUE FRED LANG APPEAL NEXT WEEK.

Supreme Court to Take Up the Case of Hungarian Youth—Under Sentence of Death.

New Brunswick, Feb. 21.—The appeal in the case of Fred Lang, sentenced to death for the murder of his niece, Kate Gordon, near Piscataway Town, last April, will probably be argued before the Supreme Court next week. The day will most likely be Monday. Alan H. and Theodore Strong will appear for the prisoner and Prosecutor George Berdine for the State.

Lang was tried in July last before Supreme Court Justice Swayze. At the opening of the trial Alan Strong, who with Senator Strong, had been assigned for the defense, sought to have the indictment dismissed because two of the grand jurors of that term, which found the indictment, were over the statutory age of sixty-five. Justice Swayze refused the application. Exception was also taken to certain evidence introduced, but the appeal was based principally on the age of the jurors.

Lang was sentenced to be hanged on August 28, but the execution was stayed by Chancellor Magie, of the Court of Errors and Appeals, granting the appeal and sending it to the Supreme Court for argument. Had the Chancellor refused, the case would have gone directly to the Court of Errors. As the case stands now, if the Supreme Court denies the appeal, the case can still be carried up.

Since his conviction Lang has shown signs of a peculiar mental condition and has once been examined for his sanity. The physicians declined to pronounce him insane.

Once he made a rope from the bedtick and said he was going to hang himself. He wanted Warden Rogers to let him go out to a tree to do the job, and when refused, surrendered the rope. Another time he set fire to his bed. Frequently he has set up all night and disturbed the jail by singing and shouting. Lately, however, he has been pretty quiet.

Lang is only 23 years of age, and is of Hungarian birth. He shot Katie Gordon because she refused to marry him. He admitted this in a letter he wrote in jail to his mother, and which, being interpreted, formed a strong point for the State at the trial. He escaped after his crime and wandered about a couple of months, then returned to this city and was captured in a saloon.

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PERSONAL.

Mrs. Alfred K. Willett, of Craig place, is ill at her home with the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Browning, of East Front street, are entertaining relatives from Harrisburg, Pa.

Miss Justine Roberts, of Brooklyn, is visiting at the home of her grandfather, Dan S. Roberts, of Prospect place.

Mrs. Alexander Grant, of Central avenue, has recovered from her recent illness and is able to be out again.

Wallace Pearce, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Pearce, of Essex street, was removed to Muhlenberg Hospital, last night, and operated upon for appendicitis. To all appearances it was entirely successful and today he was reported as doing nicely.

Unity Lodge Notice.

Members of Unity Lodge, No. 102, Knights of Pythias, are requested to meet in the lorge room Friday afternoon at 1:15 o'clock to attend the funeral of our late brother, William Laible. Will leave on the 1:45 trolley car.

A. E. CAUSBROOK, C. C.,
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DIED.

PRUGH—On Wednesday, Feb. 20, 1907, Mary, wife of John Prugh, in her 81st year.

Services at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. R. V. Kinney, 186 Somerset street, on Friday, February 22, at 3 p. m. Interment at Easton, Pa. Friends and relatives are invited. 2 20 2

WEBB—On Thursday, February 21, 1907, Sarah E. R. Webb, widow of Moses F. Webb, in her 87th year.

Funeral services at 402 Park avenue on Saturday, February 23, at 10 a. m. Interment at New Brunswick, N. J.

PANGBORN—On Wednesday, February 20, 1907, Margaret A., daughter of Lloyd H. Pangborn, aged 8 years, 7 months.

Funeral services at the residence of her father, 432 Watchung avenue, on Friday, February 22, at 10 a. m.

SWENSON—At Stirling, N. J., Tuesday, February 19, 1907, Daniel Swenson, aged 71 years and 8 days.

Funeral at the Presbyterian church, Stirling, Friday afternoon, February 22, at 2 o'clock. Interment at Stirling. 2 20 2

COBBS—On Wednesday, Feb. 20, 1907, Nettie I., wife of Leslie M. Cobbs, in her 21st year.

Services at the home, 637 West Third street, on Friday, February 22, at 2:30 p. m. Interment at Hillside. 2 20 2

VAIN CHASE AFTER INTRUDER.

Auto and Carriage Employed in Pursuit of a Supposed Sneak Thief at Cranford.

Cranford, Feb. 21.—A man, supposed to be a sneak thief, entered Dr. J. K. MacConnell's house yesterday afternoon and had reached the head of the stairs leading to the bedroom when the doctor heard footsteps. The physician asked what the man was doing, and the latter replied he was looking for board.

The doctor told him he had no business there, and ordered him to leave. The man descended the stairs, rushed out the front door and fled down Eastman street. The doctor blew a police whistle, and soon a crowd of boys started in pursuit.

Policeman Otto Bernert secured an automobile and chased the man along Springfield avenue for about a mile, when the machine broke down. The man was then about half a mile in the lead. After a rig was secured the chase was continued, but the fugiitve was not seen again. Arriving at the railroad station at Westfield, the policeman learned that the man had boarded an eastbound train.

The chase was then abandoned. The intruder's coat, which had been discarded, was picked up and taken to the police station, where a search revealed a skeleton key and a pair of gloves.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

Walter Firstbrook will speak at the Plainfield Rescue Mission tonight in the W. C. T. U. rooms on Madison avenue.

The regular weekly prayer meeting will be held at Warren chapel, tonight, instead of tomorrow night, on account of the holiday.

Robert Love will conduct the meeting at the Hunter Avenue Tabernacle tonight at 8 o'clock. The subject will be "A Broken Roof." A service of song will be a feature.

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THE DAILY PRESS is not at liberty to give any information regarding advertisements that require an address in care of this office. Persons answering these ads. should mail or leave answers as stated in advertisements.

Lost and Found.

LOST—Pair spectacles, in J. Hervey Doane case. Finder please return to 206 Watchung avenue, city. 2 21 2

FOUND—Purse, containing small sum of money. Call at Daily Press office. 2 21 3

POOR girl will be grateful if the finder of her souvenir pocketbook will leave it at Daily Press office. It was lost yesterday noon while she walked from Fourth street and Park avenue to East bound railroad station and thence through tunnel to North avenue. It contained a sum of money and was given her by a dear relative now dead. 2 16 tf

Help Wanted.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 210 East Ninth St. 2 21 3

WANTED—First class candy and ice cream maker. Debele & Stahl. 2 21 2

WANTED—Competent white cook for small family to assist with washing; references. Apply evenings, 908 Watchung avenue, city. 2 21 2

WANTED—Drill hands. Aluminum Press Co., Dunellen, N. J. 21 tf

GOOD boy wanted. Apply Dr. Gildes, 21 Grove St. 2 21 3

WANTED—Experienced millinery saleslady; good salary to right party. Address James Wisdom, The Bon Ton, Trenton, N. J. 2 21 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework; references. 50 Westervelt avenue. 2 21 3

WANTED — First-class laundress two days each week. Apply with reference, 240 East Ninth St. 2 21 2

WOMAN wanted, between 40 and 50 years of age, at 424 West Front street; one who would like good home. 2 21 3

WANTED—Nurse maid for an infant, also invalid lady. 518 Belvidere avenue. 2 20 3

GIRLS WANTED—Sixteen years or over. Apply Watchung Silk Co., Chatham street. 2 19 3

WANTED — Experienced cook; white; reference required. Apply 1060 Central Ave. 2 4 tf

WANTED—Bright, smart young man of good appearance; 16 to 18 years old, in store. Address R., care Press. 2 20 3

WANTED — Competent chambermaid and waitress (white). Apply 1106 Park avenue. 2 20 2

GROCERY CLERK—Young man wanted; must have experience and reference. Apply M. B. Walker, Westfield. 2 20 3

WANTED—White girl for general housework. Apply 514 Central Ave. 2 20 3

WANTED—Presser, one who understands pressing ladies' and gentlemen's clothing. Apply L. M. Cobbs, 146 East Fifth St. 2 19 3

WANTED—White girl as children's nurse; German preferred. Apply evenings, Mrs. Rushmore, 14 Sycamore avenue. 2 16 6

GLOVES—Experienced prix, seam, pique and hemmers wanted. I. Oliver & Co., 552 West Broadway, New York city. 2 18 5

WANTED—Young colored man as butler and make himself generally useful. Apply 911 West Seventh St. 2 18 tf

COOK and waitress wanted (white) by March first. Address F. J. S., care Press. 2 19 4

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at once at Mrs. Day's Intelligence Office, South Plainfield, N. J. 2 9 tf

Help Wanted.

WANTED—White girl for general housework; no washing. Call afternoons, 955 West Sixth St. 1 24 tf

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at once at Mrs. Keller's Intelligence Office, 22 Somerset place. 12 29 tf

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For Sale.

NEWLY furnished lunch room for sale cheap. Address X., care Press. 2 21 2

FOUR good cows for sale; three fresh, one coming in. Emil Clementz, Watchung. 2 21 3

14 BUILDING LOTS—14—In city of Plainfield, will sell cheap; these lots are all 50 feet front and 150 to 165 feet deep; here is a chance for a builder to make money. Address C. H. Jaeger, Hotel Kensington, city. 2 20 3

FINE talking parrot for sale. 306 Richmond St. 2 18 4

FOR SALE—Two beautifully situated, modern dwellings on large lots, containing 14 rooms, bath and butler's pantry; also hardwood floors, electric lights, etc.; one with stable and all other latest modern improvements in one of the best sections of Washington Park. Charles H. Lyman, 207 North avenue, Plainfield, N. J. 2 19 4

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LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

Charles Klein's latest play, "The Daughters of Men," which had a successful run at the Astor theatre, New York, will be presented at the New Plainfield theatre tomorrow afternoon and night. The play is in three acts and the author has chosen for his theme, the struggle between labor and capital. He skillfully presents both sides of the question. The story involves the fortune of John Stedman, a labor leader; who believes in the working class and who has worked sincerely and faithfully for their advancement. It also tells the story of the love of this labor leader for the daughter of one of the capitalists, Grace Crosby, whose father was the founder of the Milbank & Crosby Federated Companies. Her father is dead but the business is carried on by her two brothers and another young man, with her uncle, who has retired from business, acting in the capacity of adviser. Grace Crosby at commencement at her college hears a speech by John Stedman; they fall in love and Stedman finally brings about a happy solution of the conflict between both parties and succeeds in winning the hand of Miss Crosby. For the production of this latest play from the pen of Charles Klein, Mr. Harris has selected a cast of unusual strength including Dorothy Donnelly, George W. Howard, Sydney Oring, Walter S. Craven, Marie Shotwell, E. W. Morrison, Margaret Drew, Frank Brownlee, Al R. Phillips, Edwin Brandt, Carl Ahrendt, George W. Deyo, Jos. Adelman, Kate McLaurin and Gollan Campbell.

A musical treat is in store for the local lovers of good and wholesome entertainment, for Manager Connihan has secured for Saturday afternoon and night the Whitney production of the rollicking three act musical farce comedy, "My Wife's Family," the comedy hit of last season, written by Hal Stephens and Harry Linton. The piece is full of ginger, snap and action, so essential to a musical show. There is nothing serious about it, although there is a consistent plot and a well told story. It is replete with brilliant repartee and unlimited laughable situations. There is the usual abundance of bright and up-to-date vaudeville specialities introduced, and entertaining and original musical numbers that are sure to be whistled and sung by street urchins, a positive sign of popularity. "My Wife's Family" met with instantaneous success last season and return dates were played by request in many cities.

Jefferson De Angelis, drollest and most legitimate of comic opera comedians, brings his latest success, "The Girl and the Governor," to the New Plainfield theatre next Tuesday night. Here is real comic opera with a consistent plot. It depends for success upon clever acting, fine singing, nimble dancing and clean wholesome humor. "The Girl and the Governor" dwells in the "Never-never-Land" of South America in the sixteenth century. They are surrounded by gayly garbed peasant girls, soldiers, Indians, sailors, Spanish knights, by dreamy-eyed senoritas and dashing cavaliers, all combining to make a stage picture full of color and beauty. Julian Edwards, whose successes are legion, such as "The Three Musketeers," "Dolly Varden," and "The Wedding Day," has supplied the most delightful melodies. It is all real comic opera, not rude burlesque and horse play. Among the principals of this fine organization comprising 70 people are Estelle Wentworth, Lillian Rhoades, Anna Boyd, Richie Ling and J. C. Miron. There is a chorus of handsome girls who can really sing.

Wants Passaic River Improved.

New Providence, Feb. 21.—There is a movement on foot to have the Passaic River dredged, widened and cleaned from Stanley Dam, near Summit, to Townley's bridge. It was thought that the State could be induced to take the matter up, and Freeholder Brandford Jones, who is one of those interested, wrote recently to Trenton to see what could be done in the matter. He has received a reply from Edward Gray, formerly of this place, but now private secretary to the Governor. Mr. Gray said that the theory of riparian rights and ownership made it impossible for the State to do anything because the property owners on each side owned to the middle of the stream. He said that personally he was interested in the scheme and would do all in his power to help it along, because he had spent many pleasant hours on the river. He suggested that the matter be taken up by subscription, and that a public fair also be given to raise funds.

Trolley Dives Through Ice.

Kingston, N. Y., Feb. 21.—Owing to ice next the rail flange a trolley car on the Colonial Railroad jumped the track on the Strand yesterday afternoon, crashed into a big telephone pole, breaking it, and then plunged into a slip at the Rondout Creek, going through fifteen inches of ice. Mrs. John B. Osterhoudt had an ankle broken and John H. Haynes' scalp and face were cut. As the water entered the car only for a couple of feet the passengers were easily rescued.

Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss, of Central avenue, has returned from a few days' visit out of town.

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CHAPTER XIII.

A Pair of Eavesdroppers.

When I came down after dressing for dinner, Bates called my attention to a belated mail. I pounced eagerly upon a letter in Laurance Donovan's well known hand, bearing, to my surprise, an American stamp and postmarked New Orleans. It was dated, however, at Vera Cruz, Mexico, December 15, 1901, and gave a characteristically racy account of his efforts to dodge the British detective who was pursuing him. He hoped, he wrote, to cross the borders into Texas, but declared that he should keep clear of Indiana, as he was unacquainted with the Indian language.

Bates gave me my coffee in the library, as I wished to settle down to an evening of reflection without delay. Larry's report of himself was not reassuring, despite its cheerful tone. I knew that if he had any idea of trying to reach me he would not mention it in a letter which might fall into the hands of the authorities, and the hope that he might join me grew. I was not, perhaps, entitled to a companion at Glenarm under the terms of my exile, but as a matter of protection in the existing condition of affairs there could be no legal or moral reason why I should not defend myself against my foes, and Larry was an ally worth having.

My neighbor, the chaplain, had inadvertently given me a bit of important news; and my mind kept reverting to the fact that Morgan was reporting his injury to the executor of my grandfather's estate in New York. Everything else that had happened was tame and unimportant compared with this. Why had John Marshall Glenarm made Arthur Pickering the executor of his estate? He knew that I detested him, that Pickering's noble aims and high ambitions had been praised by my family until his very name sickened me; and yet my own grandfather had thought it wise to intrust his fortune and my future to the man of all men who was most repugnant to me. I rose and paced the floor in anger.

My rage must fasten upon some one, and Bates was the nearest target for it. I went to the kitchen, where he usually spent his evenings, to vent my feelings upon him, only to find him gone. I climbed to his room and found it empty. Very likely he was off condoling with his friend and fellow conspirator, the caretaker, and I fumed with rage and disappointment. I was thoroughly tired,—as tired as on days when I had beaten my way through tropical jungles without food or water; but I wished, in my impotent anger against I knew not what agencies, to punish myself,—to induce an utter weariness that would send me exhausted to bed.

The snow in the highway was well beaten down and I swung off countryward past St. Agatha's. A gray mist hung over the fields in whirling clouds, breaking away occasionally and showing the throbbing winter stars. The walk and my interest in the alternation of star-lighted and mist-wrapped landscape won me to a better state of mind, and after tramping a couple of miles, I set out for home. Several times on my tramp I had caught myself whistling the air of a majestic old hymn, and smiled, remembering my young friend Olivia, and her playing in the chapel. She was an amusing child; the thought of her further lifted my spirit; and I turned into the school park when I reached the outer gate with a half-recognized wish to pass near the barracks where she spent her days.

At the school gate the lamps of a carriage suddenly blurred in the mist. Carriages are not common in this region, and I was not surprised to find that this was the familiar village hack that met trains day and night at Annandale. Some parent, I conjectured, paying a visit to St Agatha's; possibly—and the thought gave me pleasure—perhaps the father of Miss Olivia Gladys Armstrong had come to carry her home for a stricter discipline than Sister Theresa's school afforded.

The driver sat asleep on his box, and I passed him and went on into the grounds. A whim seized me to visit the crypt of the chapel and examine the opening to the tunnel. As I passed the little group of school buildings a man came hurriedly from one of them and turned toward the chapel.

I first thought it was Stoddard, but I could not make him out in the mist and in my uncertainty waited for him to put 20 paces between us before I followed.

He strode into the chapel porch with an air of assurance and I heard him address some one who had been waiting. The mist was now so heavy that I could not see my hand before my face, and I stole forward until I heard the voices of two men distinctly.

"Bates!"

"Yes, sir."

I heard feet scraping on the stone floor of the porch.

"This is a devil of a place to talk in, but it's the best we can do. Did the young man know I sent for you?"

"No, sir. I kept him quite busy with his books and papers."

"Humph! We can never be sure of him."

"I suppose that is correct, sir."

"Well, you and Morgan are a fine pair, I must say! I thought he had some sense and that you'd see to it that he didn't make a mess of this whole thing. He's in bed now with a hole in his arm and you've got to go on alone."

"I'll do my best, Mr. Pickering."

"Don't call me by name, you idiot. We're not advertising our business from the housetops."

"Certainly not," replied Bates humbly.

The blood was roaring through my head, and my hands clenched as I stood there listening to this colloquy.

Pickering's voice was—and is—unmistakable. There was always a purring softness in it. He used to remind me at school of a sleek, complacent cat, and I hate cats with particular loathing.

"Is Morgan lying or not when he says he shot himself accidentally?" demanded Pickering petulantly.

"I only know what I heard from the gardener here at the school. You'll understand, I hope, that I can't be seen going to Morgan's house."

"Of course not. But he says you haven't played fair with him, that you even attacked him a few days after Glenarm came."

"Yes, and he hit me over the head with a club. It was his indiscretion, sir. He wanted to go through the library in broad daylight, and it wasn't any use, anyhow. There's nothing there."

"But I don't like the looks of this shooting. Morgan's sick and out of his head. But a fellow like Morgan isn't likely to shoot himself accidentally, and now that it's done the work's stopped and the time is running on. What do you think Glenarm suspects?"

"I can't tell, sir, but mighty little, I should say. The shot through the window the first night he was here seemed to shake him a trifle, but he's quite settled down now, I should say, sir. That shot of Morgan's was a great mistake. The young gentleman isn't to be frightened away as easily as that."

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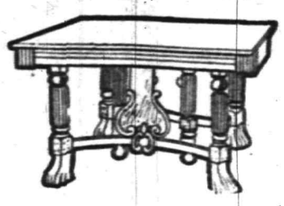

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P. H. S. Graduates to Meet Tomorrow Night.

It will be Plainfield's first opportunity to hear that prominent member of the New York bar, Frank Moss, counsel for the Society for the Prevention of Crime, when he speaks at the meeting of the Plainfield High School Alumni Association, to be held at the new High School building tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. The public is invited to hear his address. Following the public meeting the Alumni Association will hold its annual business session, after which will follow an informal reception to Miss Ellen E. Niles, of the school faculty. The evening will close with the alumni dance.

While the open meeting is intended for the public, all graduates of the High School and those who attended that school for one or more years are invited to the reception, whether they are members of the Alumni Association or not.

Elizabeth Gets Appropriations.

Washington, Feb. 21.—The public buildings bill authorizes appropriations aggregations $14,254,752, including $25,000 for Elizabeth, N. J., and $80,000 for Trenton, N. J.

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Bowling and General Sports

BOWLING.

P. L. Gaddis' "Keystone" team was unable to roll Greenwald's five at New Brunswick, last Monday night, because of a previously arranged contest that the Brunswickers had to take care of. They will come to this city next Wednesday night and will start the series planned for. The "Keystone" aggregation will comprise Captain Gaddis, F. J. Blatz, Chief Kiely, W. C. Causebrook and "Bill" Dilks. Louis Skelly and George Voehl will be on the reserve list.

Plans are now under way for a twelve-hour endurance contest to be started at McLaughlin's in about two weeks. Those interested contemplate teaming up and rolling for a series of prizes, probably first, second and third. The details are now being arranged and from the interest manifested a large number of the city's best known bowlers will compete.

GOOD SHOOTING IN LAST NIGHT'S TOURNEY GAMES.

Four Teams Competed and Close Scores Furnish Entertainment for the Gallery.

Good scores were the rule in six tourney games rolled at McLaughlin's last night. The competing teams were Woolston and Cunningham, who lost two out of three to W. and J. Schaub, and Gaddis and Dilks, who dropped one out of three to Sheelen and Alberts. Woolston and Cunningham got their one game by a solitary pin, the scores standing 366 to 365. The same thing happened in the second game rolled by Gaddis and Dilks who took it away from Sheelen and Alberts by a score of 326 to 325.

John Schaub went over the 200 mark twice and Dilks and Alberts also got over the double century line. Woolston did some nice shooting and handed in scores of 192, 161 and 190. None of the teams went below the 300 mark in totals.

The scores:

Woolston	192	161	190
Cunningham	181	245	176
	373	306	366
vs.			
W. Schaub	171	178	161
J. Schaub	226	170	204
	397	348	365
Gaddis	168	159	181
Dilks	173	167	203
	341	326	384
vs.			
Sheelen	176	149	148
Alberts	192	176	201
	368	325	349

SILVER CUP UP.

Change In Trophy Offered In Duel Y. M. C. A. Meet.

All the plans for the dual athletic meet between the Plainfield and Passaic Y. M. C. A.'s at the local gymnasium, tonight, have been completed. Both teams are trained to the minute and ready for the starting signal. Physical Director Listman is confident that the Plainfield team will win.

The winning team will get a silver cup, instead of a shield, as originally announced. The change in the trophy has increased the interest in the competition.

The only open entries for Plainfield, the potato race, were filled last night. Odell, Douglass, Templin, Hoagland and Burgess were picked.

APACHES DROP.

Displaced From Lead In Local Basketball League By Sioux.

The Sioux defeated the Apaches in a close game in the local basketball league at the Y. M. C. A. last night. The score was 9 to 8, and the contest was as hot as it indicates. The defeat cost Apaches their position as leaders, tied with the Mohicans, in the race:

The line-up: Apaches—Wattrous, Hansen, Kinsman, Burgess, Hoagland; Sioux—Templin, Manning, Doerrer, Spear, Lueder.

—Dr. Albert Pittis' store properties in East Front street are being improved inside and out, including interior decorations and new roofs.

TOURNAMENT AVERAGES

Final Results in Central Journal Bowling League Contest.

PLAINFIELD THE VICTOR

Elizabeth and Westfield Tie for Second Place—Tenney Highest Individual Average.

The team standing, together with the individual averages of those not bowling enough games to qualify and those bowling in twenty-four games or more, have been compiled by the officials of the Central Journal Bowling League, the tournament being completed this week when the Park Club won the championship, which includes the trophy and $20.

Elizabeth and Westfield were tie for second place and will have to roll off for the second prize money of $10. In the individual averages, Tenney, of Elizabeth, was first with 182.7, prize, $15; F. O. Ball, of the Parks, second, 173.2, prize, $10; Cream, Cranford Casino, third, 173.1, prize, $5. Tenney also won the high individual score prize of $5, with a score of 246. The individual averages of those bowling twenty-four games or more, follow:

Name.	Team.	Games rolled.	High score.	Av.
Tenney, Elizabeth		27	246	182.7
F. O. Ball, Parks		30	223	173.2
Crane, Cranford		27	215	173.1
M. Long, Parks		30	213	172.9
Daniel, Parks		27	216	171.9
Howe, Roselle		30	227	170.6
Datesman, Elizabeth		27	210	168.9
Saphar, Cranford		30	202	168.1
Foutana, Newark Bay		27	222	166.9
Blanchard, Elizabeth		27	217	165.8
Barlow, Parks		30	226	165.5
Lyman, Parks		30	193	165.3
Keys, Elizabeth		30	223	165.3
Page, Cranford		26	226	165.1
Dederick, Newark Bay		30	202	163.6
Townley, Westfield		27	200	163.5
Gabriel, Roselle		27	230	163.2
Bogert, Westfield		27	195	163
Smith, Westfield		27	224	162.4
Plummer, Cranford		25	212	161.5
Bates, Cranford		30	220	161.3
Pierson, Westfield		30	213	160.8
Condit, Westfield		30	215	160.4
Beckwith, Newark Bay		27	187	156

Individual averages of those not bowling enough games to qualify:

Woodward, Westfield	9	234	176.3
Wheelwright, Eliz'th	15	198	170
Sharp, Cranford	12	210	169.6
Hunting, Elizabeth	19	218	167.2
Ostrander, Roselle	22	225	163.8
Nealon, Newark Bay	11	199	161.8
Till, Newark Bay	21	194	161.3
Tobin, Roselle	21	193	159.8
Patterson, Roselle	18	206	159.2
Bergman, Newark Bay	9	188	157.6
Willis, Roselle	21	213	157.2
More, Newark Bay	12	193	150.6
Rawlins, Roselle	9	198	149.6

P. H. S. DEFEATED.

Erasmus Hall Wins on Local Court —Score 57-22.

The Plainfield High School basketball five was defeated by the Erasmus Hall team of New York, yesterday, in the Plainfield High School gymnasium by the score of 57 to 22. Erasmus Hall has a large number of students to pick from and they brought a winning team. They were all heavy men and excelled in team work and shooting goals. The team was a sportsman-like bunch and played a clean game, only two fouls being called.

The line-up:

P. H. S.	Erasmus.
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Doane	Hannon
Caldwell	
forwards	
Gavett	Schradiech
centre	
Freeman	Thompson
Loizeaux	Peterken
Snyder	
guards	

Referee, Collier; timer, Nash; scorer, Woodhull.

141 DIE IN GREAT STEAMSHIP DISASTER.

Londan, Feb. 21.—The passenger steamship Berlin, of 1,775 tons, owned by the Great Eastern Railway Company, on her way from Harwich stranded off the north pier of the Hook of Holland, at the mouth of the Maas, at 5 o'clock this morning in stormy weather. Tugs were sent to the Berlin's assistance, but she broke up and the passengers and crew, to the number of 142, were drowned.

The Berlin stuck a sandbank outside the harbor, in sight of land, but the seas were so tremendous that rescue was entirely out of the question.

Fagan for Governor.

Jersey City, Feb. 21.—Mayor Mark M. Fagan, of Jersey City, was introduced by James W. McCarthy as a "future Governor of New Jersey" at the first anniversary of the organization of the Seventh Ward Republican Club last night. The Mayor's followers cheered for several minutes, and then Mr. Fagan made a short speech which was accepted as a declaration that he is not in favor of harmonizing with the regulars.

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OBITUARY.

Death of John Beatty.

John Beatty, aged fifty-six years, of South Plainfield, died at Muhlenberg Hospital Tuesday night, following an illness from pneumonia. He was for several years employed at South Plainfield and vicinty as a farm helper. The funeral services and interment will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the South Plainfield cemetery.

Margaret A. Pangborn.

Margaret A. Pangborn, the nine-year-old daughter of Lloyd H. Pangborn, of Watchung avenue, died last night after a brief illness. The funeral will be held at the father's residence tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Mrs. Sarah E. R. Webb.

Mrs. Sarah E. R. Webb, widow of Moses F. Webb, died at her home on Park avenue, early this morning. Her demise was indirectly due to a fall which she sustained in her room two weeks ago. She was in her eighty-seventh year and the shock caused her to take to her bed and she began to fail immediately. Mrs. Webb and her husband came from New Brunswick and they had lived in this city for a long time. Previous to Mr. Webb's death they travelled extensively and generally spent their winters in California. There is one son surviving, George Webb, of Texas, who is in the city at the present time. The funeral will be held at Runyon's undertaking parlors Saturday morning at 10 o'clock and interment will be at New Brunswick.

ARGUES OVER FIRE MATTERS.

Rahway Council Decides to Disband Engine Company.

Rahway, Feb. 21.—In the City Council, Tuesday night, the matter of the disbanding of Franklin Engine Company came up for discussion and a warm time followed. Those in favor of doing away with the company claimed that the organization is virtually out of commission and not needed. The engine has not been used for three years, during which time the company has attended almost no fires.

The money appropriated by the city for the firemen, in place of allowing a rebate on personal taxes, is also under dispute on account of the disordered state of affairs. The company, however, claims the money belongs to it, as it is still in existence. A petition for the retaining of the company, signed by about 100 residents, was presented to the Council and evidently carried weight. The final vote left the company still in the field, the Council lacking one vote of carrying the order to disband. The company's forces were led by D. G. Hetfield, one of the oldest active firemen in the State.

BELLEW'S NEW PLAY.

Meritorious in Every Kay But Viewed By a Small Audience.

Kyrle Bellew, the actor whose name has been linked with "Raffles" for several years, returned to Plainfield last night and presented J. Hartley Manners' new play, "A Marriage of Reason." It was written especially for his distinctive talents and with the elaborate cast and setting that has been provided for it by Klaw & Erlanger it proved one of the most meritorious productions that has been at the local theatre this season. Mr. Bellew was delightfully refreshing in the role of a dashing English earl and the story told as the play progressed was a decided treat.

The only drawback to the success of the presentation was the fact that the audience was one of the "small but appreciative" kind. Plainfielders have a habit of letting the best artistic productions to be secured go by unnoticed and last night's result showed it. It was a big surprise to the management as Kyrle Bellew has an international reputation and made a lasting impression when he was here last season.

STOKES OFF FOR THE SOUTH.

Leaves, With Senator-elect Briggs and Several Others as Guests.

Trenton, Feb. 21.—Governor E. C. Stokes, United States Senator-elect Frank O. Briggs, Charles G. Roebling, Karl G. Roebling and Ferdinand W. Roebling, Jr., left here yesterday afternoon for a business trip to Virginia as the guests of Chandler Brothers and Middenoorf & Williams, financial agents and brokers, of Philadelphia. The party left Philadelphia in a special car of the Pennsylvania Railroad for Baltimore.

At 6:30 o'clock last evening the party boarded the steamship Charlotte at Baltimore for Norfolk. While in the South the party will visit the Jamestown Exposition grounds, Richmond, Norfolk and Old Point Comfort. They will return to Trenton Sunday.

Because of this business trip of Governor Stokes, Major-General J. Farmer Wanser, of Jersey City, will be the reviewing officer tonight at a review of the Second Regiment of the National Guard of New Jersey in the Trenton Armory. This review was originally planned for Mr. Stokes.

—"General," the horse belonging to No. 2 hose wagon at fire headquarters, which injured itself, yesterday, will not be returned to duty for many weeks if at all. The animal evidently sprained a ligament and is in pretty bad shape. Another horse has been secured to take "General's" place.

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STOKES FOR CHAIRMAN

Friends of Governor Start Movement to Make Him F. O. Brigg's Successor.

LATTER TO RESIGN

Suggestion That Stokes Fill Vacancy On Committee Caused by Resignation of Thomas N. McCarter.

In anticipation of changes in the makeup of the Republican State Committee, owing to the election of Chairman Frank O. Briggs to the United States Senatorship, friends of Governor Edward C. Stokes have started a movement, it is said, to put him in the chairmanship. Mr. Briggs will probably retire when he assumes the duties of United States Senator.

The Governor's friends point to the ability of the executive in directing the party's affairs. They say he is the shrewdest politician in the State, and has proved on more than one occasion that he possesses all the requisites for a leader of the party.

There are some influential friends of Mr. Briggs, however, who, while not openly opposed to the idea of Governor Stokes becoming the State chairman, have expressed themselves as wishing the United States Senator-elect to retain his place at the head of the party. They say there is no reason why he should relinquish the seat because of his election to the Senate and in support of their contentions point out that he has managed the party's affairs with discretion, which has enabled it to survive many crises.

They say that a precedent was established by Governor Franklin Murphy, who was at the head of the State committee while in the Executive's chair. Those who are in favor of the proposed retirement of Mr. Briggs declare, however, that ex-Governor Murphy's incumbency could not be called a precedent, since a greater part of that time Mr. Stokes, as the vice-chairman of the committee, which office he now holds, was really in charge of the committee's affairs.

To his intimate friends, it is said, Chairman Briggs has signfied his intention to give up his office in the committee on March 4.

From personal friends of Governor Stokes it was learned that the Executive looked with favor upon the proposition that he be selected to head the committee, and assured his friends that if he were chosen for the place he would readily accept it. It is said that plans have been carefully laid by the Governor's admirers, that in the retirement of Mr. Briggs the committee will not be deprived of his service. It is proposed that he be made a member-at-large to fill the vacancy made by the resignation some months ago of Thomas N. McCarter, president of the Public Service Corporation.

No action has been taken as yet by the committee on Mr. McCarter's resignation, and the friends of Governor Stokes are urging that the committee accept it at the meeting at which Chairman Briggs' successor is chosen.

SERVED 200 SUPPERS.

Women of Monroe Ave. Church Netted Handsome Profit In Consequence.

The annual chicken supper was given at the Monroe Avenue M. E. church, Thursday night, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society. Nearly 200 suppers were served during the evening and the net proceeds will amount to about $50. Mrs. Frederick Wenzel is president of the society, and she was assisted in giving the supper by Mrs. Robert L. Lee, Mrs. John Daub, Mrs. William Stein, Mrs. Winfield Decker, Mrs. J. C. Pierson, Mrs. Fred Phillips, Mrs. John J. Praed, Mrs. J. S. Higham, Miss Mary Pound, Mrs. I. P. LaRue, Mrs. N. Mansfield Smith and Mrs. William Travell, Mrs. William Gunzelman and Mrs. Emma Mathews.

The rooms were decorated in patriotic style, there being an arrangement of American flags and bunting. There was also a table devoted to the sale of candy and this was in charge of Miss Ada Decker and Miss Minnie Gunzelman. An extra attraction was a programme of piano and vocal selections given by some of the women of the church.

Funeral of Daniel Swenson.

The funeral of Daniel Swenson, who died at his home in Stirling, Tuesday morning, was held in the Presbyterian church at Stirling, yesterday afternoon. Rev. Nicholas Bowers officiated in the presence of a large gathering of relatives and friends, many of the latter being from this city. Interment was made in the Stirling cemetery.

Miss Bertha Hoagland and Russel Hoagland, of Somerset street, spent yesterday in Raritan.

WILLIAM H. HICKS, EX-SHERIFF DEAD

WAS SHERIFF OF UNION COUNTY FROM 1890 TO 1893.

William H. Hicks, who was elected sheriff of Union county in 1890, died at 7:30 o'clock yesterday morning, at his home, 214 Elizabeth avenue, Elizabeth, after an illness of a week from pneumonia.

Mr. Hicks was born at Asbury, Warren county, sixty-nine years ago, and the early years of his life were spent on his father's farm. He came to this city a half-century ago, and established himself in the clothing and shoe business at First street and Broadway, but for the last thirty years had conducted the shoe business at 150 First street, where he formerly resided also. In recent years his home was at 214 Elizabeth avenue.

He was a lifelong Democrat, and was chosen sheriff over James Clark, now deputy sheriff. He was one of the founders of the Elizabethport Mutual Building and Loan Association, and for twenty-five years its treasurer. The office of the association was for many years in the store of Mr. Hicks, First street, and it was here the meetings were held. Hundreds of depositors called upon him from time to time, in these days, for all kinds of advice and he was usually ready to tell them just what they should do. He was also a director in the Union County Savings Bank and of the Elizabethport Banking Company.

SOMERSET FREEHOLDERS DISCUSS IMPROVEMENTS

INSPECT WEST END AVE. BRIDGE AND GO OVER PROPOSED WARREN ROAD.

The Somerset County Board of Freeholders on Thursday inspected the West End avenue bridge, where it is proposed to erect wing walls, and decided to arrange for a joint meeting with the bridge committee from the Union County Board, to determine about the wing walls on the new bridge. There seems to be no question but that Somerset county will agree to make the improvement, although it is doubtful whether the plans as drawn by Engineer F. J. Hubbard will be adopted. The freeholders from Somerset county believe that they are too elaborate. The bridge committee from Union county has already authorized the improvement on the Plainfield side, action being taken at the December meeting of the board.

As for the Warren Township road, it was decided to wait until State Superintendent of Roads Hutchinson is heard from. If his reply is favorable to the improvement the freeholders will at once undertake the work of grading the road, as desired by abutting property-owners. After inspecting the route, the freeholders stopped at Pedefious' for lunch and later they were the guests of Mayor N. B. Smalley at dinner at the Hotel Iroquois.

WILLARD MEMORIAL SERVICE.

W. C. T. U. Honor Memory of Its Late Leader.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union held a service in its rooms Thursday afternoon in memory of Francis E. Willard, who for many years was the national president of the organization. Mrs. P. C. Bodine was in charge of the meeting and she related many interesting incidents in the life of the late temperance leader. There were also readings from the life of Miss Willard by Mrs. T. H. Tomlinson, Mrs. M. C. Dobbins, Miss May E. Howlett and Mrs. Gilbert VanNest.

During the service there were appropriate songs and a solo by Mrs. Udell, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Charles L. Lewis, on the piano. After the meeting there was discussion about a parlor meeting which will be held in the near future.

Funeral of Margaret Pangborn.

The funeral of Margaret Pangborn, the nine-year-old daughter of Lloyd Pangborn, of Watchung avenue, was held at the father's home yesterday morning. It was conducted by Rev. Father Bogan, rector of St. Mary's church. Interment in Hillside cemetery followed.

Greater Plainfield.

A review of ten years' effort to bring about the consolidation of Plainfield, which now seems to be a thing of the near future, will be found in the Jersey edition of the New York Herald tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter C. Saums, of Somerville, was tendered a pleasant surprise party at their home Thursday night by several friends from this city. Progressive euchre was the feature and refreshments were served at a late hour.

P. P. A. & B. OF T. TO MERGE

Suggested By Men Who Belong to Both of the Organizations.

WOOLSTON APPROVES

Board of Trade President Says the Older Body Has Been Working on the Same Lines —Mr. Case's Idea.

A movement for the union of the Plainfield Protective Association and the Board of Trade has been started. The union is favored by prominent members of the P. P. A. who are also members of the Board, and President L. B. Woolston, of the latter organization, has expressed decided approval of the proposition.

Many citizens, members of both bodies among them, have been saying ever since the P. P. A. organization was accomplished that the association was engaged in work that should be done by the Board of Trade. The conviction grew to a point where it crystalized into action, and steps were taken to have the two bodies take up the suggestion.

In connection with the proposition, members of the bodies have said that the separate organization of the P. P. A. was wholly unnecessary. It is argued that the citizens in it could have accomplished all they have done with a saving of time and effort by joining the Board of Trade and working within that organization with the same energy expended as members of the P. P. A.

A reporter for The Daily Press asked Mr. Woolston, yesterday, what he thought of the proposition. He expressed decided approval of it.

"So far as I am concerned," said Mr. Woolston, "there is no objection to the union. I am willing to do everything to advance the interests of the city, and it seems to me that the proposed union would help to further advance the city. I feel sure the majority of the members of the Board of trade would favor the union.

"The P. P. A. members will not find the Board unfamiliar with the work the association has been doing. The Board started out to accomplish what the P. P. A. has been working on. For almost two years we have known all about the lighting situation and have had a line on just what the P. P. A. has brought out. We did not have large funds. We believed not so much in money and high assessments as in public sentiment. It was the feeling that an aroused public sentiment could enable the Board to accomplish all the reforms desired."

Mr. Woolston said he did not know whether or not the matter would be brought up at the next meeting of the Board. It is very likely that the union will be broached then.

President R. Henry Depew, of the P. P. A., is in the South and could not be interviewed regarding the merger.

J. Herbert Case, treasurer of the Plainfield Protective Association, when questioned this morning as to his views regarding the consolidation of the association with the Board of Trade, said:

"I am heartily in favor of the merger and have been since it was first spoken of. Both organizations have good members and by combining the interests of them much good could be accomplished. However, I would favor a constructive policy for the combined organizations, one that would help to build up and advertise Plainfield throughout the country.

"Plainfield certainly has the attractions to advertise and there is no reason why people as well as industries should not be attracted here. The objects of the association are good, but I believe that one strong organization conducted along more liberal lines would be of incalcuable benefit. We want to do more than watch the Public Service Corporation or any other corporation, and if the merger is made it should be the policy of the members to have the co-operation and help of the Common Council, all striving for one common end, the good of Plainfield and its many interests. One thing is certain, that is the association has been more aggressive and progressive than the Board of Trade, and I believe that by a combination new life would be infused which would tend to awaken every member to a more lively sense of the importance of doing things that will benefit Plainfield."

Threw Snowballs.

Lewis Dixon, Walter Wilson, John Boyle and Daniel Nugent, all about 16 years old, were arraigned before Judge Runyon in the city court this morning, charged with throwing snowballs at Zusman Block. Sentence was suspended.

Sprained His Ankle.

John Vardon, a painter employed by Woolston & Buckle, fell from a low scaffold at the Netherwood Hotel Thursday afternoon and sprained his ankle. He was taken home in a hack.

FIX ANNIVERSARY DATE

First M. E. Church Congregation to Celebrate Seventy-Fifth Year of Effort.

FROM OCT. 13 TO 20

Invitation Extended to General Conference to Meet Here In April, 1908—700 Delegates.

The official board of the First M. E. church has fixed the date for the observance of the seventy-fifth anniversary of the organization of the church. The celebration will commence on Sunday, October 13, and continue every day until and including Sunday, October 20. The committee is now busily engaged on the programme, which will be an elaborate one. It is expected that many of the most prominent leaders in the denomination will be present and it is also proposed to have the former pastors there to take part in the services. The music will be a special feature.

Another event of more than special interest is that the official board has extended an invitation to the General Conference of New Jersey to meet at the First M. E. church in April, 1908. As there are 260 churches in the conference and there are two lay delegates and the minister from each church expected to attend, it would bring together a gathering of over 700 people. Of course, the board is not sure that the invitation will be accepted, but every effort will be made to bring the conference here.

It was planned to invite the conference here this year, it being the fiftieth anniversary of that body. But inasmuch as the conference was organized at Morristown, the Methodists there were particularly anxious to have the gathering at their town. It will be held at the usual time in April.

BAXTER ISSUES NOTICE TO ALL SCHOOL BOARDS

SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION SAYS R.R. TAX MONEY IS TIED UP

Charles J. Baxter, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, believes that the immediate wants of the public school system are seriously threatened by the popular belief that because of the largely increased tax levied against railroads it will not be necessary to make the usual provision for maintaining the schools. Circular letters were sent from his office at Trenton yesterday declaring that the public has been sadly misinformed as to the situation. He says the apportionment of money that is assured is insufficient to make adequate provision for the unusual outlay that will be required for the school year of 1907-'08.

Mr. Baxter points out that the additional money expected from the railroads is now tied up by litigation, which may mean a long delay. He urges boards of estimate to make out their budgets independently of the taxes in dispute. The amount needed for schools next year is estimated at $7,883,000.

JR. O. U. A. M. CELEBRATES WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY.

Rev. E. E. Roberson Speaks On "The Bible, the Flag and Our Country."

Following the regular session of Somerset Council, No. 104, Jr. O. U. A. M., last night, the members provided an entertainment including speeches and a smoker. Councilor G. F. Hulit, who was in the chair, called upon Past Councilor George F. Watts to deliver the address of welcome.

Rev. E. E. Roberson, pastor of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church, made the address of the evening. It was a patriotic oration on "The Bible, the Flag and Our Country." Mr. Watts presented the council with a picture of George Washington and one of the old American flags bearing the thirteen stars, which was made by himself.

During the evening Naylor's orchestra rendered selections and Mr. Pierre gave piano selections. The rooms was elaborately decorated with flags and bunting in honor of the day. After the entertainment refreshments were served and cigars passed around. The committee in charge consisted of George F. Watts, J. A. Dow, Henry VanArsdale, F. L. Soper, Jr., LeRoy Clawson and Robert Metler.

—The Jolly Twenty-Four Club gave a euchre party and dance in the Camera Club, last night. The usual prizes were presented after the card playing and then dancing continued until a late hour.

ALUMNI HONORS TEACHER

Members Combine Pleasure With Business at Second Annual Gathering.

GIFT FOR MISS NILES

Presented With Engrossed Resolutions in Recognition of Her Long Service As a Teacher.

The Alumni Association of the Plainfield High School held its second annual meeting, last night, and combined the gathering with a reception to Miss Ellen E. Niles, the oldest teacher in point of service in the city corps. Both business and social affairs were held in the new High School building and the attendance occupied the greater part of the auditorium.

President William D. Murray, of the association, presided over the open meeting held first and introduced Frank Moss, of New York, counsel for the Society for the Prevention

Miss E. E. Niles.

of Crime, as the speaker for the occasion. The subject of his address was "George Washington—the Man and the Citizen" and proved decidedly entertaining. Mr. Moss is eloquent and convincing in his delivery and his address was enjoyed from an oratorical as well as reasonig point of view. The audience united in singing "America" at the close.

The annual business meeting of the Alumni Association was called to order by President Murray and a large amount of work was accomplished. The report of Secretary Franklin S. Smith was read and showed a membership of 250 out of 625 living graduates. The nominating committee composed of William C. Hubbard, E. J. Patterson and Vincent B. Miner, reported and the following officers were elected:

President, Arthur L. Titsworth, class 1870; vice president, A. McClean Parker, '74; secretary and treasurer, Franklin S. Smith, '80; members of the general committee: William M. Stillman, '72; Miss Anna W. Marsh, '73; Miss Jessie M. Utter, '74; William D. Murray, '75; Walter M. McGee, '76; Townsend Rushmore, '77; Mrs. John Ulrich, '78; Mrs. C. Frank French, '79; R. H. Depew, '80; Mrs. E. H. Hatch, '81; George M. Kirkner, '82; Miss Roberta L. Bass, '83; Miss S. Lena Bass, '84; Mrs. Isaac M. Wyckoff, '85; Miss Flora R. Petrie, '86; Edward T. B. Perrine, '88; Miss Dora D. Wenzel, '89; William W. Corlell, '90; Mrs. Philip S. Suffern, '91; Mrs. Edgar D. Williams, '92; Mrs. Charles McNabb, '93; C. L. Riley, '94; C. B. Morse, '95; Dr. F. W. Cornwell, '96; Miss Louise Egan, '97; Henry W. Brower, '98; Miss Helen Lovell, '99; Miss Edna Burr, '00; Miss Ethel L. Titsworth, '01; Erwin Leland, '02; Vincent B. Miner, '03; Miss Mildred J. Spicer, '04; Theodore O. Gavett, '05; Howard Freeman, '06.

At the conclusion of the elections, Mr. Murray called upon Miss Niles and presented her with a testimonial in the form of a set of resolutions engrossed in a leather bound book and signed by many members of the Alumni Association. They also expressed in writing their congratulations on the completion of her thirty-eight years of service and made mention of the love and esteem in which she is held by all who have been her pupils. A reception followed in the school library, at which Miss Niles received, assisted by Miss S. Lena Bass. Dancing was in order in the school hall and it was enjoyed until midnight by a majority of the attendants. Music was furnished by Suhr's Imperial orchestra and DeMolli was the caterer. The main hall was profusely decorated with American flags.

The committee of arrangements comprised the following: Charles B. Morse, chairman; Miss Ellen Osgood, Miss Dorothy Fleming, Theodore O. Gavett and Vincent B. Miner.

Exemplified Degree Work.

The degree team of Freedom Castle, K. G. E., went to Yonkers, N. Y., yesterday afternoon to exemplify the work at a rejuvenated castle there. They were entertained at supper.

REGIMENTAL TROPHY GOES TO COMPANY K.

RECEIVED AT REVIEW IN TRENTON—MEDALS FOR STAR MILITIAMEN.

Company K kas a prominent part of the ceremonies attendant on the Second Regiment review at Trenton Thursday night. The company received the regimental trophy shield, for general efficiency. Division General J. Farmer Wanser was the reviewing officer.

The following members of Company K received the 100 per cent. medals:

Sergeant Charles A. Peterson, Quartermaster-Sergeant Albert I. Littell, Sergeant Oliver R. Pearson, Jr., two years; Sergeant Alfred T. Tranhand, two years; Sergeant George L. DeCamp, two years; Corporals LeRoy DeCamp, two years; James L. Niles, two years; Robert E. Goldsack, James B. Conkling, Clarence H. Bilyeu, Lendrum Jennings, two years; Privates Jesse A. Dayton, two years; Eugene F. Dorman, Charles Kofoed, two years; Edward Slingland, Oliver Ulmer, Percy W. Vail, two years; Philip E. Winter.

Corporal William E. Bond received the Collins medal for high score in marksmanship. His score was 136 out of a possible 150 on two, three and five hundred yard ranges.

The regiment was presented with a $1,000 oil painting of Col. D. F. Collins, on behalf of the citizens of Elizabeth. Supper and dancing followed the review. A npmber of Plainfield women were present.

OLD FASHIONED SINGING CONCERT AT HOPE CHAPEL

UNIQUE AFFAIR ENJOYED BY A LARGE GATHERING.

Something new in the way of musical entertainment was provided at Hope chapel, last night, when forty members presented an "old fashioned singing concert." It was arranged and conducted by Judge William N. Runyon and was attended by an audience that filled the Sunday-school room to its capacity.

The singers occupied seats on the platform and at the opening sang songs that are known as "old fashioned." Before each one was presented, Judge Runyon told something about its origin and the way he did it was a feature in itself. The solo parts were taken by Elmer D. Cutting, John V. Todd, Harry Roberts, Miss Edna Eckert, F. C. Iglehart and Mrs. L. R. Howard. The chorus wore appropriate costumes.

Edmund Young performed on the cornet, giving a medlay of Scotch and Irish airs, and the Four H. quartette made its first appearance in the West End. It is composed of Harry Roberts, Hugh Ricketts, Horace J. Martin, Jr., and Harry Blimm, and they kept the audience in good humor for twenty minutes with their singing and talking act.

The proceeds are to be added to the organ fund of the chapel and will reach a large amount.

King's Horse to Be Sold.

Acting on an order from the trolley officials, George W. Cole will sell at auction at his stables on West Second street Monday afternoon, the horse belonging to John King, of Bound Brook, which was injured in a trolley collision two months ago. It was placed in the stable by the local police and after King received a settlement from the trolley company he neglected to redeem the animal. Cole has been keeping it ever since and as no other convenient way was open to secure payment of the board bill the sale was decided upon.

Fire in Borough Residence.

From a cause that none of the occupants could explain, a slight fire broke out in a rear room on the third floor of Isaac Giles' residence on Fairview avenue, shortly before noon today. A still alarm was sent in and while the firemen were busy with the chemical hose, an alarm was turned in from box 143 at Grandview avenue and Somerset street by Fred Martin. The damage was confined to the burning of a drawer filled with linens and a hole in a side wall. It will amount in all to about $100, covered by insurance.

Miss Schleif Surprised.

Miss Gertrude Schleif, of Park avenue, was tendered a surprise party by thirty of her young friends, Thursday night. Games and music were enjoyed until 11 o'clock, when refreshments were served in conclusion. The affair was arranged by Miss Edna Cole.

At Y. M. C. A. Convention.

Physical Director C. L. Listman is attending the Y. M. C. A. convention at Elizabeth today. General Secretary Robbie attended it Thursday night.

RIVAL ICE CONCERN WITH $150,000 CAPITAL

Watchung Ice and Storage Company to Dig Immense Artificial Lake.

CONTRACTS AWARDED

Lake At Watchung To Be 30 Feet Deep—Ice Houses, Cold Storage House and Artificial Plant Included.

The Watchung Ice and Cold Storage Company has been incorporated at Trenton with a capital stock of $150,000, and when the concern's plans are carried out there promises to be a great improvement in the ice business in this city. A number of New York capitalists have interested themselves in the enterprise and it is their intention to carry out the original plans made by Plainfield men.

About 400 acres of property at Watchung, located south of the plant of the Natural Ice Company, has been acquired. The tract is directly on the road leading to Pedefious' Hotel and is well adapted for the purposes desired. It forms a natural basin. It is proposed to establish a lake there about a mile and a quarter long, from 400 to 900 feet wide, with an average depth of thirty feet.

Besides making the large lake, where it is expected to gather ice during the winter season, a number of modern ice-houses will be located on the banks. In addition a cold storage building will be erected for the convenience of the farmers and other residents during the summer season. To provide against any possible loss by reason of a mild winter, the company will erect an up-to-date artificial ice plant. The company will operate the artificial plant and store its product so that in any event there will be no possibility of a shortage in warm weather.

It is estimated that there will be an outlay at the start of at least $100,000. Of this amount $25,000 will be used to build a dam, and the balance will be used for the erection of an ice plant and storage houses. It is expected that work will be started early in the spring so that the plant will be completed in the fall.

The Consolidated Engineering Co., of 43 Exchange place, New York, which did all the work for the Niagara, Lockport and Ontario Power Company at Niagara Falls, has been engaged to do the engineering work at Watchung. The company will put a large force of men at work with the idea of completing the contract at the earliest possible date.

While the incorporators are all New York men, inducements are offered the local merchants. It is proposed to issue 6 per cent. interest-bearing debenture bonds and an opportunity will be given to Plainfield people to subscribe to these in any amount they desire. In this way it is expected to make the company one of mutual interest. The idea is that any person may subscribe for bonds according to the amount of ice used by them during the season, and besides getting the ice at wholesale price will also receive interest on their investment.

Lunch Box Social.

Under the auspices of the Women's Relief Corps, a lunch-box social was held in G. A. R. Hall last night. The affair was to celebrate Washington's Birthday and a programme of vocal and instrumental selections were given by a quartette composed of Mrs. W. E. Gibbons, Mrs. Andrew Cox, Mrs. E. P. T. Smith and Mrs. Sadie Baglin. There were also vocal solos by Mrs. John Manley and Alfred Manley, together with addresses by W. C. Smith, I. L. McVoy and M. C. Dobbins. Mrs. M. C. Dobbins, attired in Martha Washington costume, had charge of the programme. Capt. William Hand was the auctioneer and he sold all of the lunch-boxes at good prices.

Fought at Swedish Ball.

For fighting at a Swedish ball in Central Hall, North and Park avenues, Walter Abramson, Tunis Vail, Harry Molleson and Edward Britton were arrested Thursday night. Abramson is said to have attacked Britton, because the latter won his girl for a dance. Vail and Molleson became involved in the scrap that followed. Britton's clothes were hanging together by a few feeble threads when he was arragned yesterday, and Abramson had a generally debilitated look. Sentence was suspended in all four cases.

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Remarkable Offerings for Saturday's Selling.

Being closed on Friday, Washington's Birthday--we intend putting two days' business into one--or do twice the business on Saturday. To do this effectively we have prepared a feast of values that will outrival anything offered so far this year. Come Saturday prepared to get your share of the good things.

Fine Millinery.

First showing of Spring Millinery. On Saturday, February 23d, we will place on sale a most exceptional line of new stylishly trimmed Suit Hats at a price that will astonish you. These Hats are the very essence of newness in the new shapes and colors. This sale will be for Saturday only; values up to $7.00, for $3.98

Another Decorated China Sale.

This will prove the best offering made so far. This lot consists of beautiful Decorated Cake Plates, Butter Dishes, Covered Vegetable Dishes and Meat Dishes, at 9 o'clock Saturday morning, so be on hand in time. Values up to $1.75. Sale price ...... .39

(See Window Display.)

Outing Flannel Night Shirts for Men.

This lot consists of superior quality outing flannel, perfectly made and finished, and will be offered Saturday at less than half regular price. They are worth regularly $1.00 to $1.25; Saturday, all day .... .49

Ladies' Tailored Suits.

We have gone over our suit racks and find that we have 26 Ladies' Fine Tailored Suits left. We don't want them any longer. We wish to exchange them for your money, but you get the best end of the bargain. Here's the price, just about half what they are worth:

5 Suits, sale price $8.50
6 Suits, sale price $11.00
6 Suits, sale price $12.50
5 Suits, sale price $14.50
4 Suits, sale price $17.50

Ladies' Waists.

Ladies' Mercerized Taffeta Plaid Waists in a big variety of color combinations. These waists are handsomely made, and are worth regularly $2.50; special price for Saturday only ...... .98

Black Sateen Petticoats.

An immense purchase of handsome black Sateen Petticoats, with deep shirred flounce, full width. They are regular $1.00 value. For Saturday evening from 7 till 10 o'clock they will be sold for .... .69

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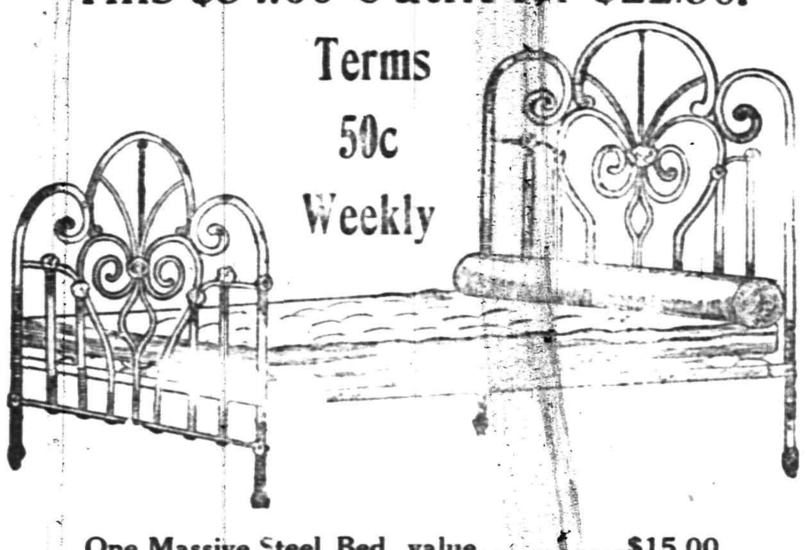

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

MARTINSVILLE.

The Christian Endeavor Society will hold its quarterly meeting at Liberty Corner next Monday night in the church of which Rev. Charles Condit is pastor. Rev. John T. Scott, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Lamington, will make an address. The State president, J. T. Sproull, of Newark, will also be present.

The marriage of Frederick W. Dealaman, of this place, and Miss Mae Petty will take place next Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Van Doren, near Readington.

Mr. and Mrs. Minard Smith, of Mt. Horeb, have been spending a few days visiting Mr. Smith's mother, Mrs. Mary Smith, of Brooklyn, who is ill with the grip.

Mrs. Harriet Edmonds has returned home after spending nearly a week with Mrs. Jeremiah Coddington, of Washington Valley.

SOMERVILLE.

Mrs. Emil Reidner, of Dover, has returned home, after visiting her sister, Mrs. Albert Case, here.

Miss Mayme Taylor, of Orange, is a guest of Mrs. J. Harper Smith, on Altamont place.

Miss Anna Van Derveer, of South street, has been spending this week at Mine Mount.

Mrs. James Q. Ten Eyck has been entertaining Miss Emma Everett, of Westfield.

Mrs. G. S. Cook and Miss Fannie Cook, of Altamont place, are visiting at Beverly.

Vice Chancellor and Mrs. James B. Bergen have returned from the South.

WHITEHOUSE.

The following pupils of the Peapack Public School were present every day during the past school month: Intermediate department—Palmer Weiss, Harvey Tiger, Madeline Booth, Eleanor Smalley, Vera Booth, Joseph Rodenbaugh, Agnes Eycke; Elizabeth M. Reed, teacher. Primary department—Alvah Simons, Howard Harte, Clarence Smalley, Clarence Ballentine, Elvin Todd, Angelo Torlando, Edward Leary, Blanche Emmons, Helen Sherrer; Anna Sarson, teacher. Kindergarten department—Clarence Voorhees, Victor Rodenbaugh; Lillian Brown, teacher.

A group rally of Epworth League societies will be held in the Methodist Episcopal church at New Germantown on Friday evening, March 1, when delegates from surrounding organizations will attend. The address will be delivered by Rev. W. C. Kinsey, of Clinton.

Samuel D. Skillman, of Whitehouse Station, has been elected a director in the Clinton National Bank to succeed E. L. Knight, who resigned.

The stork paid a visit to the home of Stephen Wortman, at Pottersville, the other days and left twins—a boy and a girl.

John Scott is very ill at his home at Whitehouse Station from pneumonia.

STIRLING.

The mask and civic ball of the German Maennerchor Club of this town, which was held Thursday night, was a success. Eugene Renz, Jr., received first prize. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Simit, Emil Hanse, Miss Bertha Bergaman, Richard Ananson, Frank Murphy, Miss Emily Borer, Misses Mary and Elizabeth Renz, Alfred and Misses Mamie and Flora Bender, Raymond Alland, Paul Theivon, Jr., Miss Bertha Saalfrank, Frank and Miss Grace Korbett, Miss Lena Simit, Miss Mary Archille, Miss Elizabeth Lambert, Miss Mary M. Maloney, Frank Warmer, Charles Havey, Oska and Miss Mary Volka, Miss Carrie Zegler, Miss Louisa Stolz and Miss Minnie Bergman.

Washington's Birthday was celebrated Thursday afternoon in the public school of this town. Among those who took part in the programme were Miss Julia Renz, Miss Madeline Morand, Matchie Aboshian, John Newsbom, Charles Peuker, Miss Anna Meyer and Frederick Heatinger.

J. F. Tatum, of South Stirling, and Mehran H. Looloian, of Elm street, are attending the thirty-fourth State convention of the Young Men's Christian Association at Elizabeth.

Miss Anna Looloian and Miss Florence Hill, of Sixtieth street, New York, are being entertained here for a few days by Mrs. M. H. Looloian.

Sarkis Chinkooshian, of Essex street, who had been spending a few days with friends in West Hoboken, returned home yesterday.

Jesse Herrmann, of Princeton University, is visiting his parents of Valley road for a few days.

Edward Koffley, of Long Hill, returned home yesterday after a visit to New York.

RARITAN.

Miss Lizzie Carey, of Dover, has been a guest this week at the home of Asa R. Dilts.

Richard Dahoney is ill at his home on First street with pneumonia.

Senator Joseph S. Frelinghuysen is enlarging his summer home here.

Miss Margaret Farmer is home from a visit in Califon.

A. H. Brokaw is suffering from an attack of the grip.

NORTH BRANCH.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Phillips at Pine View terrace, South Branch, was the scene of a party the other night, when 150 young people enjoyed a dance.

Bahler Strangmann, of North Branch Depot, has returned from a visit to his aunt, Mrs. S. Howard Williamson, in South Bound Brook.

Next Tuesday night there will be a gathering of farmers in the schoolhouse at Mt. Horeb for the purpose of organizing a grange there.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Stryker, who live near this place, have been entertaining their son, John Stryker, of New York.

Mrs. Harry C. Runyon, of Plainfield, is a guest for a few days of her mother, Mrs. David Housel, in this place.

Mrs. William Van Nest, of the Pluckemin vicinity, fell on a patch of ice a few days ago and fractured two ribs.

The Sunday-school at Millstone held a Washington's Birthday sociable in the chapel there last night.

William Mingle, of Belleville, has been spending a few days with his parents in this place.

M. H. Dunn, of Roselle, has been spending a few days with his mother, Mrs. Jane T. Dunn.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

It is an assured thing that the bank notes of the First National Bank will be issued next month. They will be signed by President A. A. Gray and Cashier A. J. Hamley.

The delegates to the Laymen's Association will be chosen at the fourth quarterly conference of the Methodist Episcopal church on March 11.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa R. Merrell, of Newark, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Day, yesterday.

The Presbyterian Sunday-school will hold a patriotic programme tomorrow afternoon.

Miss Mary Baldwin was the guest of friends in Elizabeth over Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hamley went to Washington on a pleasure trip Thursday.

Miss Mabel Cole is spending the week end with friends in Bayonne.

S. B. Merrell has returned from a visit to relatives in Newark.

C. Harry Dodwell has recovered from a week's illness.

Rev. Frank Fletcher will preach in Clinton tomorrow.

Michael Moynihan has been ill for a few days.

The bank building is being repainted.

The station has been repainted.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

The three days' fair being held by Excelsior Hook and Ladder Company opened in the hall Thursday night with a good attendance. The attendance yesterday afternoon and last night was even better, the hall being filled with a happy, good natured holiday crowd which was ready to part with their money and try their luck at winning the Uncle Sam sofa cushion, the Victor talking machine or the life size doll, which are being chanced off. The several booths, prettily trimmed with bunting and flags, were well stocked with fancy articles, cakes and candy. These were presided over by the feminine friends of the company, and did a rushing business, smiling faces, pretty gowns and a tempting array of good things proving to be a temptation which could not be resisted. The fish pond was the favorite spot for the younger element, and it did a rushing business. The fair will be brought to a close tonight, when the winners of the several contests will be announced. Foreman Philip Spencer Jahn and his committee have worked hard to make the affair the success it is. They have been ably assisted by the women of the town.

Services at the Baptist church tomorrow will be: Sunday-school, 9:30 a. m.; morning preaching, 10:45, by the pastor, Rev. T. Moore-Smith, subject, "Christian Baptism—What it Is;" B. Y. P. U. meeting, 7:15; evening service, 8 o'clock; baptism.

Henry Alberts has resigned his position with the Rushmore Dynamo Company to take a similar one with the Hall Signal Company, Garwood.

Miss Mary Westcott, of the borough, has returned from a two weeks' visit with relatives and friends at Bridgeton, N. J.

Rev. Mr. Dederick, a student at Drew Seminary, will occupy the pulpit at the Methodist church tomorrow.

Miss Susie Parse has returned from a visit with Mrs. John R. Cochrane, of Vanderbilt avenue, Brooklyn.

Daniel T. Hendrickson is spending the week end at his home at Port Monmouth, N. J.

Miss Ethel Fallon, of Raritan, spent yesterday with Miss Sadie Lee, of Front street.

Miss Josephine Ingram is spending several days at her home at Trenton.

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Books About Longfellow.

Higginson, Thomas Wentworth.—Life of Henry Wadsworth Longfellow.

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A Few Magazine Articles About Longfellow.

Curtis, George William.—Sketch of Longfellow. Harper, 65:123.

Fields, A.—Longfellow in social life. Century, 9:884.

Holmes, Oliver Wendell.—Our dead singer: a poem, with portrait. Atlantic, 49:721.

Rideing, W. H.—Longfellow and Lowell at home. Chautauquan, 8:81.

Holme, G.—Sketch of Longfellow's life. Munsey, 12:243.

Titherington, R. H.—Places and people of Longfellow. Munsey, 9:259.

Phelps, E. S.—Portraits and reminiscences of Longfellow. McClure, 7:110.

Howells, William Dean.—The white Mr. Longfellow.

Howe, M. A. DeW.—Sketch of the life of Longfellow. Bookman, 7:217.

Bangs, E. M.—Historic mansion. New England magazine, 27:695.

Hale, Edward Everett.—Memories of Longfellow. Outlook, 72:308.

Trowbridge, J. T.—Recollections of Longfellow. Atlantic, 91:605.

Other Magazine Articles About the Works of Longfellow.

Stedman, E. C.—The writings of Longfellow. Century, 4:926.

Cook, A. S.—Tales of a Wayside Inn. Chautauquan, 22:412.

Livingston, L. S.—First books of Longfellow. Bookman, 8:158.

Lawton, W. C.—A special study of Longfellow. Chautauquan, 30:466.

Pattee, F. L.—Evangeline: an epic. Chautauquan, 30:415.

Woodberry, G. E.—Influence of Puritanism on Longfellow. Harper, 106:427.

New England tragedies of Longfellow. New England Magazine, 23:586.

The Misses Gallagher, of Raritan, have been visiting Mrs. Stevens, of Watchung avenue.

Miss Nellie Swithers, of New York, who has been spending several days with Plainfield friends, has returned home.

Rev. E. E. Roberson, of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church, has returned from a visit with Somerville friends.

Mrs. Edith Mellick, of East Front street, has returned from a visit with friends and relatives at North Branch.

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That the musical comedy success of the season, "My Wife's Family," which will be presented at the New Plainfield theatre this afternoon and tonight, will be welcomed with an overflow audience, there is scarcely any doubt. The many inquiries respecting this comedy with music at the box office, bears out the fact that theatregoers here will attend in large numbers.

The greatest musical event of the season will be Jefferson De Angelis' appearance at the New Plainfield theatre next Tuesday night in "The Girl and the Governor," which has added new laurels to those gained in the long series of previous successes. "The Girl and the Governor" is real comic opera with real music. The

Estelle Wentworth,
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Gordon and Gilbert, under the management of Walters and Mathews, presenting the new edition of the musical gayety, "Hans and Nix," will be seen at the New Plainfield theatre next Friday night. Gordon and Gilbert and this musical piece were one of the phenomenal successes of last season. "Hans and Nix" is said to be a very laughable conceit with the central characters exactly suited to the peculiarities of Gordon and Gilbert, and containing a great variety of excellent musical numbers. The supporting company includes names of prominence in the comedy line. Special scenic sets and complete electrical equipment are carried by the company this season, which enables them to offer a complete performance of a high order.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

Rev. E. G. Bowers, of Christ church, Elizabeth, was the special preacher at St. Stephen's church last night.

The special Lenten preacher at Grace church Wednesday night was the Rev. Frederick A. Wright, of Brooklyn. Rev. E. J. Knight, of Christ church, will preach next Wednesday night.

Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss, of the First Baptist church, will speak at the dedicatory exercises to be held at the new Baptist church, Rahway, tomorrow night. Rev. J. W. Musson, of Faith chapel, will preach for Dr. Chambliss in the evening.

Rev. Dr. W. C. Snodgrass, former pastor of the First M. E. church, but now of Perth Amboy, will exchange pulpits tomorrow with Rev. A. C. McCrea. This will be the first time Dr. Snodgrass has preached here since going to Perth Amboy.

Mrs. Minnie Marshall-Smith will give recitations and a stringed trio will render musical selections at an entertainment to be given at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, Tuesday night, under the auspices of the Young People's Association.

Miss Mabel Cardner, of Orange place, has been detained at home by illness.

Miss Bertha Mitchell, who teaches school at Astoria, L. I., is spending several days at her home on Grant avenue.

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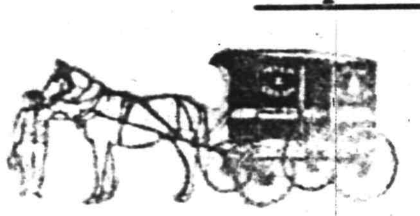

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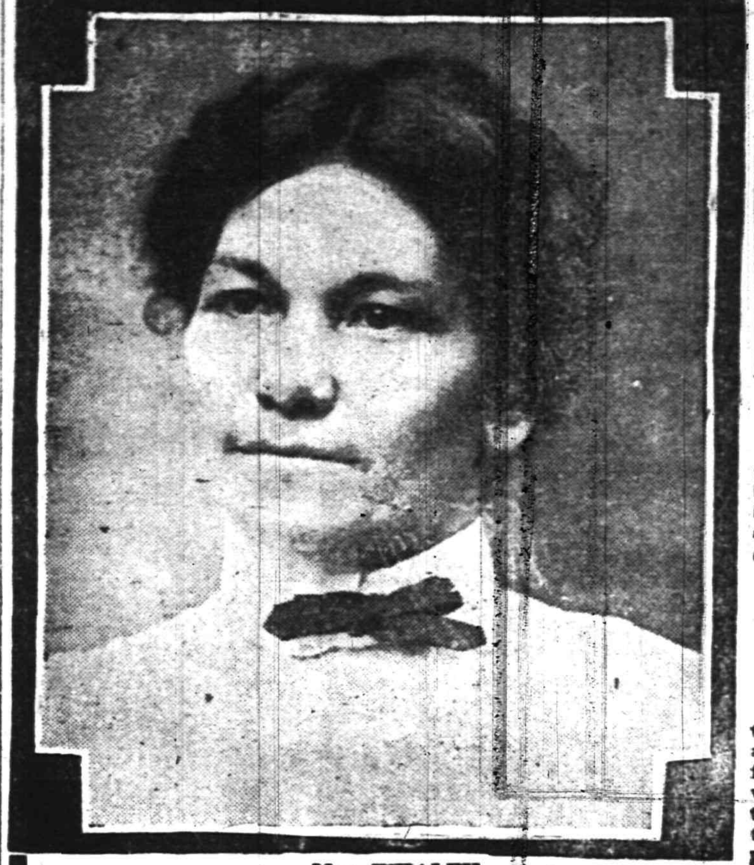

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FOR SALE—Automobile; fine light side entrance touring car; like new; exceptional bargain. Thompson, 313 West Front. 2 15 8

FOR SALE—A fine lot between Park and Watchung avenues, on Second street. M. F. Gano, 221 Park avenue. 2 5 tf

OLD PAPERS for sale, put up in packages of 100 copies for 10c. Apply at this office. tf

REAL ESTATE for sale, rent and exchange at bargain figures; insurance in strong companies at lowest rates; money t oloan at five per cent Thickstun & Emmons, 197 North avenue. 9 28 tf

FOR SALE—House and lot on Webster place, near Watchung avenue; fine location; 8 rooms; all improvements. J. V. E. Vanderhoef 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

SODA fountains, many styles, new and second hand; bargain prices and easy terms; also wire furniture. Haussling Apparatus Co., 24 Arlington street, Newark, N. J. 2 12 2 m eod

I HAVE $50,000 to sell at once. John Manley, 321 Park Ave. 2 19 4

LOT FOR SALE on John street, near West Seventh, 50x150; fine location; will sell very reasonable. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE—Houses and lots in all parts of the city; properties that I have picked up in trade that I can sell you for less than market prices; if you want to buy or have anything to sell come and see me. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield 11 20 tf

BLENHEIM pups, male and female; pedigreed; reasonable. Mrs. Meiggs, Benson place, Westfield. 16 7

FOR SALE—Coal and lumber business, grocery, butcher, livery, trucking, automobile garage; all kinds of business bargains. Ira L. LaRue, next to station, next to bargain. 31 tf

A CHANCE for a working man to buy a home on West Second street; very little cash required. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

FARM, 24 acres, for sale, near Somerville, on macadam road; good buildings. McNabb, lawyer, 209 North avenue. 1 28 1m

FOR SALE—Two Turkey Toms. Address R. H. Krog, Plainfield, N. J., R. F. D. No. 1. 2 20 3

FOR SALE—Seasoned cord wood; cut in lengths to suit purchaser; also mill slabing at $6 per cord; orders will be given prompt attention. John V. TenEyck & Son, P. O. Box 57, Metuchen, N. J. 1 8 3m

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FOR SALE—House and lot, on West Fourth street, near Grant avenue; 10 rooms, city water and toilet rents for two families; a bargain for some one. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield 11 20 tf

FOR SALE—At one-half cost ... horse Westinghouse compound engine (Junior) in good condition cost $250; our price $125 ... Daily Press office

FOR SALE OR FOR RENT—Several houses, stores and offices. J. P W. Taylor, 102 North Ave. 12 20 tf

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THOROUGHBRED Buff Orpington Cockerels, also pullets. Mrs. Meiggs, Benson place, Westfield. 2 16 6

BLACK ORPINGTON COCKERELS AND PULLETS—A few choice ones for sale; fine shape and color; good enough to show; brothers to first prize winners at the late large shows; write for prices; eggs $5 per setting. Oak Tree Poultry and Game Farm, Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J. 1 21 tf

NOTICE.

All licenses granted by the City will expire March 1. All persons wishing to renew the same must make application to the City Clerk on or before Feb. 25. After March 1 no person will be allowed to carry on any business for which a license is required without securing one.

P. S. KIELY, Chief of Police.
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MANY LOOPHOLES IN THE MOTOR LAWS

QUESTIONS DECIDED AT MEETING OF JERSEY MOTOR CLUB.

The most important happening in the local motor world last week was the meeting of the New Jersey Automobile and Motor Club to consider legal questions which have arisen during the last six months. The sense of the meeting was that the present law provides entirely too many loopholes for motorists who are reckless and who do not propose to obey the law if they can avoid doing so. One of the most important of the resolutions passed was in favor of having all license pads issued by the State, thus attaining the uniformity of design that has been such a successful feature of the Pennsylvania law.

Another resolution of vast importance was that which calls for the carrying of lights at night by all vehicles, whether horse-drawn or propelled by motors. There has already been introduced into the Legislature a bill calling for the carrying of two lights on all vehicles. The New Jersey Automobile Club has decided not to support this, however, for the reason that in many cases it would work a hardship to owners of horse vehicles, although it is practically a necessity in the case of automobiles. The motor club's resolution calls for only one light. In its present form, as given below, it has received the sanction of the Road Drivers' Association. With the backing of two such powerful organizations, both of which have the welfare of vehicular traffic at heart, the measure should not fail of passing. It was stipulated that this provision go as an amendment to the general road laws and not to the Frelinghuysen automobile act.

Other resolutions having to do with the increasing of the force of motor vehicle inspectors, with power to arrest without warrant and to require motorists to show licenses; the throwing of glass and nails upon highways, and the establishment of a permanent legal committee by the club were passed. The resolutions, as finally passed and recorded officially by the secretary, are as follows:

"Resolved, That it is the sentiment of this clug that a bill be introduced for passage by the Legislature requiring all vehicles other than those included under the provisions of the motor vehicle law, when using the highways of this State during the period of time between one h aur after sunset and one hour before sunrise, and whenever fog renders it impossible to see a long distance, to carry a lighted lamp showing a white light in all directions if suspended under the body of such vehicle or showing a white light from the front and a red light from the rear to be attached to the left side of the vehicle. That such bill be proposed as an amendment to the present highway law and not to affect in any way the requirements of the present motor vehicle law.

"That it be made a misdemeanor to throw, place or deposit any glass upon the public highways of this State.

"That a legislative committee of five members be appointed annually by the president of this club for the purpose of facilitating the enforcement of the motor vehicle law and to advance all measures suggested for the advancement by statutory provisions of the interest of and protection to automobilists in general in this State and for the better protection, improvement and building of highways in this State.

"That the department of motor vehicle registration and regulation issue and furnish the number tag required by the motor vehicle law, and that all such tags be of uniform size and design.

"That the corps of inspectors of the department of motor vehicle registration and regulation, acting under the provisions of the motor vehicle law, be increased to twenty members.

"Resolved, That all automobilists who are regularly registered in their native states shall have the right, by application to the federal government, to a certificate that will give them the right to pass through any State in the Union."

PERSONAL.

J. Evarts Tracy, of Hillside avenue, will leave on Monday for a business trip to St. Paul.

Mrs. W. R. Cumback, of West Front street, is detained at home with a severe attack of rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Martin, of Watchung avenue, are visiting friends for a few days at Point Pleasant.

Alfred Beal, of South avenue, will sail on Wednesday for Europe, where he will remain for an indefinite period.

Mrs. George Neff, of Fairview avenue, who was injured while coasting on Lincoln's Birthday, is able to be out again.

Dr. Charles P. Bull, Jr., of East Ninth street, has received the appointment of house physician at St. Mary's Hospital, New York.

H. D. Thompson, a former well known resident of the West End now living at Red Bank, was the guest of friends in town yesterday.

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THE SALOON PROBLEM SOLVED.

The Newark Evening News gives Plainfield credit for solving the saloon question and deservingly so. As has been repeatedly stated in these columns, Plainfield arrived at a satisfactory solution of the problem long before a Bishops bill was ever dreamed of; in fact the principal features of that meritorious law have been in force here for years. In commenting on the subject, the Newark paper says:

"The city of Plainfield has been exploited again and again, with reference to its management of saloons, yet each year brings to the front new reasons for making further comments upon the same topic. At the March meeting of the Plainfield Council, it is now probable, there will be no new applications whatever for saloon licenses. Twelve men who have been granted licenses for the past fifteen or twenty years have applied for renewals and will be granted them. There are no remonstrances against them, no complaints by the police, they have kept decent, orderly, all-abiding places and they will be permitted to continue in business upon payment of the license feet of $1,000 each. Since 1897 the number of hotels and saloons in Plainfield has been reduced from seventeen to twelve and the fees have been increased from $700 to $1,000. The Plainfield Council has come to the conclusion that twelve drinking places are enough for the city, and those who might have some inclination to open new places have about made up their minds that it is not worth while to apply for new licenses. Certainly Plainfield seems to have solved the saloon question, even if it has not solved the liquor question."

CHERRY TREE SOCIAL AT PARK AVE. BAPTIST CHURCH.

Washington's Birthday Observed by Rev. A. E. Finn's Flock In Fitting Way.

At the Park Avenue Baptist church a "Cherry Tree Social" was held on Thursday night. It was arranged in honor of George E. Hall, superintendent of the Sunday-school, whose birthday anniversary occurred yesterday, by Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Finn's Bible classes, but Mr. Hall was detained at home by illness. There was a presentation of a birthday cake to Mr. Hall, it being received by Mr. Finn as proxy. The cake was brought in by Mabel Stutsman and Gordon Moy dressed as George and Martha Washington, and G. W. V. Moy made the presentation. The cake was taken to Mr. Hall's home yesterday.

The programme, under the direction of Harry C. Runyon, as bandmaster, was greatly enjoyed. It was as follows: Selection by orchestra, meeting of ole time sinin' school chorus, Sound the Loud Timbrel; recitation, Mrs. Charles Steiner; chorus, Strike the Cymbal; solo and chorus, Cousin Jedediah, Miss Alma Runyon; recitation, Aunty Doleful's Visit, Mrs. Herbert Henry; solo, Grandma's Advice," Miss Cora Brokaw; selection, mock orchestra; recitation, A Surprise," G. W. V. Moy; chorus, Red, White and Blue; selection, orchestra; distribution of hatchets.

The mock orchestra furnished lots of fun. About thirty young people dressed in old-time costume appeared playing all sorts of instruments and while the harmony was not always the best, there was plenty of music that delighted all. Another feature was the fireworks. These were furnished by paper novelties and all sorts of pretty figures were displayed, carrying out the patriotic idea.

After the entertainment there was a social hour and ice cream and cake were served.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Boman, of Putnam avenue, are spending a few weeks in Europe.

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Wings and Flies

By Tom Muir.

Elaborate preparations are being made by William A. Brady and Jos. R. Grismer for the celebration of the one hundredth performance in New York of "The Man of the Hour," which takes place at the Savoy theatre, Monday, Feb. 25th. The record of the Broadhurst play it no less remarkable than the play itself which has been pronounced by the most eminent reviewers of dramatic subjects to be by all odds the best play of the season. "The Man of the Hour" is destined, it is believed, to have a longer run than any other piece produced in the past decade. That prediction is based upon the extraordinary interest which has centered in this play since its initial presentation. "The Man of the Hour" has to an unusual degree a combination of a live and interesting subject treated in a masterly manner by an experienced playwright, and enacted by a company of superior entertainers and wide capabilities.

"The Belle of Mayfair" has taken such a hold upon New York City that it has been decided to retain the dainty musical attraction at Daly's theatre until the end of the season. Preparations are now under way to transfer it to another Broadway house at the expiration of the Daly estate lease of this historical theatre. As soon as "The White Chrysanthemum" is launched Thomas W. Ryley who is responsible in a great measure for the success of "The Belle of Mayfair" in this country, will make his annual trip to London and Paris to see new productions of which he has options for the American and Canadian rights.

Of the illuminated theatre signs that grace Broadway there is perhaps none that shows such originality in design and treatment as that of the electric sign over the entrance at Daly's theatre. In a huge frame giving the title of the play as well as the principal members of the cast, all in electric letters, there is surmounted on either end a huge bell made of electric lights as is also the clapper which comes up to the rim, and as it does, the harmonious strike of the bell is heard producing the effect as though the lighted glass clapper produced the sound. The chimes used in the bells are an exact duplicate of those that are used at St. George's church, West End, Mayfair, London.

PENNSY FLYER PLUNGES INTO RIVER; 20 MISSING.

Cars Jump Over 60-Foot Cliff Into the Water—Passengers Asleep.

Johnstown, Pa., Feb. 23.—Train No. 29, the eighteen-hour flyer from New York to Chicago on the Pennsylvania line, jumped the track on a curve near South Fork just before midnight this morning, and three sleepers plunged over a sixty-foot cliff into the Conemaugh River.

There were fifty-four passengers in the three coaches, and not one of them escaped injury. Eight of them are said to be mortally hurt and twenty-nine others seriously. Twenty are said to be missing, and are believed to have been killed.

The three coaches that went into the river were quickly submerged. The escape from death of the passengers was miraculous.

Almost all of the passengers were in their berths asleep when the train left the track on a curve. The accident was caused by the dropping of a brake rigging on the combination car next to the engine.

The curve is between South Fork and Minteral Point and is so sharp that engineers fear it.

The train left New York at 3:55 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and arrived at Altoona one hour late. The engineer was endeavoring to make up this lost time, and was bowling along at seventy miles an hour when he struck the curve.

The train plunged through telephone and telegraph poles, and with a great crash the three sleepers turned completely over and rolled down the embankment, landing on their sides in the water.

A HANDKERCHIEF SOAWER.

Arranged By Miss Bessie Bond for Miss Jessie Stevens.

In honor of Miss Jessie Stevens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick R. Stevens, of Second place, whose marriage to Walter Cahoone, of Watchung avenue, will take place in May, Miss Bessie Bond, of East Front street, gave a handkerchief shower at her home, Thursday afternoon. There were about thirty friends present and Miss Stevens received a handsome collection of handkerchiefs.

A feature of the affair was that each one attending was expected to express their acceptance in rhyme and prizes were given to those composing the best verse. Miss Stevens received first prize and Miss Helen Robins the second prize. After the social features refreshments were served. The decorations in the dining room were very attractive, red being the prevailing color.

William C. Leek will conduct the services at the Hunter Avenue Tabernacle tomorrow night at 8 o'clock. There will be special music.

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PERSONAL.

Captain and Mrs. A. McDougall, of London, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Cahn, of East Sixth street.

Robert W. Meeker, of Belvidere avenue, Netherwood, is home from the University of Pennsylvania until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm McKenzie and the Misses McKenzie, of this city, are registered at the Chalfonte, Atlantic City.

Mrs. George Whitley, of Beverley, Mass., has returned home after a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whitley, of Essex street.

Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt Brokaw and their daughter, Miss Elsie Brokaw, of Sycamore avenue, have gone to Cuba on a pleasure trip.

William Starr Bullock, of East Second street, who has been making a tour of inspection of mines in the West, has returned home.

William Mack, of West Front street, who has been detained at home several months by illness, is able to be about again and expects to return to work soon.

J. E. Townsend and J. Worth Coddington attended the reunion of the First Regiment, New Jersey Vols., at the Astor House, New York, yesterday. They are both members of this regiment.

Mrs. George S. Whitlock and daughters, of West Front street, have returned from a visit with friends in Trenton. While there they attended the review of the Second Regiment held in the armory Thursday night.

Mrs. Frank W. Clawson, of this city, was one of twelve guests at a luncheon given on Wednesday by Miss Marguerite Ellis Stevenson, of Montclair, when her engagement to Clarence Redcliff Kilbourne, of Sandusky, Ohio, was announced.

Jeff De Angelis and Estelle Wentworth in "The Girl and the Governor," at the New Plainfield theatre Next Tuesday Night.

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K. OF P.'S GRAND LODGE PLANS SOMETHING NEW.

General Lodge to Be Composed of Members of Defunct Lodges.

Something entirely new to fraternal orders was discussed by the Grand Lodge of New Jersey, Knights of Pythias, at its annual session, which closed at Trenton Thursday afternoon. The proposition was to take care of members of defunct lodges by placing them in a general lodge, working under a special charter. Owing to the fact that the members of the lodge would come from different sections of the State, it would be practically impossible to hold meetings, and so it was proposed to administer its financial affairs from the office of the grand lodge.

It was argued by many that many members of the new branch would in time seek admission into a regular lodge, and so the membership would be undergoing a steady change. Others claimed the inactive members of defunct lodges would be satisfied, and that, in time, the lodge would have a big membership.

"No matter from what point you view the plan," said one delegate, "it would save to the order all members of defunct lodges, and that is the sole aim of the idea."

The legality of the plan was attacked and a long argument resulted. It was proposed to call the branch "State Lodge No. 200," the right to receive candidates by initiation being denied. Final disposition of the plan was made by adopting a motion to charter the special lodge. It is thought that other fraternal orders will watch with considerable interest the result of the experiment.

No change was made in the amount of per capita tax to be levied. The June tax will be fifteen cents, and the December levy will call for twenty cents. During the coming year the grand lodge will be called upon to pay the supreme lodge about $300 more than last year, the tax levy having been increased two cents.

The appropriation bill was made up of these items: Compensation of grand chancellor, $700; salary of grand master of exchequer, $100; salary of grand keeper of records and seal, $800; office rent of grand lodge, $180; supreme lodge per capita tax, $1,000; printing for grand lodge, $900; supplies, $300; expenses of vice-chancellor, $200; expenses of grand record keeper, $200; expenses of grand master of exchequer, $50; expenses of grand tribune, $100; incidentals, $200; total, $4,730.

One Good Act.

The children's moving picture show at the Y. M. C. A. attracted a large house yesterday afternoon. The pictures were the poorest D. W. Robert son has ever shown here, and a so-called comedy team created agony, but Robin, the grotesque juggler, was as good as he vaudeville stage affords. He was so good as to make the rest of the show forgiveable.

Second Lented Recital.

The second free Lenten recital will be given at the Church of the Holy Cross, this afternoon at 4 o'clock, by F. Clinton Lee, assistant organist of Trinity chapel, New York city. He will be assisted by Miss Leila Druse, soprano, of the First Baptist church choir.

Benefit for Joseph Jones.

For the benefit of Joseph H. Jones, a graduate of the Plainfield High School, class '06, and a student at Oberlin College, a vaudeville concert was given at Bethel chapel last night by the Vivtor talking machine. It is believed that $200 will be realized.

SUNDAY IN THE CHURCHES

Baptist.

First—Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss, pastor—10:30, preaching; 3:00, Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching by Rev. J. W. Musson.

Park Avenue—Rev. A. E. Finn, pastor—10:30, subject, "Physical Giants;" 2:45, Bible school; 7:45, evangelistic service, subject, "The Crown Jewel of the Universe."

Faith chapel—Rev. J. W. Musson, pastor—10:45, preaching; 2:30, Sunday-school; 3:00, Baraca Class; 7:00, Christian Endeavor; 7:45, preaching.

Mt. Olive Baptist—Rev. A. M. Alexander, pastor—11:00, preaching by Rev. C. S. Morris, of New York; 3:00, Sunday-school; 7:30, preaching by pastor.

Calvary Baptist—Rev. G. W. Bailey, pastor—10:30, preaching, subject, "In His Name;" 3:30, Sunday-school; 7:00, missionary meeting; 7:45, preaching, subject, "Drinking from the Rock."

Ebenezer—Rev. P. T. Morris, pastor—11:00, preaching, subject, "The Man of Life;" 3:00, Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching, subject, "The Good Works."

Reformed.

Trinity—Rev. Dr. Cornelius Schenck, Ph. D., pastor—10:30, preaching by Rev. E. P. Johnson, D. D., of New Brunswick, subject, "The Head of the Church;" 2:30, Sunday-school; 6:45, Y. P. S. C. E.; 7:45, preaching by Mr. Johnson, subject, "For and Against."

German—Rev. C. H. Schneegas, pastor—10:45, preaching in German; 8:00, preaching by pastor in English.

Marconnier chapel—Rev. J. Tucker Lansdale, pastor—11:00, preaching; 3:00, Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching.

Presbyterian.

First Presbyterian—Rev. Charles E. Herring, pastor—10:00, preaching; 11:00, Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching.

Crescent Avenue—Rev. Dr. John Sheridan Zelie, pastor—10:30, preaching; 7:45, preaching.

Hope chapel—Rev. L. R. Howard, pastor—Services 10:30 and 8:00, preaching.

Warren chapel—Rev. J. O. McKelvey, pastor—10:30 a. m., preaching; Sunday-school at 2:30; regular evening service at 8:00 p. m.

Bethel chapel—Rev. F. D. Tildon, pastor—Services 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Episcopal.

Grace church—Rector, Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson; rector-emeritus, Rev. E. M. Rodman—7:30 a. m., holy communion; 10:30, holy communion and sermon; 3:00, Sunday-school; 4:15, organ recital; 4:45, evening prayer.

Mission Church of the Heavenly Rest—Rev. Charles L. Short, rector—9:45, Sunday-school; 11, morning service.

St. Stephen's—Rev. Arthur S. Peck, pastor—7:30, low celebration; 9:45, Sunday-school; 11:00, matins, litany and sermon; 4:00, evensong.

Holy Cross—Rector, Rev. George A. Warner—7:30 a. m., holy communion; 9:45 a. m., Sunday-school meets in parish house (except first Sunday in the month); 10:00 a. m., rector's Bible class for young men and women in the parish house; 11:00 a. m., morning prayer and sermon (except first Sunday in month); 7:45 p. m., evensong and sermon.

Grace Church Colored Mission—Rev. E. E. Miller, curate—11:00 a. m., morning prayer and sermon; 8:00 p. m., evensong and sermon.

Methodist Episcopal.

First—Rev. A. C. McCrea, pastor—10:30, sermon by W. C. Snodgrass, D. D., of Perth Amboy, in exchange with pastor; 12:00, Sunday-school; 7:00, Epworth League, topic, "Convincing the World." leader, Samuel Bingaman; 7:45, preaching by Dr. Snodgrass.

Grace M. E.—Rev. Charles Wesley Parsons, pastor—10:30, preaching by Rev. Phil. A. Parsons; 2:30, Sunday-school; 6:45, Epworth League, Miss Mary Hoagland, leader; 7:45, preaching.

Monroe Avenue M. E.—Rev. Dr. E. E. Roberson, pastor—11:00, preaching; 7:15, Epworth League; 8:00, preaching.

Mt. Zion A. M. E.—Rev. H. C. Ashley, pastor—11:00, preaching; 3:00, Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching.

Roman Catholics.

St. Mary's—Rev. Bernard M. Bogan, rector—Masses, 6:30, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school at 2:30; vespers at 3:30.

St. Joseph's—Rev. William H. Miller, rector—Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 3:00; benediction of the blessed sacrament at 3:30.

Congregational.

Congregational church—Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor—10:30, preaching; 11:55, Sunday-school; 7:30, Endovear Society.

Swedish Evangelical Pilbrim church—Rev. Theodore Englund, pastor—10:30, preaching; 4:00, Young People's meeting; 8:00, preaching service.

Friends.

Meeting house, Watchung avenue and Third street—Meeting First-day at 11:00 a. m.

Unitarian.

All Souls'—Rev. A. C. Nickerson, pastor—10:30, preaching 12:00, Sunday-school.

Lutheran.

German Lutheran—Swedish service, 8 p. m., preaching.

St. Peter's German Lutheran—Rev. J. Duerschner, pastor—Grove street—9:30, Sunday-school; 10:30, preaching, service in German; 4:30, Cathetical Instruction; 8:00, preaching in Swedish.

Christian Science.

Services 11 a. m., in room 323, Babcock building.

Disciples of Christ.

Christian Church—Rev. Phil A. Parsons, pastor—11:00, Prayer and communion; 2:30, Sunday-school; 7:45, subject, "The Passing of the Church."

Not Classified.

Gospel Mission, East Front street and Bank place—7:30 p. m.

Grove Street Rescue Mission—4:00, Robert Love will speak.

W. C. T. U.—4:00, Harry Cose will speak.

Y. M. C. A.—4:00.

Salvation Army—11:00, Holiness meeting; 3:00, Sunday-school; 8:00, Salvation meeting.

Hunter Avenue Tabernacle (C. E. Union)—3:00, Sunday-school; 8:00, gospel service, conducted by W. C. Leek, special music.

Rev. Phil. A. Parsons, of the Christian church, will preach at Grace M. E. church tomorrow morning.

R. Henry Depew, of Hillside avenue, is stopping at Hotel Ormond, Ormond Beach, Fla.

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PUBLIC NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I shall sell at public auction at my stable, 200 West Second street, Plainfield, N. J., on Monday afternoon, February 25, at 2 o'clock, 1 large gray horse, the property of John King, now held by me for payment of keeping of same.

Dated February 9, 1907.
2 19 2 tu s GEORGE W. COLE.

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DIED.

ODIORNE—On Saturday, February 23, 1907, Annie, wife of George F. Odiorne.

Funeral services at her late residence, 514 Madison avenue, on Monday, February 25, at 2:30 p. m.

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Classified Advertisements

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Help Wanted.

WANTED—First class chambermaid; good wages; only those with best references need apply. Call 107 West Seventh St. 2 23 2

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 210 East Ninth St. 2 21 3

WANTED—Competent white cook for small family to assist with washing; references. Apply evenings, 908 Watchung avenue, city. 2 21 2

NEWS IN THE SUBURBS

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

The topics of the services at the Baptist church tomorrow will be as follows: 10:30 a. m., "The Lord is a Man of War;" 7:45 p. m., "Call the Sabbath a Delight." The Christian Endeavor Society will meet in the lecture room at 7 o'clock; the topic will be "The Kingdom in the Islands." The pastor will lead.

Miss Emma Faulks and Miss Fannie Mundy wede the guests of Harry Manning in Trenton at the Second Regiment drill Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. William Manning are entertaining their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Manning, of Newark.

Miss Nellie Manning has fully recovered her recent illness.

Mrs. Katherine Smith is confined to her room by illness.

(Additional suburban news on page 2).

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

Help Wanted.

WANTED—Drill hands. Aluminum Press Co., Dunellen, N. J. 21 tf

WANTED—Colored boy for kitchen help, immediately. 178 East Front St.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework; family of three. 678 West Seventh St. 2 23 tf

MACHINISTS—First class horizontal boring mill and lathe hands wanted at the Watson Stillman Co., Aldene, N. J. 2 23 7

WANTED—Young white nurse girl. Call 948 West Seventh St. 2 23 3

WANTED—Nurse maid for two small children. Apply 129 Grove St. 2 23 3

GOOD boy wanted. Apply Dr. Gildes, 21 Grove St. 2 21 3

WANTED—Experienced millinery saleslady; good salary to right party. Address James Wisdom, The Bon-Ton, Trenton, N. J. 2 21 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework; references. 50 Westervelt avenue. 2 21 3

WANTED — First-class laundress two days each week. Apply with reference, 240 East Ninth St. 2 21 2

WOMAN wanted, between 40 and 50 years of age, at 424 West Front street; one who would like good home. 2 21 3

WANTED—Nurse maid for an infant, also invalid lady. 518 Belvidere avenue. 2 20 3

WANTED — Experienced cook; white; reference required. Apply 1060 Central Ave. 2 4 tf

WANTED—Bright, smart young man of good appearance; 16 to 18 years old, in store. Address R., care Press. 2 20 3

WANTED—First class candy and ice cream maker. Debele & Stahl. 2 21 2

GROCERY CLERK—Young man wanted; must have experience and reference. Apply M. B. Walker, Westfield. 2 20 3

WANTED—White girl for general housework. Apply 514 Central Ave. 2 20 3

WANTED—White girl as children's nurse; German preferred. Apply evenings, Mrs. Rushmore, 14 Sycamore avenue. 2 16 6

GLOVES—Experienced prix, seam, pique and hemmers wanted. I. Oliver & Co., 552 West Broadway, New York city. 2 18 5

WANTED—Young colored man as butler and make himself generally useful. Apply 911 West Seventh St. 2 18 tf

COOK and waitress wanted (white) by March first. Address F. J. S., care Press. 2 19 4

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at once at Mrs. Day's Intelligence Office, South Plainfield, N. J. 2 9 tf

Lost and Found.

LOST—Boston terrier, brindle and white. Reward if returned to L. E. Waring, 120 West Seventh St.

LOST—A gold necklace with cross. Finder kindly return to 524 East Third street. 2 23 2

PICKED up at hardware counter at Woolworth's store. The one who picked up my pocketbook may not know the owner as it had no name in it. I saw the person who picked it up, but did not wish to approach them in store. Will reward if returned to my store, 218 West Second street.

LOST—Between Central avenue and R. R. station, via Arlington trolley, a string of gold beads. Reward upon leaving at this office.

LOST—Pair spectacles, in J. Hervey Doane case. Finder please return to 206 Watchung avenue, city. 2 21 2

FOUND—Purse, containing small sum of money. Call at Daily Press office. 2 21 3

POOR girl will be grateful if the finder of her souvenir pocketbook will leave it at Daily Press office. It was lost yesterday noon while she walked from Fourth street and Park avenue to East bound railroad station and thence through tunnel to North avenue. It contained a sum of money and was given her by a dear relative now dead. 2 16 tf

Wanted—Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Old geese and duck feather beds; double other buyers' cash prices. Address C. F. Dickinson, General Delivery, Plainfield. 2 21 9

WANTED—$3,300 on first bond and mortgage. Address Improvement, care Daily Press. 2 23 3

WANTED—A milk route, about 100 quarts. Address N. B. Giles, Dunellen, N. J. 2 19 6 eod

WANTED—April 1, flat for two adults. Address Flat, care Press. 2 20 3

MILK route or oil route wanted. Address Milk, care Daily Press. 20 3

I WANT to buy pony cart; must be cheap for cash. P. O. Box 301, Plainfield, N. J. 2 20 6

WILL care for good horse for the winter for use of same. Address Good Care, care Press. 10 6 tf

Help Wanted.

WANTED—White girl for general housework; no washing. Call afternoons, 955 West Sixth St. 1 24 tf

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at once at Mrs. Keller's Intelligence Office, 22 Somerset place. 12 29 tf

GIRL wanted to cook, wash and iron; references required. Apply 526 West Seventh St. 1 29 tf

For Sale.

NEWLY furnished lunch room for sale cheap. Address X., care Press. 2 21 2

FOR SALE—Horse; cheap. 937 Rahway road, corner Prospect Ave. 2 23 2

FOR SALE—Near Putnam avenue, 7 rooms; all improvements; $3,000. Ira L. LaRue, 152 North Ave. 2 23 6

FOR SALE—Gas range, laundry stove, laundry table, Singer sewing machine; all in good condition. Call 524 Belvidere avenue, Monday or Tuesday.

$150 BUYS one of our good upright pianos; slightly used; good as new; fully guaranteed by Hallett & Davis Co.; will be on sale Monday, February 25, at our store, 176 East Front street; open evenings. 2 23 3

FOR SALE—Very cheap, household goods, parlor suit, dining room table, chairs, refrigerator, etc.; must be sold at once. Herbst Farm, Terrill and Cushing roads, Fanwood. 2 23 2

FOR SALE—About 6 acres, heart of town, opposite new park; $6,500. W. G. Peckham, Westfield.

FOUR good cows for sale; three fresh, one coming in. Emil Clementz, Watchung. 2 21 3

14 BUILDING LOTS—14—In city of Plainfield, will sell cheap; these lots are all 50 feet front and 150 to 265 feet deep; here is a chance for a builder to make money. Address C. H. Jaeger, Hotel Kensington, city. 2 20 3

FOR SALE—Fish and oyster fixtures. Call 182 Somerset St. 2 23 3

FOR SALE—Two beautifully situated, modern dwellings on large lots, containing 14 rooms, bath and butler's pantry; also hardwood floors, electric lights, etc.; one with stable and all other latest modern improvements in one of the best sections of Washington Park. Charles H. Lyman, 207 North avenue, Plainfield, N. J. 2 19 4

For Rent.

TO RENT—Beautiful apartment of five rooms; every improvement; choice neighborhood. 316 West Sixth street. 2 21 3

THREE rooms for rent. 418 John St. 2 23 tf

TO LET—April 1, house and store with city water; West End; rent $20. U. B. Crane. 1 26 4 s

TO LET—7-room house; improvements; 647 East Seventh street. Apply W. D. Manning, Consumers' Coal Co. 2 21 2

FOR RENT—First-class steam heated apartment, containing 8 large light rooms and bathroom and all improvements; in perfect condition throughout; 4 minutes' walk to North Avenue R. R. station; ready for occupancy March 1; references required. For particulars address A. M. Lederer, city. 2 21 6

TO RENT—60 acres tillable land; small house, stock, tools. 205 Watchung avenue, North Plainfield, N. J. 2 21 2

TO LET—House, 8 rooms and bath; all improvements; good location. Liefke & Laing, 146 Park avenue. 2 19 3 w f s

TO RENT—House, 8 rooms; all improvements; North Plainfield; corner house; $30. Address A. A., care Press. 2 20 3

FIRST-CLASS house to let. 21 Regent street. 2 18 6

STORE 222 Richmond street, suitable for barber, baker or clothier. 2 20 3

TO LET—Large, new store, No. 407 Watchung avenue. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin building. 9 24 tf

DENTIST office, heat, telephone, light, water, door attendance. 178 East Front street. 1 11 tf

Money to Loan.

MONEY to loan on mortgage; five per cent. Louis A. Clement, lawyer, Babcock building. 2 18 6

TO LOAN on bond and mortgage, $3,000, also $3,500, on satisfactory risks. J. F. MacDonald, 149 North avenue. 1 31 tf

MONEY to loan, five per cent. gilt edge real estate. J. T. Vail. 1 14 tf

MONEY to loan at 5 per cent. on first mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot. tf

TO LOAN—Money on first mortgages at 5 per cent. V. W. Nash, Jr., 221 Park avenue. 6 22 tf

$4,000.00 TO LOAN on first bond and mortgage, on Plainfield property at five per cent. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin Building, East Front street. tf

TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street. tf

Miscellaneous.

REMOVAL NOTICE—New York dental parlors removed to Woodhull & Martin building. 2 18 1m

DOGS and all kinds of pets boarded. 36 Raymond Ave. 2 21 1m

MRS. BONY — High-class dressmaking; French models; fine work remodeling; moderate prices. 12 Stone St., North Plainfield. 1 24 1m

NEXT—We are next to station and next to bargain; bring in your bargain and be next to buyers. Ira L. LaRue, 152 North Ave. 1 8 tf

GENERAL typewriting and stenographer. Call at 33 Somerset street, N. Plainfield. A. G. Daudt. 2 2 1m

FREE! FREE! Six fine square pianos, for cost of tuning and carting only; great chance for beginners and others. Call at once, Hadley's piano salesrooms, 315 West Front St. 23 tf

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P. F. LATOURETTE, auctioneer; sales promptly attended to; satisfaction guaranteed. 326 West Front St. 2 10 tf

BEFORE selling your furniture see Latourette, 326 West Front St. tf

BABIES crochet sacques for sale; all prices; also ladies' knitted sweaters made to order. Mrs. Mayer, 54 Pearl street, North Plainfield. tf

THE highest cash price paid for household goods, furniture, etc. Fred W. Hand, Auctioneer, 136 East Second street. 'Phone 1722. tf

Situations Wanted.

COOK desires situation in Plainfield; first class references; written and personal; Swedish. A. Klaren, 116 East 56th St., New York city. 2 23 3

DRESSMAKER will go out; children's clothing a specialty. 52 Pearl street.

SEWING at home or would go out. Address Dressmaker, care Press.

EXPERIENCED nursery governess wishes position; fond of children; capable, refined, highest personal references. Address Reliable, care Daily Press. 2 23 3

TWO girls want places, one as cook, other as chambermaid and waitress; best references. Call intelligence office, 22 Somerset place. 2 20 3

RESPONSIBLE man wants position as watchman; can attend to furnace. Address Watchman, care Daily Press. 2 20 3

ELECTRICAL engineer, 17 years with Plainfield Electric Light Co., wants position. 654 West Fourth St. 2 20 3

Rooms and Board.

LARGE and small steam heated rooms to let, with board. M. B. Lindsay, 602 Central Ave. 2 23 6

LARGE and small furnished rooms; all improvements; to let. 226 East Front street.

FOR RENT—Large sunny room; furnished; well heated; also small room adjoining; central location; improvements. Address Home, care Press office. 2 23 3

FURNISHED rooms to let. 402 East Fifth St. 2 20 3

TWO fine connecting rooms and bath, with board, March first. 514 Madison avenue. 2 20 6

TWO large rooms to rent, with board. 110 East Fifth street, near Park avenue. 2 15 tf

GOOD accommodations; low rates. Boyce's Hotel, 97 Somerset St. tf

COMFORTABLE, well heated rooms, with excellent board; also table board; evening dinners a specialty. For terms call or address Mrs. A. L. Waldorf, 132 and 134 Crescent Ave. 2 8 tf

Real Estate Agents.

NEW HOUSES FOR SALE—Two elegant new houses on West Eighth street, 3 baths, large high lot, shade and every modern improvement; tile baths; three fine houses at Netherwood, every improvement, shade and high terraced lot; two fine new houses on West Seventh street, every improvement; best location; also 8-room house on Summit avenue, near Westervelt. Call and see plans, Manning or McIntyre, 163 North avenue, open evenings. 1 31 1m

FOR SALE—Fine new 10-room house situate on a high terraced lot, 100x250, in the best section of Netherwood; hard wood floors and trim; 2 tiled bath rooms, 3 fireplaces, steam heat; occupancy April 1; will finish to suit purchaser. Plans can be seen at the office of William H. Abbott, 163 North avenue; also have plans for several houses which I am erecting in other parts of the city; prices from $7,500 to $12,000. 1 29 1m

THOSE desiring to own a farm should consult one who has been selling farms for years, and he is yours truly, William Henry Rogers, 136 Park avenue, Plainfield; telephone 44. tf

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GOTHAM'S AMUSEMENTS

Keith & Proctor's Shows.

Recent important happenings in vaudeville have again brought the seven Keith & Proctor houses in Manhattan and Jersey City before the public in a most prominent way. In the new alliance of Percy G. Williams and Oscar Hammerstein with the booking offices of B. F. Keith has evolved one immense clearing house for the vaudeville performers who are now enabled to negotiate contracts through the United Booking Offices of America for a term of years instead of weeks as heretofore. Coincidental with the publication of the union for booking purposes only of Williams & Hammerstein with Keith and Proctor came the announcements of a direct transfer of policy in the entertainments at Keith & Proctor's uptown houses. Beginning with the usual matinees on Monday, February 25, Keith & Proctor's stock company, which for several years past has won an enviable success at the 125th Street theatre between Park and Lexington avenues, will open at the Harlem Opera House on West 125th street, near Seventh avenue and make its permanent home there hereafter and continue the presentation of the great dramatic successes of the season as heretofore. The popular favorites of the stock, including Miss Morgan, Mr. McAllister, Miss Scott, Mr. Norton, Mr. Hanley, Mr. Hill, Miss Deshan, Miss Randolph, r. Howell, and Barry O'Neil, the stage director with others will all be moved in this transfer and the same identical policy of stock plays and vaudeville at the same popular prices will prevail. For the future the home of Harlem's favorite stock company will be at the Harlem Opera House instead of at the 125th Street theatre. When the stock policy begins next week at the Harlem Opera House, the transfer of Keith & Proctor's all star vaudeville, which has been so successfully conducted at the Harlem Opera House, will be made at the East 125th Street theatre and the same big high-class Harlem Opera House shows will find an abiding place in the new environment further East on 125th street, which has been the scene of so many dramatic triumphs of the stock company. In this complete exchange and transference of policies between the Harlem Opera House and the 125th Street theatre, uptown patrons of Keith & Proctor's have expressed genuine pleasure. The admirers of the stock company are delighted to know their favorites are to be housed hereafter in the spacious opera house and the great legion of vaudeville devotees welcome the presentation of all star vaudeville in the 125th Street theatre with special fervor.

The triumph of Miss Frances Starr in "The Rose of the Rancho," the new Belasco-Tully drama which is crowding the Belasco theatre to its doors at every performance, is still the talk of the town. Never has the success of an individual artist, hitherto comparatively unknown, been more emphatic or genuine. It is not the sudden outburst of a clever young girl who has merely hit the right opportunity, but the substantial, enduring, unqualified triumph which always is the reward of definite and deserving genius. Under the sure but gentle guidance of Mr. Belasco, Miss Starr has been brought to that point of excellence in her art which places her at once among the most applauded artists, and carries the fame of her fine achievement to every household through the country. Her personality and work seem to appeal with particular earnestness to the ladies; for, while every night at the Belasco sees the house entirely sold out, the rush at the matinees has been necessary to close the dors long before 2 o'clock and refuse the further sale of tickets.

Philosophy of "The Man of the Hour."

Horrigan (the Political Boss)—"It's best to keep them judges on the anxious seat—it teaches 'em their place!"

"The man who desn't 'graft' hasn't the chance—or he's a fool."

Gibbs—"The people have the votes, you know."

Horrigan—"Yes, they vote—but we count."

Ald. Phelan (after he had defeated his old enemy, Horrigan) "Yes, Horigan's a game bird—but he flies funny."

The Mayor—"When it comes to following the styles the men are just as bad as the women."

Dallas (his fiancee)—"They are, but you are the first man who ever acknowledged it."

It's a wise playwright who recognizes his own play after the manager, stage manager and star have taken a fall out of it.

This "government by injunction" habit has spread to the stage. A Pittsburg authoress threatened proceedings to prevent mutilation of her play by a star, and a New York playwright followed suit with effective results—another proof of "commercialism of the drama."

Briggs—"What's the difference between a show girl with a pale blue voice and a comic opera prima donna? (average type)."

Jiggs—"A large sum of money."

"An uncommonly good play and an excellent performance, made 'Clothes,' as presented by Grace George and company, at the Illinois a source of genuine enjoyment." W. L. Hubbard in the Chicago Tribune.

Otto Fenn, one of the fishermen of "Neptune's Daughter" at the New York Hippodrome, dived into the water tank one afternoon last week with such force that he went to the bottom of the tank. He is an expert swimmer and always swims under water with his eyes open. The water was remarkably clear owing to the great illumination overhead, and near the bottom of the tank, nine feet below the surface, Mr. Fenn saw a large mud turtle. The turtle tried to escape him, but Mr. Fenn chased it and grabbed it with one hand. Then he came up to the surface and proudly exhibited his catch. The mud turtle is now an honored guest in his dressing room at the Hippodrome, and will be promptly adopted into the Hippodrome menagerie. The turtle is five inches long, and is believed to have been a resident of the water tank since it was an infant, having entered through the water main when it was very small.

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After dinner coffee cups should be very gay in design. They may all be different or else fit in with the general color scheme or else match the handsome dessert plates.

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"Lord, no! I hardly suspect the young gentleman of being a praying man."

"You haven't seen him prowling about the house analyzing the architecture—"

"Not a bit of it, sir! He hasn't, I should say, what his revered grandfather called the analytical mind."

Pickering stamped his feet upon the paved porch floor in a way that I remembered of old. It marked a conclusion, and preluded serious mistakes.

"Now, Bates," he said with a ring of authority and speaking in a louder key than he had yet used, "it's your duty under all circumstances to help discover the hidden assets of the estate. We've got to pluck the mystery from that architectural monster over there, and the time for doing it is short enough. Mr. Glenarm was a rich man. To my own knowledge he had a couple of millions, and he couldn't have spent it all on that house. He reduced his bank account to a few thousand dollars and swept out his safety deposit boxes with a broom before his last trip to Vermont. He didn't die with the stuff in his clothes, did he?"

"Lord bless me, no, sir! There was little enough cash to bury him, with you out of the country and me alone with him."

"He was a crank and I suppose he got a lot of satisfaction out of burying his money. But this hunt for it isn't funny. I supposed of course we'd dig it up before Glenarm got here or I shouldn't have been in such a hurry to send for him. But it's over there somewhere in the grounds. There must be a plan of the house that would help. I'll give you a thousand dollars the day you wire me you have found any sort of clue."

"Thank you, sir."

"I don't want thanks, I want the money or securities, or whatever it is. I've got to go back to my car now, and you'd better skip home. You needn't tell your young master that I've been here."

I was trying hard to remember, as I stood there with clenched hands outside the chapel porch, that Arthur Pickering's name was written in the list of directors of one of the largest trust companies in America and that he belonged to the most exclusive clubs in New York. I had come out for my walk with only an inverness over my dinner jacket, and I was thoroughly chilled by the cold mist; I was experiencing, too, an inner cold as I reflected upon the greed and perfidy of man.

"Keep an eye on Morgan," said Pickering.

"Certainly, sir."

"And be careful what you write or wire."

"I'll mind those points, sir. But I'd suggest, if you please, sir—"

"Well?" demanded Pickering impatiently.

"That you should call at the house. It would look rather strange to the young gentleman if you'd come to St. Agatha's and not see him."

"I haven't the slightest errand with him. And besides I haven't time. If he learns that I've been here you may say that my business was with Sister Theresa and that I regretted very much not having the opportunity to call on him."

The irony of this was not lost on Bates, who chuckled softly. He came out into the open and turned away toward the Glenarm gate. Pickering passed me, so near that I might have put out my hand and touched him, and in a moment I heard the carriage drive off rapidly toward the village.

I heard Bates running home over the snow and listened to the clatter of the village hack as it bore Pickering back to Annandale.

Then out of the depths of the chapel porch—out of the depths of time and space, it seemed, so dazed I stood—some one came swiftly toward me, some one light of foot like a woman, ran down the walk a little way into the fog and paused.

An exclamation broke from me.

"Eavesdropping for two!"—it was the voice of Olivia. "I'd take pretty good care of myself if I were you, Squire Glenarm! Good night!"

"Good-by!" I faltered, as she sped away in the mist toward St. Agatha's.

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CHAPTER XIV.

The Girl in Gray.

My first thought was to find the crypt door and return through the tunnel before Bates could reach the house. The chapel was open, and by lighting matches I found my way to the map and panel. I slipped through and closed the opening; then ran through the passage with gratitude to the generous builder who had given it a clear floor and an ample roof. In my haste I miscalculated its length, pitching headlong into the steps under the trap beneath Glenarm House at a gait that sent me sprawling. In a moment more I had jammed the trap into place and was running up the cellar steps, breathless, with my cap smashed down over my eyes.

I heard Bates entering at the rear and knew that I had won the race by a scratch. There was but a moment in which to throw my coat and cap under the divan in the library, slap the dust from my clothes and seat my self at the great table where the candles blazed tranquilly.

Bates' step was as steady as ever—there was not the slightest hint of excitement in it—as he came and stood within the door.

"Beg pardon, Mr. Glenarm, did you wish anything, sir?"

"Oh, no, thank you, Bates."

"I had stepped down to the village, sir, to speak to the grocer. The eggs he sent this morning were not quite up to the mark. I warned him not to send any of the storage article to this house."

"That's right, Bates." I folded my arms to hide my hands, which were black from contact with the passage, and faced my man servant. My respect for his rascally powers had increased immensely since he gave me my coffee. A contest with so clever a rogue was worth while.

"I'm grateful for your care of me, Bates. I had expected to perish of discomfort out here, but you are treating me like a lord."

"Thank you, Mr. Glenarm. I do what I can, sir."

He brought fresh candles for the table candelabra, going about with his accustomed noiseless step. I felt a cold chill creep down my spine as he passed behind me on these errands. His transition from the role of conspirator to that of my flawless servant was almost too abrupt.

I dismissed him as quickly as possible, and listened to his step through the halls as he went about locking the doors. The locking-up process had rather bored me before; to-night I listened with interest for every sound.

When I heard Bates climbing to his own quarters I quietly went the rounds of my own account and found everything as tight as a drum.

I was tired enough to sleep when I went to my room, and after an eventless night woke to a clear day and keener air.

"I'm going to take a little run into the village, Bates," I remarked at breakfast.

"Very good, sir."

"If any should call I'll be back in an hour or so."

"Yes, sir."

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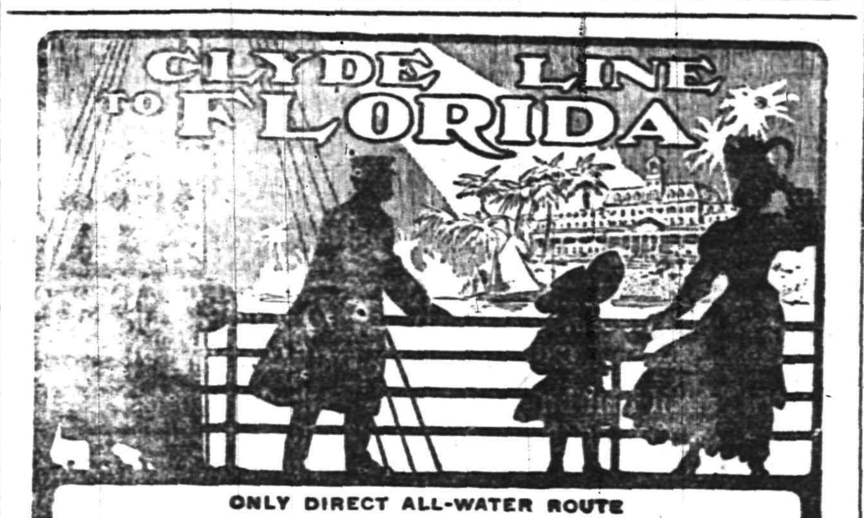

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NOTABLES TO SPEAK AT U. P. ALUMNI BANQUET.

The North Jersey Alumni Association of the University of Pennsylvania will have its annual meeting and banquet in the colonial room of the Trenton House, at Trenton, Monday night. Governor Edward C. Stokes will be one of the speakers, as will Judge John G. Horner, of Burlington county, a graduate of Pennsylvania. Dr. James M. Green, principal of the State schools, will speak on the relationship between the preparatory schools and the universities.

The university will be represented by Charles C. Harrison, A. M. LL. D.; Vice Provost Edgar Fahs Smith and Dr. Edward Martin, professor of clinical surgery.

There are nearly 75 graduates of Pennsylvania in Mercer county, and it is expected that most of them will be present, besides many others from the counties north of Mercer, and from Monmouth, Burlington and Ocean counties.

The committee in charge of arrangements consists of Charles H. Dilts, '91, dental; Francis B. Lee, '90, Wharton; Edward S. Hawke, '95, medical; A. E. Boice, '00, dental; William S. Collier, '02, medical; James McGuire, '02, medical; John C. Forsythe, '99, dental, all of Trenton.

The officers of the society are: William H. Parry, '99C., president, Newark; Elbert S. Sherman, '97M., Newark, first vice president; August Lochnberg, '99C., Newark, second vice president; John C. Forsythe, '99D., Trenton, secretary-treasurer.

READY FOR MEETING OF METHODIST CONFERENCE.

Residents of Red Bank Will Entertain the Clergymen of the Body.

Arrangements are completed for the entertainment of the three hundred or more preachers of the New Jersey Methodist Episcopal Conference, which will convene at Red Bank the week beginning March 13. The conference promises to be more interesting than usual on account of the large number of changes that are probable among the ministers of the conference.

The New Jersey Conference extends from the Raritan river to Cape May and from the Delaware river to the ocean. There are about 250 ministers in that district and the probationers and visiting clergymen will bring the total number up to 300. Bishop Henry W. Warren, of Denver, will preside.

The ministers will be entertained at the homes in Red Bank. The committee met last night and assigned the preachers to the various homes. The entertaining church will be the First Methodist and conference anniversaries and similar services will be held in Grace Methodist. Rev. Alfred Wagg, pastor of the First Methodist church, is chairman of the committee and George A. Longstreet is the secretary.

UNWRITTEN LAW IS NOT GOOD IN JERSEY.

William Griggs was convicted in Mercer Court this week at Trenton on a charge of assault and battery on William Bowers, a groceryman, at the corner of Prospect street and Pennington avenue in that city.

Bowers claimed that Griggs came into his grocery store at Prospect street and Pennington avenue, and accused him of interfering with his wife. Bowers denied the accusation and told Griggs if he did not get out of the store he would throw him out. Bowers said that Griggs then made an assault on him, choking him.

The defense claimed justification in defending the good name of his wife, but Judge Rellstab reminded Messrs. Hunt and Kafes, who represented Griggs, that the unwritten law does not go in New Jersey. William R. Piper conducted the prosecution.

HROMODKO'S DIPLOMAS WORTHLESS IN JERSEY.

Frank J. Hromodko, who was convicted early in the term for practicing medicine without a license, was sentenced this week by Judge Rellstab at Trenton to pay a fine of $50 and the costs of prosecution.

Hromodko is the man who was doing a great business among the Polish people in Trenton until some of the doctors who were called in to treat cases where Hromodko's efforts had failed. The physicians had the matter investigated, which resulted in the arrest and indictment and subsequent conviction of Hromodko.

Hromodko had a number of diplomas from foreign colleges, but he had never taken the State examination here and was, therefore, acting unlawfully.

MARCH 9 THE DATE FOR MAIN STEM TAX FIGHT.

By special arrangement made with the Supreme Court the certiorari proceedings instituted by the railroads to test the validity of the Perkins main stem tax act of last winter will be argued in Newark March 9. It will be heard by the main branch of the Supreme Court, consisting of Justices Fort, Pitney and Hendrickson.

The State will be represented by Attorney General McCarter, assisted by former Supreme Court Justice Bennett VanSyckle, of Trenton, and John R. Hardin, of Newark.

Collins and Corbin will be present for the railroads.

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Bowling and General Sports

PLAINFIELD WON THE DUAL ATHLETIC MEET

BURGESS WAS THE STAR PERFORMER; CLINCHED THE TROPHY FOR LOCALS.

Plainfield won the dual Y. M. C. A. athletic meet from Passaic at the Association gymnasium Thursday night. The winners got three firsts in the five events. They made a clean sweep of the potato race and clinched the meet.

Burgess was the star of the contest. His splendid work gave Plainfield the premier place, and he showed a brand of pluck that makes him worthy of all the cordial things that are said of his performance. His battle with Grubb in the high dive was heroic. Grubb held the event in the hollow his hand, but Burgess clung to him pluckily and fell down at the 5 feet 9 inch dive after gallant attempts at a mark that was hopelessly beyond him. He went over the 5 feet 8 inch raise wholly on his nerve.

The events:

Standing broad jump—Burgess, 9 feet 5 inches; Grubb, 9 feet 3½ inches; Adelson, 9 feet 2 inches.

Shot put—Leonard, 37 feet, 9¾ inches; Collier, 34 feet 8 inches; Collins, 33 feet 5¼ inches.

Running high jump—Burgess, 5 feet 1 inch; Grubb, 5 feet 1 inch; Odell, 4 feet 11 inches.

High dive—Grubb, 5 feet 9 inches; Burgess, 5 feet 8 inches; Stutsman, 5 feet 4 inches.

Potato race—Collins, first; Douglass, second; Templin, third; time, (Douglass) 58 seconds; 250 yards.

Officials—Referee, E. B. Barnes, A. L. N. A.; judges, F. H. Baker, Passaic; J. Hemlock, Passaic; Harry Scull, Plainfield; G. L. Listman, Plainfield.

The Plainfield team gets a silver cup. The individual winners received badges after the meet. The Passaic team and the officials were entertained at supper.

PARKS WIN FIVE GAMES OUT OF SEVEN AT ELIZABETH.

New Series Arranged Between Crack Bowlers of Central Journal League Beginning March 1.

F. O. Ball and William Barlow, of the Park Club bowling team, rolled a return match with West and Howe on the Elizabeth Club alleys, last night. The Park team won five out of seven games, making a total of eleven out of fourteen games in both series. Another series has been arranged and the first match will be rolled Friday night, March 1, on the Park Club alleys. Last night's scores follow:

PARKS.

								Average.
Barlow	172	178	179	181	224	181	149	180.6
Ball	158	179	186	183	168	224	160	179.7
	330	357	365	364	392	405	309	360.3

ROSELLE.

								Average.
Howe	190	202	151	165	145	160	160	171.7
West	206	169	182	159	178	162	146	167.6
	396	371	333	324	323	322	306	338.3

AT THE TRAPS.

A large number of shooting enthusiasts witnessed several good matches at Tom Brantingham's clubhouse on Park avenue, Thursday afternoon. Brantingham was beaten twice, the first time by Forman Bissett, of South river, who won out by three birds in a match of 100. The second defeat was at the hands of John Belloff, of New Brunswick, who beat his opponent five birds in a race of 100, though Brantingham gave him a handicap of ten. "Jim" Duane, of Metuchen, was defeated by Peter Lott, of Dark Lane, three birds out of twenty-five.

Two other matches will take place at the clubhouse on March 7. Belloff will shoot S. A. Sabbacher 100 birds for $25 a side, and a team shoot will be held between Brantingham and Roochetti and Bissett and Belloff, fifty birds at $5 a corner.

BASKETBALL.

The girls' basketball team of the Stillman Grammar School defeated the girls' team of the Westfield High School on the Plainfield High School floor, Thursday afternoon, by a score of 32 to 4. A feature of the game was the playing of Kathryn Sminck. She threw all of the goals, sixteen, for the local team, and played a strong game throughout. The Plainfield lineup follows: Forwards—Kathryn Sminck, Ruth Wean; center, Adele vonBrakle; guards, Ruth Mahaffey, Anna Johnson.

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EX-REP. JOHN T. DUNN HAS PASSED AWAY

SERVED TERM IN CONGRESS FROM OLD EIGHTH DISTRICT.

Former Congressman John T. Dunn died at the Alexian Hospital, at Elizabeth, at noon yesterday. He was in his 69th year. He had been a sufferer from kidney trouble for several years. He leaves a widow and one daughter, who is the wife of Lawyer John F. Brown.

John T. Dunn was born in Tipperary, Ireland, in 1838, and came to this country with his parents. He came to New Jersey in 1845. The story of his life is one of extraordinary interest. He was self-educated, and although in the latter years of his life a lawyer by profession and at one time a representative of the people in the halls of Congress, he started in life at the age of seven years as a farm boy in this State. Tiring of this he, at the age of eleven, shipped at Atlantic City as a cabin boy on a trading vessel bound for the West Indies. For two years he followed the fortunes of the sailorman and then turned up at Gloucester City, where he secured employment as a bobbin boy in a mill. He next turned his attention to iron molding and some time afterward tried his hand at brass turning and as a silver burnisher at Frankford, Pa. He subsequently served his time as a house painter and followed that business for a number of years.

He manifested about this time a deep interest in politics and spoke at Norwich, Conn., during the D ouglass campaign on the same platform with the "Little Giant." He was elected councilman in Elizabeth in 1878 and again in 1891. He served as a member of the Assembly from Union county in 1878, '78, '80, '81 and '82, being the Speaker of the House during the latter term. In 1892 he was elected to Congress from the old Eighth district, over Winfield S. Chamberlain, Republican, of Bayonne, by a majority of 993.

In the contest for the Democratic nomination for Congress he was opposed by James E. Martine and for a time the contest was a warm one and Martine was confident of success. Martine assured his friends of his own triumph up to the last moment. But Dunn had the votes.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The Young Ladies' Missionary Society of Hope chapel will meet in the Sunday-school rooms Monday night at 8 o'clock.

Rally day exercises will be held at the Ebenezer Baptist church tomorrow night, under the auspices of the Willing Workers Society.

Rev. L. R. Howard will preach the second of his Lenten series of sermons at Hope chapel tomorrow night. The subject will be "Betting and Gambling."

The Men's Association of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church, will attend divine worship in the church tomorrow night in a body. The members will assemble in Epworth House at 7:30 and the services will begin at 8 o'clock.

Rev. Dr. C. S. Morris, pastor of the Abyssinian Baptist church, New York, will preach at the Mt. Olive Baptist church tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock in exchange with the pastor, Rev. M. A. Alexander. They will occupy their own pulpits in the evening.

Miss Julia G. Shinn, principal of a boarding school for girls at Rangoon, Burma, will speak at the Chrustian Endeavor Society meeting at Faith chapel tomorrow night at 7 o'clock. Miss Shinn left Plainfield seven years ago to engage in missionary work and she will describe interesting incidents in connection with it.

Boat Club's Annual Dinner.

The Wanamassa Boat Club held its fifth annual dinner at the Hotel Churchill, New York, last night. It was attended by twenty-five members from New York, Brooklyn, Jersey City, Elizabeth and other places. The Plainfielders who attended were Percy Phillips, Den J. Galbraith, G. Harold Whitney, Arthur Aalholm, Richard Randolph, William Pope, Wilburt Bentliff, Fred A. Martin and E. C. Hardingham.

A Mother Goose Bazaar.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Grace M. E. church conducted a "Mother Goose" bazaar and entertainment in the church Thursday and last nights. The various booths represented Mother Goose happenings and the attendants wore appropriate costume. Large attendances were present on both nights and the society netted a substantial amount for church work.

Surprise for Miss Richter.

Thirty friends of Miss Ernestine Richter, of Pearl street, tendered her a surprise party at her home last night, a feature of the evening's enjoyment was various games in which prizes were won by Miss Carrie Beiter and Miss Richter. Music and dancing were also enjoyed and refreshments were served at a late hour.

Star Course Show Good.

The programme presented by the Mendelssohn Concert Company at the Y. M. C. A. Star Course last night was vastly enjoyed by a good sized audience. The songs were admirably sung, and the reader, Mrs. Alkire, was excellent.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Annie Odiorne.

Mrs. Annie Munnelle Odiorne, daughter of the late Dr. William Munnelle, and wife of George F. Odiorne, died this morning at 5 o'clock at her home, 514 Madison avenue, from paralysis, following an attack of Bright's disease. She suffered a slight stroke before Christmas. On Thursday night, while her husband was reading the Bible to her, she was stricken again. She is survived by a husband and a sister, Mrs. Frank Willett Runyon. The funeral services will be held from the late home Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment will be at the convenience of the family.

COMMITTEES OF THE Y. M. C. A. CONVENTION.

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The following standing committees were announced by President Sproull at the State Convention of the Y. M. C. A., at Elizabeth Thursday night:

Business—H. K. Hoot, Newark; Edgar B. Moore, Elizabeth; H. E. Spark, Paterson.

State Executive Committee Report—Theodore W. Hampson, Orange; John E. Gill, Trenton; H. W. Buxton, Morristown; L. A. Goff, Camden; Elwood C. Harris, Newark.

Resolutions—F. H. Andrews, Plainfield; George M. Bacon, Burlington; G. B. Robinson, Montclair.

Credentials—James B. Gallagher, Summit; Charles M. Guest, Camden Railroad Association; J. H. Strawbridge, Elizabeth.

AUSTIN BOY FREED.

Orel Victorson is Recovering and Mrs. Austin Will Pay Doctor.

Assured by a physician that Orel Victorson, the boy who lay unconscious for nine hours after a knockdown blow from 10-year-old Matthew Austin, colored, would be all right in a day or two, City Judge Runyon discharged the colored lad from custody Thursday afternoon.

The boy's hearing was brief. Mrs. Victorson said she did not want to see Matthew punished and would be willing to drop the case if the doctor's bill was paid. Mrs. Austin lost no time in offering to pay it, and the understanding that she meet all the medical expense was made part of the disposition of the case.

Dr. C. A. Gesswein is attending the Victorson boy. He expects to have him as well as he ever was within three days.

THIRTY YEARS FOR AHL.

Wife-Slayer Will Be Taken to Trenton State Prison on Monday.

Jersey City, Feb. 23.—Herman A. Ahl, who was convicted of murder in the second degree last week before Judge John A. Blair in the Hudson Court of Oyer and Terminer, was sentenced Thursday to serve a term of thirty years in State Prison.

Last June Ahl quarreled with his wife, and the result of the argument was that he whipped out a razor and cut her throat almost from ear to ear. He will be taken to Trenton Monday morning.

Former Postmaster Badly Hurt.

Califon, Feb. 23.—Former Postmaster Manches H. Hann is in a serious condition at his home at Pleasant Grove. He suffers a broken shoulder, a badly cut face and internal injuries. Mr. Hann was riding a horse and leading another Thursday night, when the equines became unmanageable. The animal he was riding bolted and ran under a stay wire of a telephone pole. The wire cut a severe gash in the man's face and he was pulled from the back of the animal. In falling his left shoulder was broken and he suffered internal injuries. He was removed to his home nearby and Dr. M. S. Simpson, of Middle Valley, dressed the injuries and set the dislocated member.

To Be Foreign Manager.

James A. Stafford, of this city, who is manager of the Multigraph Company in New England, has been appointed European manager for the company. He will leave for London, where his European headquarters will be, about June 1.

Will Address Veterans.

Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., has sent out special invitations for a meeting to be held in G. A. R. Hall Tuesday night, at 8 o'clock, when L. V. F. Randolph will make an address on "Lincoln" and "Washington." The public is invited.

In the Borough Court.

Fred Kaeding, arrested for disorderly conduct, was arraigned before Recorder Dolliver yesterday morning and fined $5. He paid up. Oscar Waldron, arrested on a similar charge, will be arraigned tonight.

S. P. C. A. To Meet.

There will be a meeting of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals at the offices of Reed & Coddington in the Stirling Building, Monday morning at 10 o'clock.

—H. Russell Voorhees, of Carlton avenue, a member of the firm of Voorhees & Company, of New York, advertising specialists, is in California, making a tour of that State. Mr. Voorhees left here several months ago on a business trip for his firm, throughout the entire West. He is at present in Redlands, Cal., en route East, by the way of El Paso, Texas, New Orleans and other cities.

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BAD TIME FOR A RAISE

State Superintendent Baxter Warns School Board to Figure Closely.

R. R. TAX IS UNCERTAIN

Shouldn't Be Counted Upon, He Says, and Figuring On Certainties Boards Should Make Bigger Budgets.

In a circular letter to all the school boards of the State, Charles J. Baxter, State superintendent of public instruction, has warned the governing bodies of all the school districts to be careful of their estimates of moneys to be received from the local taxpayers, and the amount to come from the State apportionment. The warning of the especial interest to Plainfield because the school board has just voted to raise salaries.

Mr. Baxter advises the boards to ask for more money in their budget, instead of less, because the only increase they can count upon, that growing out of the large amount of ratables, will be over-balanced by enlarged expenditures.

He says:

"This increase will not be sufficient to make adequate provision for the unusual outlay that will be required for the ensuing school year. Our rapid growth in population, the general tendency toward higher educational standards and the greater demand for well-equipped teachers, together with the necessity of increasing their salaries, will make a material and inevitable increase in 'current expenses.' Therefore, to provide against financial embarrassment and possible detriment to our schools, it will be necessary for boards of education and boards of school estimate to assign the items of this year's budget a larger total sum than was appropriated one year ago."

Especially vehement warning is given against counting upon the railroad tax money, the payment of which is being contested in the courts.

"Though the amount due from the said increase in railroad tax has been apportioned among the several counties," says the circular, "and, as provided by law, will be sub-apportioned among the school districts, it has not been collected. As you are undoubtedly aware, the allied railroads have paid the former tax of one-half of one per cent. into the State treasury and propose to contest, on the ground of unconstitutionality, the payment of all direct tax upon main stem property. How long this will take and the ultimate result are matters entirely problematical. We believe, however, that because of the said contest, the much needed fruition of the Acts of 1906 is almost certain to be delayed.

"At no time in the past have you permitted any portion of the support of your schools to be precarious, and you are not justified in taking such risk now. Therefore, in making provision for the school year of 1907-1908, boards of education and boards of school estimate should not take into account the amount apportioned from railroad tax. An apportionment whose validity is contingent upon the outcome of a contest in the courts is not an appropriation, and contracts for the ensuing year cannot be made in anticipation of funds whose availability is not assured.

"It is greatly to be regretted that many who are regarded as worthy citizens and as good friends of the schools, either fail to appreciate the magnitude of our school system or are sadly misinformed as to the amount expected from the railroads. Said amount, when received, will not, as has been asserted, be sufficient 'to wipe out the district school tax,' or 'provide boards of education with an embarrassment of school funds.' These are not simply harmless day dreams, but obstructive and mischievous delusions. Those who indulge them and give them currency are doing much to create an unfortunate public sentiment, to stimulate false hopes and to embarrass those intrusted with the responsibilities of school administration."

Whether or not the Plainfield board counted on the railroad money in ordering the raise in salaries could not be learned today, for everybody connected with the board, excepting President Probasco, was out of town, and the president was not at home. If the board was figuring on that money the circular will disturb the members mightly.

Something to add to the disturbance is brewing now. The State board is said to have prepared an order asking Union county to pay $200,000 State school tax this year, which is exactly $102,000 more than last year. The school tax rate a year ago was 9.8 points; the new rate may be 20 points.

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HIS DEATH MYSTERIOUS

Body of Rev. Dr. Burr, a Former Plainfielder, Found on Railroad Tracks.

BELIEVED ACCIDENTAL

Graduate of Plainfield High School and Son of Late Stephen Burr—A Brilliant Man.

The mutilated and dismembered body of Rev. Dr. Everett T. Burr, a former resident of this city, was found yesterday lying beside the eastbound tracks of the Boston and Albany division of the New York Central, near the Sumner street bridge, Westboro, Mass. The body was discovered by the crew of a Worcester bound freight train. Dr. Burr's home was at Newton Centre, Mass. He spent his boyhood days here, attended the Plainfield High School, from which he was graduated. His father which he was graduated in 1876. His father, Stephen H. Burr, was for several years superintendent of the First Baptist church Sunday-school.

During the past few months Dr. Burr had been engaged in visiting various Baptist churches in the interest of the reform movement in behalf of the Congo Free State and he spoke at the First Baptist church here on the first Sunday in December last.

Dr. Burr left his home at Newton Centre Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock without informing his family as to his destination. Earlier in the day he received a telegram from a friend in New York, and it was supposed that he was on his way to that city in response to it. He had been suffering from a severe attack of grip, and had not fully recovered. It is the opinion of his friends that he was suddenly attacked by dizziness while passing from one car to another on one of the New York trains and fell to the tracks. It was a matter of surprise that both Dr. Burr's watch and purse were missing when the body was found. The watch was a valuable one and it was known that the purse contained between $50 and $100.

In the opinion of Medical Examiner Charles S. Knight, of Westboro, who viewed the body, death was due to accident. He said that the victim had undoubtedly fallen from a moving train while passing from one car to another; that his clothing had been caught by some p ortion of the train and the body dragged over the ties for about 400 feet, the blood on the sleepers indicating that the body had been dragged that distance.

Papers and a memorandum book found in the clothing disclosed the identity of the victim. No hat or coat was found. The body was frozen, showing that it had been beside the track for a number of hours. The memorandum book contained a number of preaching dates, and showed that Dr. Burr had spoken at Cleveland last week and later in New York city.

Dr. Burr was one of the best known clergymen of the Baptist denomination in Massachusetts. He was an alumnus of Brown University at Providence and Crozier Theological Seminary at Chester, Pa. He attended Yale for a time prior to going to Brown and was for a short period a student at Rochester Theological Seminary before going to Crozier. For several years he was pastor of the Ruggles Street Baptist church, Boston, one of the wealthiest in that part of the country. Six years ago he declined a nunanimous call to John D. Rockefeller's church in New York. He was forty-five years old and a wife and two children survive him.

"Washington" Supper.

The women of the First Baptist church of New Market held a successful "Washington" supper at Friendship Hall Friday night. Covers for 200 were laid. Three large tables were handsomely decorated with bunting and flowers. A. G. Nelson, dressed as George Washington, and Mrs. W. J. Nelson, costumed as Martha Washington, received the guests. Souvenir hatchets were distributed. Mrs. Harry Piddington was chairman of the committee in charge.

Broke Arm in Fall.

While on her way to Hope chapel Sunday-school, yesterday afternoon, Mrs. Edward Fluck, of West Fifth street, slipped on a snow-covered patch of ice and fell heavily. She broke her arm and sustained several bad bruises. She was assisted home and a physician was called to attend her.

Mr. Dolliver's Cousin Dead.

Victor B. Dolliver, forty-six years old, a brother of Senator Dolliver, of Iowa, and a cousin of G. Q. Dolliver, of North Plainfield, was found dead in bed at his home in Fort Dodge, Ia., last evening. He retired last night apparently in good health. An inquest will be held today.

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BIG DEVELOPMENT SCHEME

Option Obtained by Local Men at Watchung and Surrounding Countryside.

TO ERECT COTTAGES

Handsome Country Places to Be Built On Slope of Watchung Mountain—Trolley to Be Extended.

There is much more in store for Watchung and the surrounding countryside in the way of improvement besides a big artificial ice lake. It has been learned that the lake, plans for the digging of which by a company of capitalists, were made public exclusively in the Daily Press Saturday, is only one step in the development of the district.

Convinced that the Watchung district has a splendid future as a location for all-the-year-round and summer residences, real estate investors of this city and other places nearby have secured options on many hundreds of acres in the mountain neighborhood. The ice company holds 400 acres suitable for building purposes. It is the general idea of the men interested in the development of the district to put model villas, bungalows, cottages and more elaborate country places all along the slope of the mountain, upon the mountain top and in the valley beyond. The land holdings making such operations possible have been brought within the reach of the men working on the scheme.

The aspect of the country will not be changed. The semi-rugged beauty of the locality is its chief asset and it will be conserved. The roads will be macadamized, and the trolley line may be extended to the base of the mountain, but there will be no landscape flippery or puerile "parking."

REV. DR. J. A. CHAMBLISS ASSISTS AT DEDICATION.

Preaches Scholarly Sermon in the New Baptist Church at Rahway Last Night.

Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss, pastor of the First Baptist church, was the principal speaker at the dedication services held in the new Baptist church, Rahway, last night. Despite the bad storm, the recently-built edifice was crowded with worshippers, and all enjoyed the scholarly sermon by the Plainfield divine.

The dedication services began yesterday morning and will continue until Wednesday night. Yesterday morning Rev. Dr. J.E.Vassar, of Elizabeth, preached the sermon and in the afternoon the formal delication took place, when Rev. W. G. Fennell, of Newark, preached the sermon. There was the reading of the church history and dedicatory poem by H. S. Barnes, deacon; dedication hymn, composed by Abram Coles, M. D., LL. Dd., of Newark; responsive dedicatory service, prayer and dedication, hymn and benediction.

The new building is situated at Elm and Esterbrook avenues. Its exterior architecture is pleasing in design. The church will seat 300 and the Sunday-school room has a seating capacity of 200. The two rooms can be thrown into one. The cost of the building was $25,000. Operations were begun in May and the cornerstone was laid in July of last year.

S. P. C. A. BOARD ENLARGED.

Time For the Enrollment of Charter Members Extended.

Final details of organization were completed by the S. P. C. A. this morning at a meeting in W. A. Coddington's law office. The time for the enrollment of charter members was extended to April 1. The executive board was enlarged from five to seven members, and Mr. Coddington, who is counsel for the s ociety, and Mrs. G. W. Bunnell, the treasurer, were placed on the body. Booklets containing the constitution, by-laws, charter and kindred facts will be printed.

The society has engaged in active work in its field. A number of complaints have been attended to satisfactorily. The next meeting will be held on March 25.

Miss Shinn Tells of Her Work.

Miss Julia G. Shinn, a returned missionary from Rangoon, Burmah, who is spending several days in this city as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Batchelor, of West Seventh street, addressed the members of the Baptist church, Roselle, yesterday following the morning service. Last night she spoke at Faith chapel before the Christian Endeavor Society, and tomorrow afternoon she will address the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the First Baptist church, and on Wednesday will leave for Philadelphia, where she will remain for several days.

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PRIEST DENOUNCES THE DANCE HALLS

FATHER DELEHANTY SPEAKS AT ST. MARY'S ON THEIR EVILS.

Rev. Father Delehanty addressed the congregation at St. Mary's church yesterday morning concerning the practice on the part of some of the parishioners of attending dances at public halls. The priest cautioned the members of his church against following such amusements, particularly during Lent, and urged them to refrain from visiting various halls. He said that he did not approve the practice at any time, and told his people that they were to avoid all appearance of secular amusement during this season of the church year; a time for fasting and prayer.

Father Delehanty also spoke on divorces, declaring them to be one of the crying evils of the day. In seven cities in America in ten years past there were 40,038 decrees granted. He deplored this condition of affairs and told of the terrible effect it is having on American life.

BIG HOME PLANNED FOR FIRST NATIONAL

REPORTED THAT BANK IS NEGOTIATING FOR FINGER PROPERTY.

Keeping pace with the progressive spirit shown by the banking institutions of Plainfield generally, the First National Bank, it is said, is considering an improvement which will make its building one of the ornaments of the city. The plan in question, according to report is nothing less than a scheme to more than double the size of its present accommodations, which in turn will give it unusual facilities for conducting its business.

Negotiations are underway, it is said, for the taking over of the property on Somerset street, near Front, owned by George Finger. The deal will also include the large driveway which like the Finger building runs back of the bank's present structure, having a frontage on Somerset street of about 80 feet. This will give the bank the full depth of the property from Front street back to the raceway and will alow it an entrance on Somerset street.

The plan is said to include the transforming of the present rectangular building into an "L" shapestructure, with entrances on both thoroughfares. This will allow a large lobby and reception space in the Front street entrance and will also give a similarly large space for patrons in the Somerset street entrance. Moreover, the bank will also be able to install more safe deposit vaults and other similar facilities.

The Plainfield Trust Company took the initiative some time ago by erecting what is considered the handsomest banking building in this section of the State. The Plainfield Savings Bank is now remodelling its building and when the improvements are completed it too will have one of the finest buildings in the vicinity.

Miss Leila Druse Assisted.

The second free Lenten recital attracted a large number of worshippers to the Church of the Holy Cross, Saturday afternoon. F. Clinton Lee, assistant organist at Trinity chapel, New York, presided at the organ and he was assisted b Miss Leila Druse, of the First Baptist church, who sang "O Lord Be Merciful," and "The Plains of Peace." Evening prayer followed the recital.

Reginal Roome Injured.

Reginald Roome, of this city, brother of Howard Roome, the star football at Yale, and who is a Yale student, class 1910, received a gash in the back of the head in the First Washington's Birthday fight between Yale freshmen and sophomores. The fight under the new rules went to a finish. Another freshman was blinded by a gash over the eye.

Gave a Heart Party.

Miss Stella Boss, of West Front street, gave a heart party at her home on Friday night, entertaining about thirty guests. V. W. Nash, Jr., won the first prize for the men and Miss Ida Furman the first prize for the women. After the play there was a musical programme, including the singing of patriotic songs. Supper was served at midnight.

Lectures On Commercial Law.

J. Henri Crane, a lawyer, whose office is in the Jeffrey building, Park avenue, has taken charge of a class in commercial law at the Plainfield Business College. He will lecture every Monday morning. There are 100 pupils in the class.

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—Mrs. J. E. Corlies regrets that she is obliged to recall her invitations for Tuesday afternoon, February 26, also.

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DIED WHILE AT PRAYER

Charles C. Burnett Stricken With Apoplexy While Making His Private Devotions.

FOUND BY HIS WIFE

Indentified With Many Local Lodges—A Jolly, Whole-Souled Citizen—Aged Fifty-two.

Stricken with apoplexy, Charles C. Burnett, one of the best known residents of the city, died suddenly at his home on Madison avenue, sometime late Saturday night. He returned home after spending the evening with friends in town and busied himself about the lower rooms, the members of the family having retired. Mrs. Burnett heard him putting coal on the range and fell asleep shortly afterward. She awoke again at 4 o'clock and then noticed that Mr. Burnett was missing.

Surmising that something was wrong she hurried downstairs and found his body in a recumbent position beside a chair. It had been his custom to kneel in the same spot in prayer every night before retiring and he was evidently doing so when death came upon him. Mrs. Burnett summoned County Physician Westcott, but on his arrival he declared that life had been extinct about four hours.

Mr. Burnett was fifty-two years old and had lived in Plainfield the greater part of his life. He was engaged in the stationery business on Pine street, New York, under the firm name of C. C. Burnett & Co. and the concern is well known in the metropolitan district. Mr. Burnett was one of the organizers of the Alert Hose Company, now exempt, and while it was in existence was one of its most active members. He also belonged to Plainfield Lodge, No. 885, B. P. O. E., Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum; Columbia Lodge, No. 58, A. O. U. W., and had taken his first and second degrees in Anchor Lodge, No. 149, F. and A. M. He was of a particularly sunny disposition and had a host of warm friends.

Mr. Burnett married Miss Claire Force, daughter of the late George Force, who resided for many years on West Second street, and she with two daughters survive him. They are the Misses Claire and Clyde Burnett, both of whom are at home.

The funeral will be held at his late home and will be private. Friends wishing to see the body may call tomorrow morning from 11 until 12 o'clock. Interment will be in Greenwood cemetery.

CHANGES IN THE CHOIR AT FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Miss Etta Raybert, Soprano Soloist, Resigns, and Miss Nicholl Will Also Leave.

Miss Etta Raybert, who has been the soprano soloist at the First Presbyterian church during the past two years, resigned on Saturday. The resignation will take effect immediately. Yesterday morning Miss Josephine Serrell, of the First Baptist church, filled the position, and in the evening Miss Marie Hortense Sheldon, of Cranford, who has taken leading parts in the amateur productions of the Plainfield Operatic Association, sang.

Miss Sheldon, who at present sings in the Presbyterian church, Cranford, will probably be the soloist at the East Front street church from now on. Another change will be made by the resignation of Miss Nicholl, the contralto, who will leave the church May 1. No one has been secured to take her place, as yet. Clifford A. Braider, the organist, as well as Elmer D. Cutting, tenor, and F. C. Iglehart, Jr., baritone, will continue another year.

Sailing Up the Nile.

The second lecture by Dr. Charles Moldenke, of Watchung, will be given on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in St. Peter's church, Grove street. The subject is "Sailing Up the Nile from Cairo to Thebes." The lecture will be superbly illustrated with lantern slides, many of which were taken by the doctor himself while in Egypt. Dr. Moldenke, who is a well known egyptologist, will also go into the language, customs, and the civilization of both the modern and the ancient Egyptians, and as he is an authority on this subject, it will prove highly interesting to those who attend. The proceeds are for the benefit of the church.

Tickets for Peary's Lecture.

Reserved seats for Lieutenant Peary's lecture at the New Plainfield theatre next Monday night are now on sale at the box office. The explorer will undoubtedly be greeted by another large audience.

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"BLACK HAND" WARNING

Girl Threatened With Harm Unless Guardian Placed Money as Directed.

POLICE AID SOUGHT

Young Woman Mentioned Ill In Bed Through Worriment Over the Notice.

The local police have a "Black Hand" mystery to unravel and since the matter has come beneath their notice have gotten pretty close to the perpetrator. It originated in a letter sent to Dr. A. H. Dundon, of the borough, who is executor of the estate of the late Mrs. Catherine Carney, of Dunellen, and guardian of her two daughters, the Misses Bertha and Catherine Flynn. The message was written in a scrawling hand, badly composed and was embellished with the crosses and death insignia supposed to be used by all dyed-in-the-blood members of the "Black Hand" Federation. This is what it said:

"Dr. Dundon: Put $300 under Grove street bridge February 21, of Bertha Flynn's money or she will be shot or she will be mine. Beware. Black Hand."

Dr. Dundon at first ignored the note but thinking it better to warn the girl's relatives, informed her grandmother, with whom she is living in this city, but gave instructions that Bertha should not hear of the matter. The grandmother became worried and incautionsly told the girl with the result that she was badly frightened. The matter preyed upon her mind so that she became sick and is now confined to her bed in consequence. The physician subsequently gave the letter to Chief Kiely and he and his men are trying to locate the author. They have several good clues and an arrest is likely to occur.

When Mrs. Carney died she named Dr. Dundon as the executor of the estate, which amounts to about $1,800, and he offered the will for probate in the Middlesex county court last December. All the money was left to the two daughters by a previous marriage and Carney filed a caveat. This was released about two weeks ago and the probate was only then carried out. The "Black Hand" letter came shortly afterward.

OCCUPIES FORMER PULPIT.

Rev. Dr. Snodgrass Delivers Excellent Sermons at First M. E.

Rev. Dr. W. C. Snodgrass, formerly pastor of the First M. E. church, but now of Perth Amboy, exchanged pulpits yesterday with Rev. A. C. McCrea, and was given a cordial reception. In the morning his theme referred to a Christian walking humbly before God and following Christ. He described the way in which Christians should be humble, that they should be meek and mild and not feel as though they were so much better than anybody else. He impressed upon all the necessity of following Christ and then they would not meet with difficulty in living humble lives. Dr. Snodgrass referred to helpful influences that would aid a person in living a Christian life and gave many valuable suggestions that would be of incalculable value to Christians, if followed.

Stole Osteopathist's Trousers.

Dr. F. F. Wilcox, of Watchung avenue, an osteopathist, is minus three pairs of trousers. Somebody stole them from his home Saturday night, while he and his wife were out. The thief gained entrance into the place through a pantry room window. There was a lot of silver in reach but the thief didn't touch it.

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THINKS CHURCH DOOMED

Rev. Phil A. Parsons Declares That Institution Has Fallen to Decay.

ASSIGNS HIS REASONS

"It Smiles Indulgently at the Waywardness of the Young and Reaches Greedily Toward Illicit Profits."

That the church of today is doomed was the somewhat startling opinion advanced by Rev. Phil A. Parsons last night at the Christian church. His subject was "The Passing of the Church," and in the course of his sermon he said:

"A great deal has been said of the little red schoolhouse in connection with our present progress. The building up of our great institutions has been the outcome of its development, yet few have sung the praises of the little white church which usually occupied the opposite corner of the cross roads. The red schoolhouse has developed into the great American school system. The little church has fallen to decay. Nor do we fail to feel and see the results of this education of the head to the neglect of the heart.

Rev. Phil. A. Parsons.

"The two great safeguards of the social system have been removed with the passing of the church; namely, the great moral influence of the church itself and the influence of the Christian home, the product of it. Yesterday the home was the place where men and women were made with a sublime regard for morals and the rights of others. Today it is the place where we recuperate from or prepare for the commercial struggle or gratify our social ambitions. Let us stop for a moment in the mad rush for social position and the making of fortunes and make a few men, they will be needed in the next generation. Instead of bringing up families today we let them grow.

"Nothing is more significant of this man than the present brazen corruption in politics and the acknowledged and shameless immorality of modern business methods. Our courts have become tribunals before which naked corruption gambols unafair, our penitentiaries swarm with petty offenders languishing in barbarous confinement for long periods, while the millionaire criminal perpetrates his outrages unpunished and unrestrained.

"When the murderer of hundreds who kills not with the knife or merciful pistol, but starves or freezes his victims by withholding the necessites of life, is unscathed by the sword of justice, is it any wonder that an outraged populace seizes an occasional offender and hangs him to a nearby tree? Can you, in sober judgement, condemn, when the pendulum of righteous indignation, held so long at one extreme, swings to the other, and the frenzied mob fills the swinging body with bullets? When officials, by their corruption and greed, permit vice and immorality to flourish unrebuked, do you wonder that occasionally an insane Thaw rises up and removes a leprous spot from the face of society? We need to learn that society is responsible for its criminals. The same code of laws that hangs murderers produces them.

"But someone asks, 'Is the church not with us?' It is indeed, but it is but the shell of a once powerful institution functioning for righteousness. The moral influence of the church of fifty, aye twenty-five years ago is gone. The masses no longer hand upon its words or tremble at its mandates. To find the reason for this condition we have not far to seek. It is with regret that we point the accusing finger at the church it-

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Read every item given below; it will help you save money on goods that are advancing in price every day. This advance you save by coming here.

GOWNS, made of cambric, with high neck, long sleeves or low neck, short sleeves, lace or embroidery trimmed, value $1.19, sale price .89

GOWNS, extra fine quality, V shaped, gowns made of fine Cambric, embroidery trimmed, val. $1.69; sale price 1.39

GOWNS, with low neck and short sleeves, with embroidery yoke, value 89c; sale price .63

CORSET COVERS, full front, back and front trimmed with lace and embroidery; value 65c; sale price .49

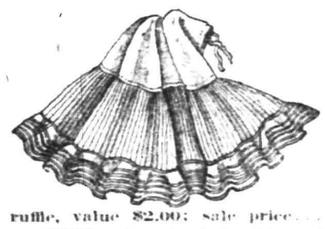
CORSET COVERS, full gathered front, with deep yoke back and front of lace and embroidery; reg. value $1.00; sale price .79

CORSET COVERS, full gathered front of embroidery panels and lace insertion, deep lace yoke at the back; value $1.39; sale price .98

DRAWERS, Cambric Umbrella Drawers, with hemstitched tucks or lace trimmed, val. 50c; sale price .39

DRAWERS, Umbrella shaped drawers, made of fine long cloth, fancy ruffles of lace or embroidery, values $1.25; sale price .89

DRAWERS, extra fine quality of long cloth, with wide embroidery ruffle, value $1.75; sale price 1.39



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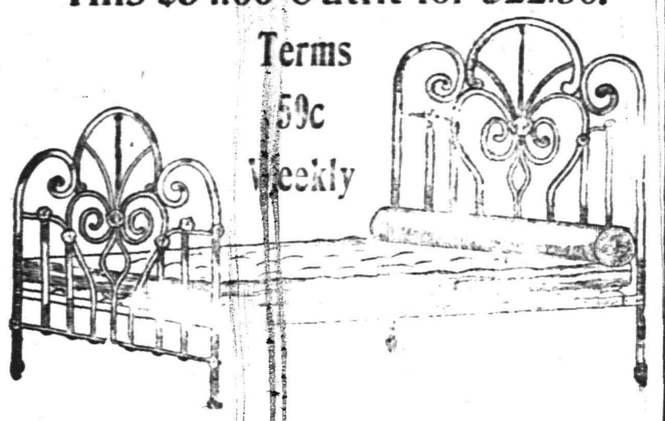

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

With an auction, which cleaned up the remnants, the three days' fair of Excelsior Hook and Ladder Company was brought to a close Saturday night. The several drawings were held, the lucky winners being Mrs. R. P. Clark on the Uncle Sam sofa cushion, which seemed to be the most popular drawing of the fair, Mrs. Edward L. Hand, who donated it, turning in $52 as proceeds; the phonograph went to Chief William B. Noble; the life size doll went to Freeholder John Robison; the copper vase and fern were won by Andrew Bozark; the umbrella given to the one guessing nearest to the number of beans in the jar was won by Mr. Ranson. William Noble, as auctioneer, sold the balance of the stock. The firemen are quite certain the proceeds will be about $400. Those who assisted in making the affair the success it was outside of Foreman Philip Jahn and his committee were the Misses Edna, Florence and Louise Nichols, and Mrs. Samuel Hollingsworth at the collar and hankerchief booth; Mrs. James Pope and the Misses Klemser, Miller, Elliott, Cook and Demott, who had charge of fancy goods; the clipping table and fish pond in charge of the Misses Robison, Elliott and Mrs. George L. Dunn; also cakes and pastry, Mrs. Edward L. Hand, Mrs. William Reynolds and Miss Eller, as well as the candy booth in charge of Misses Meyer, Misses Emma and Lena Jahn and Mrs. Robert Guttridge. All worked hard and much of the success is due to their efforts.

Owing to the illness of Rev. T. Moore-Smith no evening preaching service was held at the Baptist church last night. At the morning service, Capt. H. B. Saunders made an address. The baptism of the several candidates for church membership was postponed until next Sunday night.

Capt. H. B. Saunders, who has been spending several weeks along the Massachusetts coast in the interest of an insurance company, has returned to his home, "Crow Nest," Washington Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Muir, who have been visiting Mrs. Muir's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Meyer, have returned to their home in Newark.

The members of the Epworth League held their weekly meeting last night in the class rooms of the Methodist church.

Irving L. Querean is making a business trip of several weeks through the New England States.

The B. Y. P. U. members held their weekly meeting last night in the parlors of the church.

Rev. Mr. Dederick, of Drew Seminary, occupied the pulpit yesterday at the Methodist church.

Miss Agnes Hogan has returned from a stay of several days with friends in Elizabeth.

The Misses Hueston, of Brooklyn, have been visiting their aunt, Mrs. John Marsh.

BOUND BROOK.

At the annual meeting of the Bound Brook Board of Trade, recently held in Ivy Hall, the following officers were elected: President, Eugene D. La Tourette; vice president, Richard H. Brokaw; second vice president, Samuel H. Miller; secretary, William H. Dunham; treasurer, W. B. R. Mason; directors, William W. Smalley, Milton Knapp, J. V. D. Feld and Peter Koehler.

A patriotic service was held in the Congregational church of Bound Brook last night, when the pastor, Rev. R. J. Thomson, spoke on "Washington and the Patriotism of Today."

Mrs. Clarence Duryea and Miss Jennie Smith, of Somerville, were recently entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Duryea in Prospect street, South Bound Brook.

Rev. A. S. Phelps, rector of the Episcopal church of Bound Brook, preached upon "300 Years of English Christianity in the United States" yesterday morning.

Rev. Simon B. Walsh, of High Bridge, was recently entertained at St. Joseph's rectory in Mountain avenue, Bound Brook, the home of Rev. W. F. Dittrich.

Mrs. John Spencer Stradling and daughter, Miss Lillian M. Stradling, of Bound Brook, are visiting with relatives in Phillipsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ford, of Bound Brook, entertained a number of friends at a Washington's Birthday dinner Friday.

After spending several weeks in Canada Frank J. Teston has returned to his home in West Second street, Bound Brook.

Rev. Peter Hageman, of Orange, is laid up with the grip at the home of his brother, Andrew Hageman, of Union Dale.

Mrs. Charles Henry, of Bound Brook, lately had for her guest Mrs. O. B. Williams, of Newark.

Miss Elsie Smith, of Bound Brook, has been spending the week with relatives in Newark.

WESTFIELD.

The local firemen are preparing to hold a fair next month at the Westfield Club Hall. The funds raised will be expended in the purchase of uniforms for the men.

Westfield Branch of the Hodcarriers' Union demands an increase of pay of seven cents an hour after April 1. The demand will be granted without any controversy.

Rev. S. Bonnell, of Bayonne, conducted services at the Westfield Baptist church yesterday morning. Evening services were conducted by the pastor.

The stone quarry business conducted by Wall & Hetfield, at Scotch Plains, has been incorporated, the owners becoming the incorporators.

James Provan has been elected assistant superintendent of the Westfield Congregational Sunday-school. He assumed his duties yesterday.

Rev. and Mrs. H. H. Gurnsey, of the Westfield Congregational church, will give an at home at the parsonage this evening.

A. E. Millgate has been appointed night agent at Westfield Station. C. L. Dean has been transferred to Flemington.

NORTH BRANCH.

Miss Jessie Pierson and Clark Kellam, of Somerville, have been visiting the latter's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Clark, near this place.

The Christian Endeavor Society connected with the Reformed church at South Branch will hold a sociable in the chapel Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Edward J. Hartman has returned to her home near North Branch Depot, after a visit to relatives in Somerville.

Rev. Thomas D. Wesley, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Pluckemin, has been visiting for a few days in Bernardsville.

Merrell and Ellsworth Higgins, of this place, have been visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Matilda Higgins, at South Branch.

Mrs. Edith Melick, of Plainfield, has been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Beatty, in this place.

Miss Phebe Studdiford, of South Branch, has been entertaining Miss Meta Studdiford, of Raritan.

Mrs. Elmer Van Derbeek, of South Branch, is spending a few weeks with friends in Flemington.

Miss Ella Bunn, of Pluckemin, is a guest of friends in Philadelphia.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

The special Lenten services at Holy Innocents' church will be Women's Study Class on Tuesday afternoons; evening prayer and address, Thursday afternoons; evening prayer and lecture, Friday nights.

Mrs. W. W. Casselberry will be able to sit up in a day or two, although her complete recovery will be a matter of two weeks or more.

D. W. Lapham, Jr., has resigned from the choir of Holy Innocents' church. He is soloist of the First Baptist church, Plainfield.

Charles Tilton, of Elizabeth, has moved into the vacant house on Prospect avenue owned by Dr. W. J. Nelson.

Mrs. Samuel E. Merkel has returned from a visit to relatives in Bangor, Pa.

P. C. Smith has been enjoying a short vacation from his duties on the railroad.

J. Newton Apgar has returned from a visit to relatives in Hunterdon county.

Miss Mabel Cole has returned from a three days' visit to friends in Bayonne.

The Martha Washington supper of the First Baptist church netted $50.

Miss Carpenter will entertain the Embroidery Class this week.

Fred Holder has been ill for several days.

J. F. G. Kinney has been ill with the grip.

Miss Nellie VanZandt, of East Sixth street, is visiting relatives in Somerville.

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Vail and daughter, of North Broad street, Newark, and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Leonard, of Elizabeth, were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Moon, of the borough, on Friday.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The Junior Society will meet at the Congregational church Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The fourth quarterly conference of the First M. E. church will be held in Vincent chapel Wednesday night, March 6, after prayer meeting.

The Mission Study Class of the Congregational church will meet tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Eugene A. Laing, of Trueli Court.

The Epworth League of the First M. E. church will hold a business and social meeting in Vincent chapel Friday night. This meeting was postponed from last week.

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the First M. E. church will meet in Vincent chapel tomorow afternoon at 3 o'clock. The thank-offering will be received.

The annual meeting of the Young Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will be held Friday afternoon. This meeting was postponed from last Friday.

Preparatory services will be held at the Congregational church Wednesday night, and communion services with reception of new members will be held Sunday morning.

There will be communion and reception of new members at the First M. E. church on Sunday morning and in the evening the choir will render West's cantata, "Love and Praise."

An interdenominational meeting for prayer for home missions will be held at the Congregational church Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mrs. Bates will be in charge of the meeting.

The women of the churches throughout the city have received an invitation to attend a union prayer meeting in the interests of home missions to be held in the Congregational church Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The Young People's Association of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will give an entertainment tomorrow night in the chapel, consisting of readings by Mrs. Minnie Marshall-Smith and music by a stringed orchestra.

The Women's Home Missionary Society meeting of the First Baptist church postponed from last week will be held tomorrow afternoon at the usual hour. Miss Julia G. Shinn, who recently returned from India, will speak.

A special offering will be made Sunday morning for the benefit of Abraham Staats, who for twenty-five years or more has faithfully served as organ blower at the First Baptist church. He is now advanced in years, *out of health and otherwise incapacitated for work.*

Rev. Dr. *Henry* Stout will be installed as pastor of the Reformed church, South Bound Brook, tonight. Rev. E. J. Meeker, president of the classis, will preside and deliver the charge to the pastor, and Rev. Dr. James LeFevre, of Somerville, will preach the sermon.

The M. E. conference, which has been invited by the official board of the First M. E. church to meet in Plainfield in April, 1908, is the annual conference of New Jersey and not the general conference. The latter body will meet in Baltimore in 1908, the place and time for the gathering being determined by an executive committee of the church.

The minutes of the New Jersey Baptist convention, just published, show that there are 352 Baptist churches in the State, with an enrolled membership of 61,324. New Jersey has a population of 250 to the square mile. Fifty-four per cent. are of foreign birth or born of foreign parentage. This makes New Jersey a mission field with many churchless communities. During the past year fifty weak churches of the denomination and nine mission stations have been helped. The First Baptist church has contributed toward this work $365 and the Sunday-school $25.

John I. Mitchell, of this city, has been visiting friends at Junction, Hunterdon county.

Mrs. Adam Zimmerman and daughter, of Bound Brook, have been visiting relatives in town.

Thomas Neigh, of Califon, is recovering from an operation for appendicitis, performed at Muhlenberg Hospital.

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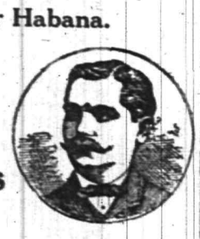

Jefferson DeAngelis,

In "The Girl and the Governor," at the New Plainfield Theatre Tomorrow Night.

LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

Jefferson De Angelis, the most quaint and legitimately amusing of comic opera comedians, presents his latest success, "he Girl and the Governor," at the New Plainfield theatre tomorrow night. It is genuine comic opera devoid of anything suggestive or unwholesome; the sort of thing that appeals to everyone with the love of clean humor and genuine melody. The music is by Julian Edwards, the most famous of our latter day composers, and he is said to have fairly surpassed the success of his previous efforts, "The Wedding Day," "Dolly Darven," "Brian Boru," "The Three Muskateers," and others that have delighted thousands from ocean to ocean. Mr. De Angelis is supported by a very fine organization of 70 people including a real beauty chorus and such favorite artists as Estelle Wentworth, prima donna; Richie Ling, tenor; J. C. Miron, famous basso; Anna Boyd, contralto, and Lillian Rhoades, a very dainty little comedienne. The scenery, depicting a Spanish American colony of the sixteenth centruy, is opulent in color and true Spanish extravagance. The costumes are rich and picturesque. The production in its entirety is precisely that seen in the New York production up to last week.

A magnificent array of moving pictures by the Archie L. Shepard Co. will be the bill at the New Plainfield theatre Wednesday afternoon and night. The chief object of the select programme is to divert in the form of most polite entertainment with a kaludiscopic array of unique, sensational comic and dramatic subjects embracing every phrase of human interest. One particular subject can hardly be praise over the other, so uniform a bill in respect to its excellence, will be given.

The resourceful genius of stage direction is said to be amply exemplified in the extravagant production of "Happy Hooligan's Trip Around the World," which is underlined at the New Plainfield theatre Thursday afternoon and night as Treasurer Cunningham's annual benefit. As a musical comedy attraction of unqualified novelty, aside from the out of the ordinary features with which this success abounds, it is credited with supplying a logical story of fun and frolic around which cluster as it were certain musical selections all gems of catchy melody, while during the progress of the complicated dramatic action several highly interesting laugh surprises are contributed by well known and respected specialty artists who have adroitly arranged their stunts so as not to mar the stability of the plot or interfere with the dashing participations of a large size bevy of smartly gowned girls of beauty and form. "Happy Hooligan's Trip Around the World" will also reveal several unique scenic fixtures that have commanded much attention and admiration all along the route of its successful travels.

"Happy Hooligan,"

At the New Plainfield theatre Thursday Afternoon and Night.

A brand new edition of "Hans and Nix," under the management of Walters and Mathews, with Gordon and Gilbert, the well-known German comedians, in the title roles, will be presented here for the first time at the New Plainfield theatre next Friday night. While the piece is built along the line of musical comedy, in some instances its score is said to rise to the dignity of light opera. The play itself is reported to be highly entertaining and diverting, and to sparkle with musical and terpsichorean novelties. As a vehicle for the introduction of Gordon and Gilbert's inimitable drolleries, it is apparently perfect. The supporting company is very meritorious. Several unusually catchy airs are spoken of as being prominent in the musical score—"My Pansy," "Hey Rube," "Is Everybody Happy?" "Toyland," "Unsophisticated Maid," "Idaho," "Milo," "My Irish Rose," "Beatrice Fairfacts," have become some of the famous ditties of the day.

In "A Woman of Fire," the new four act melodrama that comes to the New Plainfield theatre next Saturday afternoon and night, the old saying, "The Wages of Sin is Death," is clearly exemplified. A young married couple are parted by a scheming adventuress in love with the husband, and through four acts and nine scenes, the audience witnesses the most sensational, thrilling and dramatic scenes ever conceived. Like the good tales in a fairy story, the bad woman meets her just deserts; the loving husband and wife are reunited and everything ends happily. The play is the latest creation of that prolific author Theodere Kremer and he pronounces this his best work. A wealth of scenery, the best in mechanical and electrical effects and a strong acting cast materially enhance the worth of this production.

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5-piece Suite—Mahogany finish frames; covered in tapestry. Regular price $68; during the sale at..... $50
5-piece Suite—Mahogany finish frames; upholstered in tapestry. Regular price $100; during the sale..... $75
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Charles R. Scott, Boys State Secretary, to Be Relieved—Annual Bulletin Just Issued.

Elizabeth, Feb. 25.—W. H. Taylor will be the leader this year in charge of the Jersey Boys' Camp, which is conducted under the auspices of the State Executive Committee of the Young Men's Christian Association each summer on the shore of Lake Wawayanda, in the Sussex hills of this State.

Charles R. Scott, the State secretary of boys' work, is to be relieved, so that he may have more time to supervise this and the several other association camps of New Jersey. His headquarters during the summer will be at Wawayanda, just the same as in former years, but he will spend three or more days a week in the other camps. Mr. Taylor is well qualified to superintend the State camp, as he has camped and canoed in Maine and New Brunswick. He is graduate of Allegheny College, and while there was pitcher of the baseball team for four years and captain of the football team during his junior year. After leaving college he was secretary of the boys' department of the Montclair Y. M. C. A., and later accepted the position of physical director of the East Orange High School, where he is now located. Mr. Taylor was an assistant leader to Mr. Scott during the last two years, and so is familiar with the details and principles of the association camp.

The committee of which Charles T. Kilborne is chairman has just issued the annual bulletin announcing the camp for this year. It will open Thursday, June 27, and three periods of two weeks each will be conducted. This will make it possible to accommodate 300 campers. Last year fifty were unable to attend on account of lack of room, and it is expected that the applications will come in just as rapidly as in former years. A special camp for employed boys will again be conducted over Labor Day.

During the last six years nearly 800 young men and boys from every section of the State have been in attendance, and the equipment has been steadily improved, until now it is valued at about $3,000. Last year a lodge was erected, which includes a dining-room, with open fireplace, kitchen and storeroom. A shop has also been placed at the disposal of the campers fully equipped with tools, so that they may make souvenirs, camp furniture and boats. Geo. H. Hogeman, of Orange, was elected camp treasurer at the recent meeting, and Frank F. Gray, of Montclair, recording secretary. The other members of the executive committee are Charles T. Kilborne, Orange, chairman; H. S. Park, Paterson, and Ival P. Flood, of Poughkeepsie, who will succeed W. H. Wones as secretary of the Newark boys' department on April 1. L. E. Hawkins and Charles R. Scott, the State secretaries, are ex-officio members.

The meeting of the camp leaders held here yesterday was presided over by Mr. Kilborne, and those present were L. E. Hawkins, State secretary; Charles R. Scott, camp supervisor; P. D. Fagans, leader of the Trenton camp; F. G. Moran, of the Camden camp; W. E. Bunn, of Lakewood camp leader; Archibald Cullens, leader of the southern county camp; Mr. Taylor, the leader-elect of the State camp; A. H. Bull, member of the State camp committee, and others who are considering the establishment of local camps in other parts of the State.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. George S. McGinnis, of Somerset street, is quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Otteson, of Second place, have returned from a trip to Pittsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Bromfield, of Franklin place, have returned from a trip to Denver, Col.

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Bowers, of Franklin place, left yesterday for a pleasure trip to Florida.

Alfred J. Giddis, of Codington avenue, has been detained at home the past week with the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Clark, of West Fourth street, are parents of a daughter born to them Saturday.

W. C. Randolph, formerly of Chicago, but now of New York, is spending a few days in town with relatives.

Miss Bessie Williams and Mr. Hart, of Philadelphia, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Baldwin Drake, of Duer street, returned home yesterday.

Franklyn S. Smith, formerly an instructor at the Plainfield High School, but now of Montclair, has been visiting Philip S. Suffern, of East Sixth street.

Arthur Wynne, assistant Sunday editor of the New York World, and Louis Biebermann, art director of the same paper, were guests over Saturday and yesterday of Alfred Zimmerman, of Central avenue. Mr. Zimmerman is the circulation manager of the World.

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THINKS CHURCH DOOMED

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self and say, 'Yours is the blame.'

"As has ever been the case in matters of faith, the church has clung zealously to the faith of bygone centuries, hurling anathemas at those who dared to depart from the beaten paths, instead of adapting itself to new conditions and maintaining its place and function at the head of the ever rising, ever broadening spiral of progress. In an age when punishment is coming to be looked upon as barbarous and unsatisfying to justice, it still proclaims a God who thirsts for blood and condemns to everlasting torment innocent children who, on account of the neglect or unbelief of their parents, chance to die without baptism. In matters of faith the butcher sits in judgement upon the theologian and the scholar. But some babbler of esthetical essays says 'the people must be educated.' Granted. But millions upon millions are expended annually upon our schools for this purpose. Let the church stand to its guns, the foe is in the land.

"Instead of thundering with the voice of the prophet at all forms of sin and picturing the clear paths of righteousness, it has come to smile indulgently at the waywardness of the young and reach greedily toward the enormous though illicit profits of the old. It now extolls the esthetical in the place of the ethical. Where once one heard the old time songs of the soul, he now hears a sacriligious rendering, by the unbelieving lips of a salaried choir, of some noble sentiment of a sublime faith.

"Last week the papers were full of ministerial eulogies of Lincoln. Tomorrow they will tell of Washington. Could they read they would cry out that so much good talent had been wasted in extolling their qualities while no voice was raised to right the wrongs of the people or execrate the corruption of the institutions the one fought to establish the other died to preserve. Until recently the evil of division has not been appreciated by the church. Despite the fact that the Nazarene prayer almost in the hour of his death that his cause might be spared the misfortune of division, millions in money and a tremendous amount of zeal and ability, which should have been devoted to correcting the evils of society, have been expended for the building up of party and annihilation of opposition, even though that opposition bore the banner of the common cause. Pride of institution has been the incentive rather than the love of mankind.

"This picture is awful true. A remedy? There is but one. When party line and denominationalism have been given up; when creeds have been relegated to the attic of the past, from the peaceful repose of which they have already been kept too long; when form and ritualism in worship have been given back to barbarism from which they were taken; then there will be a hope for the church. In the place of these must be substituted the central teaching of the life of Jesus—love for mankind and the establishment of the kingdom of righteousness, the kingdom of Heaven upon earth. But to this time and state the church must come with much labor and tears."

Pierced By Tree Limb.

Elmira, N. Y., Feb. 23.—While coasting on the grounds of Representative J. Sloat Fassett here yesterday, a boy named James Buckley met death in a peculiar manner. He attempted to pass under an apple tree, the limbs of which hung close to the ground. One of the limbs pierced the lad's neck, passing clear through and coming out on the opposite side under the collarbone. He lived but a few minutes.

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Wings and Flies

By Tom Muir.

"Uncle Sam" Cunningham, who presides over the destinies of the box office at the New Plainfield, earns a large part of his salary by answering questions over the telephone and generally does it with credit to himself and the management. There are times, however, when some of the interrogations ruffle even his placid temper and one of them came early last week. The 'phone jingled and when he placed the receiver to his ear a feminine voice inquired:

"Will you kindly tell me what plays you have coming soon?"

"Sam" responded graciously by informing her that "Checkers" was due Tuesday, Kyrle Bellew in his new production Wednesday and Dorothy

Samuel Cunningham.

Donnelly in "The Daughters of Men" Friday.

"Oh, I've heard about them," replied the fair one, "but when are you going to have some good shows?"

After passing out such a high class list "Sam" was nearly floored by the last question but when he came out of his daze he shouted back:

"Nellie, the Beautiful Cloak Model," by Theodore Kremer, is booked for next Monday and we have hopes of getting a return of "Deserted at the Altar' in March."

A sweet "Good, oh thank you," repaid him for his trouble and the incident closed. "Sam's annual benefit comes next Thursday afternoon and night and he says if he answers any more questions like that one he'll have to have two a year.

An incident not on the programme concluded the four weeks' engagement of David Warfield in "The Music Master" at the Academy of Music Saturday night. David Belasco, on behalf of himself and E. G. Gilmore, manager of the theatre, presented the star with a handsome silver loving-cup as an appreciation of his qualities as a man and an artist. Mr. Belasco, in making the presentation speech, congratulated his star on the success he has achieved, and referring to the close personal and professional relations existing between them, said that he was speaking not as a manager, but as an old friend. Mr. Warfield made a brief reply, thanking the donors of the gift—and thus closed his final appearance in New York city as Herr von Barwig. He will next be seen in the city next October, on the opening night of Belasco's new theatre, the Stuyvesant, when he will appear in a new character and a new play, on which Mr. Belasco is now working. The receipts of the engagement at the Academy are worth noting. Affidavits now preparing by both managements will show that for the final week the total sale amounted to $30,000. The grand aggregate for the four weeks will be about $100,000. Booth and Barrett once played to $42,000 in two weeks at the Academy.

Jefferson De Angelis, one of the very foremost comic opera comedians, brings his big opera company to the New Plainfield theatre tomorrow night. Mr. De Angelis presents "The Girl and the Governor," the new comic opera in which he has enjoyed the greatest success of his versatile career. It is the most pretentious musical play in which he has appeared, involving a magnificent scenic production, costly and picturesque costumes, and the services of one of the best singing organizations ever combined. Among the well known people supporting Mr. De Angelis are Estelle Wentworth as the girl; Richie Ling as the young English sailor; Anna Boyd as the jealous Spanish woman; Lillian Rhoades as the graceful little dancing maid, and J. C. Miron, the robust basso.

Gift to P. H. S.

The Plainfield High School is the recipient of a valuable collection of one hundred lantern slides given by Franklin S. Smith, of the class of 1880. The slides show a series of subjects in bacteriology and a large number of views incident to a trip through the Mediterannean to India and around the world. Mr. Smith was at one time instructor in science in the High School, and is the present secretary of the Alumni Association.

Captain and Mrs. DeKyne, of Bound Brook, have moved to Plainfield, where they will reside in the future.

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A lot of discontinued patterns placed on sale for this week. We need the room for new goods daily arriving. They move at the following prices:

Dressing Tables—Polished quartered oak. French bevelled mirrors, were $17.00 to $23.50; your choice $15.00

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Wood Beds—A few sample beds in oak or birch, were $8.50; sale price $5.00

Chiffoniers—Birds-eye Maple, several patterns to choose from; prices were up to $24.50; your choice $15.00

White Enameled Beds—Lot of sample beds, were $12.50 to $17.00; sale price $9.50

Princess Dressers—In oak or birds-eye maple; were $29.50; this sale $19.75

In the Carpet Dept.

Tapestry Carpet—About 10 patterns to choose from; special for this week 79c

Kurdistan Reversible Brussels Rugs, 9x12 at $11.98 real value $15.00.

Smith's Velvet Carpet in a variety of patterns for this week, at 98c

Cocoa Door Mats 39c

A lot of $5.00 and $8.00 Boys' Suits to close out at $2.98

In the Men's Furnishing Dept.

About 25 suits, comprising fancy cassimeres, worsteds, blue cheviots and serges, in double-breasted and Norfolk styles; sizes 8 to 15.

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Sham Holders, regular price 25c; sale price 19c
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Large size, regular 98c, sale price 69c

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Miss Winifred Prentiss Kay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Murray Kay, of Gardner road, Brookline, Mass., and Rutherford Mead Shepard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Augustus D. Shepard, of "The Gables," Fanwood, were married at the Arlington Street church, Brookline, Saturday afternoon, in the presence of a large assemblage of society people from Boston, New York, Philadelphia and other distant points. The ceremony was performed by Rev. William H. Lyon, of the First parish church, Brookline. The decoration of the church was simple and effective, consisting of a grouping of palms and foliage about the chancel, together with white lilies and white azaleas.

The bride, who was escorted to the chancel and given in marriage by her father, was handsomely gowned in white satin, with white lace trimmings. She wore the conventional bridal veil, fastened with a coronet of lilies of the valley, and carried a large bouquet of lilies of the valley.

The maid of honor was Miss Rawson P. Kay, who was very picturesque in an empire gown of lavender silk with white lace trimmings. She wore a large hat trimmed with lavender, sweet peas and white ostrich plumes. She carried a bouquet of white roses and white hyacinths. The bridesmaids were similarly gowned in lavender silk, and wore large white hats trimmed with white roses and white plumes. They were Miss Mary Murray Kay, of Brookline; Miss Edith H. Smalley, of Painfield; Miss Maud Baker, of Montreal, and Miss Katherine Foote, of Dedham.

The best man was Burritt H. Shepard, and the ushers were Augustus D. Shepard, Jr., brothers of the groom; John W. Prentiss, A. Stewart Walker, C. S. Miller, E. G. Burgess, Jr., all of New York; J. Murray Kay, Jr., Herbert R. Burgess and Mr. Winthrop Bouve, of Brookline.

Mr. Shepard is a graduate of Harvard, Class '98, and a member of the Calumet Club, New York. He is also a member of the Plainfield Country Club and has always been interested in the game of golf. He has been associated with his father in business with the American Bank Note Company.

GLASS EYE FOR POODLE.

Atlantic City Man's Pet Lost Optic in Fight With Cur.

Atlantic City, Feb. 25.—Whipped in a fight with a plebeian cur which he met in his daily walk, "Toddles," a valuable poodle owned by Councilman John Donnelly, recived injuries that destroyed the sight of one eye and caused its removal by an expert surgeon. A glass eye to take the place of the destroyed eye will be inserted as soon as furnished by an optician.

"Toddles" is one of the finest dogs of his breed in the country and a prize winner at local dog shows. When he was brought home cut and torn by the contest with the other canine the Donnelly children were nearly frantic. The surgical expert declared that only the removal of the eye would save the life of the dog. He received $100 as his fee for the operation. The new eye will be made to match "Toddle's" other optic.

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ELABORATE PLANS FOR ELKS GATHERING

After careful consideration of the points where financial encouragement would be likely to produce the best results, the Executive Committee of Philadelphia Lodge, No. 2, has compiled its schedule for the distribution of $18,000 in prizes when the Elks go there for their annual reunion, the week beginning July 15.

The Executive Committee has entire charge of this great gathering—doubtless the greatest that Philadelphia has ever seen since the Centennial year, for 250,000 visitors are expected to be in that city throughout the week.

Of the little fortune which will be distributed in money prizes $12,000 will be devoted to what is known as "special prizes," or band prizes.

In order that a lodge may win a special prize it is necessary that its band participate not only in the grand parade of lodges, on July 18, but in the mass band parade, on Wednesday, July 17. That is to be the great spectacular event of the week, only it will be a spectacle for the ear, rather than for the eye. It unquestionably will be one of the most remarkable musical experiments ever made in the world. In the Elks' mass band parade there are to be 100 bands, averaging thirty pieces or more. In other words, the total number of instruments in this titanic sound battalion will exceed 3,000. If they are arranged to fill Broad street from curb to curb, each line following closely upon the heels of the line in front, the combined band will fill nearly three blocks.

To each lodge that has a band of thirty or more pieces participating in the two parades the Executive Committee will give $100, a certificate of superior merit being awarded to the band itself. An additional prize of $250 will go to the lodge having the largest band in both events, and there will be another prize of $100 to the lodge having the second largest band.

To lodges which have the largest number of members in line, all duly registered at the Philadelphia registration headquarters, there will be a first prize of $500, a second prize of $200 and a third prize of $100. Lodges within a radius of seventy-five miles of Philadelphia are not allowed to compete in this contest. To lodges presenting the best appearance in the big parade there will be three prizes of $300, $150 and $100. In making the award the judges will count uniform as 40 per cent.; marching as 40 per cent., and general appearance as 20 per cent. This is a prize which every lodge is striving for. Word comes from Toledo, Ohio, that the famous "Cherry Pickers" drill corps of the Toledo lodge is drilling regularly for the reunion, and will continue its practice straight through to the reunion week. The Cherry Pickers is only one of the famous marching organizations in the Order of Elks.

An effort is always made to have a great variety of uniforms in the parade. For instance, the Philadelphia delegation went to Denver last year with Quaker uniforms, and the Wilkes-Barre lodge will probably march there next summer dressed as miners. To the lodges appearing in the "most unique" uniforms there will be three prizes of $500, $200 and $100.

Prizes will be awarded to lodges having the greatest aggregate mileage, as computed by the Philadelphia Registration Committee. Lodges outside the boundary of the United States proper and lodges within the seventy-five mile radius of Philadelphia will not be recognized in this award. The reason is obvious. A lodge within a few miles of the city might easily arrange to send every member it has, or the Hawaii lodge, by sending half a dozen delegates, would roll up a mileage against which a Chicago, Cleveland or St. Louis lodge would have no show. The first prize in the aggregate mileage contest will be $300; second, $150, and third, $100.

Three prizes, $150, $100 and $50, will be awarded to the lodges having the largest number of women folk in attendance at the reunion, the award being made according to the number of women registered at the general registration headquarters and according to percentage of membership of lodge. This prize will be duplicated for lodges within the seventy-five-mile radius.

Upon the basis of artistic merit and originality of design prizes of $300, $200 and $100 will be awarded for the most attractive floats in the Thursday parade.

The fattest Elk will get $25; the leanest, $25; the tallest, $25, and the shortest, $25.

There will be a prize of $150 for the prettiest banner.

For lodges within the seventy-five-mile radius having the largest number of members registered and marching in the Thursday parade there will be three prizes—$300, $150 and $100.

Special prizes amounting to $2,550 have been offered for decorations and illuminations of business houses and dwellings.

The first prize will be $500; the second, $400; third, $300; fourth, $200, and fifth, $100.

Then, there will be another set of prizes for daylight decorations exclusively. The smallest private dwelling has just as much opportunity of winning one of these prizes as the biggest store or office block. The judges will not take into consideration the amount of money spent on a decoration nor the size of the display. Taste and effect will be the only decorations. Winners of the daylight decoration prizes will receive $450, $250, $150, $100 and $50. In no instance will more than one prize be awarded to a single concern.

NEWS IN THE SUBURBS

RARITAN.

The fourth quarterly conference of the Methodist church will be held here March 9, Rev. Dr. Daniel H. Halleron presiding.

Misses Catherine and Nellie Phelan have returned from Deal Beach, where they attended the funeral of a cousin.

Marvin Myers lead the Epworth League meeting in the chapel last evening.

Mrs. Charles Bellows has been a guest of relatives in Newark this week.

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CHILD LABOR IN STATE.

Colonel Bryant Denies Charges Made By Senator Beveridge.

Trenton, Feb. 25.—Colonel Lewis T. Bryant, Commissioner of Labor of New Jersey, has written letters to Governor Stokes and United States Senator John Kean, in which he takes exception to parts of the recent speech of Senator Beveridge relating to child labor conditions in this State.

The letters were in reply to requests for information as to the truth of some of the extraordinary charges of Senator Beveridge, who, among other things, cited the case of a three-year-old child of Paterson, who, it was alleged, was compelled to work from eight to ten hours a day assisting her mother making garters.

After telling of this case Senator Beveridge, according to the revised edition of his speech published in the Congressional Record, asked: "If the law could not be enforced against people in as humble circumstances as these, can we think it would be enforced against the great glass mills that have great walls abou them?"

To this charge Colonel Bryant retorts that the slurring inference drawn by Senator Beveridge is not warranted by facts, and declares that no business interests in the State have been able to exert sufficient influence to prevent the enforcement of the State's child labor laws.

Admitting that the condition of a three-year-old child working ten hours a day is a pitiful one, Colonel Bryant asserts that the failure of the State to go into the private home to alleviate the suffering due to extreme poverty was not a justification for the sweeping charge of the Indiana Senator that the State feared or failed to enforce its laws for commercial reasons.

Colonel Bryant also deals specifically with other allegations of Senator Beveridge, which, he contends, were contrary to fact. He makes no denial of the fact that extremely young children are compelled to work in this State, as elsewhere, but discusses only the alleged wholesale violations of law charged by Senator Beveridge.

His Sleep Lasted Two Years.

Staunton, Va., Feb. 25.—Leslie Chewning, of Spottsylvania Court House, has lost at least two years out of the fourteen that he has lived through incessant sleep. His protracted slumber lasted practically through the entire two years, all endeavors to arouse him being in vain. The young man dropped asleep two years ago at his home. After having slept continuously for two days his family became alarmed and summoned a physician. The man of science, however, found himself at a complete loss, the youth failing to respond to the most drastic treatment. Days passed into weeks and weeks into months and he couldn't be aroused. Finally he was sent to the Western State Hospital, at this place, for treatment. Here he remained during the balance of the time until his final awakening. His mind is in an apparently normal condition, but he has forgotten entirely how to walk.

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DIED.

BIRD—On Sunday, February 24, 1907, Levi, son of the late David and Jennett Bird, in his 58th year.
Notice of funeral hereafter.

NOLTING—At Roland Park, Baltimore, Md., February 20, 1907, Virginia T., wife of A. W. Nolting, Jr., and mother of J. Paul Nolting, of Plainfield.

BURNET—Suddenly, at his late residence, 830 Madison avenue, Feb. 23, 1907, Charles Clark Burnet.
Funeral private. Interment Greenwood cemetery. Friends wishing to view remains can do so by calling at the house Tuesday morning, Feb. 26, from 11 to 12 a. m.

REYNOLDS—On Sunday, February 24, 1907, Ethel J., daughter of Hazelton C. and Lizzie F. Reynolds.
Funeral services at the residence of her parents, No. 75 Summit avenue, North Plainfield, on Wednesday, February 27, at 1 p. m. 2 25 2

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WANTED—At once, girls for general housework, cooks and waitresses; wages from $15 to $30. Apply Mrs. Andersen's Employment Office, 900 West Third St. 2 25 3

Help Wanted.

WANTED—A colored girl to do cooking and laundry work, in family of three adults. Call at 816 Carlton avenue, after 10 a. m.

WANTED—First class chambermaid; good wages; only those with best references need apply. Call 107 West Seventh St. 2 23 2

WANTED—Young girl for light housework; go home nights. 411 East Seventh St. 2 25 3

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at once at Mrs. Keller's Intelligence Office, 22 Somerset place. 12 29 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family. Apply 725 Hobart avenue. 2 25 3

WANTED—Experienced chambermaid and waitress (colored). 717 Watchung avenue. 2 25 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family; references. Call after 7 p. m., 230 East Seventh St. 2 25 3

WANTED—Sober man to take care of horses. 131 West Front St. 2 25 3

WANTED—A capable woman to do general housework. Mrs. Rapalje, 724 Carlton avenue. 2 25 3

WORKING housekeeper wanted at once. Call Intelligence Office, 22 Somerset place. 2 25 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 210 East Ninth St. 2 21 3

WANTED—Drill hands. Aluminum Press Co., Dunellen, N. J. 21 tf

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework; family of three. 678 West Seventh St. 2 23 tf

GIRL wanted to cook, wash and iron; references required. Apply 526 West Seventh St. 1 29 tf

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WANTED—Young white nurse girl. Call 948 West Seventh St. 23 3

WANTED—Nurse maid for two small children. Apply 129 Grove St. 2 23 3

GOOD boy wanted. Apply Dr. Giddes, 21 Grove St. 2 21 3

WANTED—Experienced millinery saleslady; good salary to right party. Address James Wisdom, The Bonton, Trenton, N. J. 2 21 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework; references. 50 Westervelt avenue. 2 21 3

WOMAN wanted, between 40 and 50 years of age, at 424 West Front street; one who would like good home. 2 21 3

WANTED — Experienced cook; white; reference required. Apply 1060 Central Ave. 2 4 tf

GLOVES—Experienced prix, seam, pique and hemmers wanted. I. Oliver & Co., 552 West Broadway, New York city. 2 18 5

WANTED—Young colored man as butler and make himself generally useful. Apply 911 West Seventh St. 2 18 tf

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at once at Mrs. Day's Intelligence Office, South Plainfield, N. J. 2 9 tf

WANTED—White girl for general housework; no washing. Call afternoons, 955 West Sixth St. 1 24 tf

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$2.50 A DAY guaranteed agents for our low-priced scissors, razors and household necessities; many making $5 a day; general agents wanted on salary. Ziegler Co., 225 Locust St., Philadelphia. 2 25 4 m th

Lost and Found.

LOST—A garnet bow knot pin. Reward if returned to L. F. Hersh & Bro., 126 East Fourth St. 2 25 3

LOST—Pair of eyeglasses, in going from Myrtle and Sycamore avenues to North Plainfield public school. Reward, 38 Myrtle Ave.

LOST—Saturday, a gold band bracelet, between Hand's blacksmith shop and Giddes' shoe store. Reward at 65 Somerset street.

LOST—Young Irish water Spaniel, in neighborhood of Netherwood. Reward for return to 1211 Putnam avenue. 2 25 tf

LOST—A gold necklace with cross. Finder kindly return to 524 East Third street. 2 23 2

FOUND—Purse, containing small sum of money. Call at Daily Press office. 2 21 3

POOR girl will be grateful if the finder of her souvenir pocketbook will leave it at Daily Press office. It was lost yesterday noon while she walked from Fourth street and Park avenue to East bound railroad station and thence through tunnel to North avenue. It contained a sum of money and was given her by a dear relative now dead. 2 16 tf

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MONEY to loan on mortgage; five per cent. Louis A. Clement, lawyer, Babcock building. 2 18 6

TO LOAN on bond and mortgage, $3,000, also $3,500, on satisfactory risks. J. F. MacDonald, 149 North avenue. 1 31 tf

MONEY to loan, five per cent. gilt edge real estate. J. T. Vail. 1 14 tf

MONEY to loan at 5 per cent on first mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot. tf

TO LOAN—Money on first mortgages at 5 per cent. V. W. Nash Jr., 221 Park avenue. 6 22 tf

$4,000.00 TO LOAN on first bond and mortgage, on Plainfield property at five per cent. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin Building, East Front street. tf

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FOR SALE—Fine new 10-room house situate on a high terraced lot, 100x250, in the best section of Netherwood; hard wood floors and trim, 2 tiled bath rooms, 3 fireplaces, steam heat; occupancy April 1; will finish to suit purchaser. Plans can be seen at the office of William H. Abbott, 163 North avenue; also have plans for several houses which I am erecting in other parts of the city; prices from $7,500 to $12,000. 1 29 1m

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REMOVAL NOTICE—New York dental parlors removed to Woodhull & Martin building. 2 18 1m

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WANTED—Old geese and duck feather beds; double other buyers' cash prices. Address C. F. Dickinson, General Delivery, Plainfield. 2 21 9

WANTED—$3,300 on first bond and mortgage. Address Improvement, care Daily Press. 2 23 3

I WANT to buy pony cart; must be cheap for cash. P. O. Box 301, Plainfield, N. J. 2 2[illegible] 6

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TO LET—March 1, 6-room flat; all improvements; $20. Charles H. Hand, 319 Watchung Ave. 2 25 2

TO RENT—Beautiful apartment of five rooms; every improvement; choice neighborhood. 316 West Sixth street. 2 21 3

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FOR RENT—First-class steam heated apartment, containing 8 large light rooms and bathroom and all improvements; in perfect condition throughout; 4 minutes' walk to North Avenue R. R. station; ready for occupancy March 1; references required. For particulars address A. M. Lederer, city. 2 21 6

FIRST-CLASS house to let. 21 Regent street. 2 18 6

TO LET—Large, new store, No. 407 Watchung avenue. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin building. 9 24 tf

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FOUR good cows for sale; three fresh, one coming in. Emil Clementz, Watchung. 2 21 3

FOR SALE—Fish and oyster fixtures. Call 182 Somerset St. 2 23 3

For Sale.

FOR SALE—Gas range, "Detroit Jewel," used six months; good as new; parties moving out of town; will sell cheap. Address Stove, care Press.

FOR SALE—Seven-room house in West End, one block from trolley; $1,800. Address House, care Daily Press. 2 16 tf

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HOUSE for sale at Netherwood, plans can be seen at my office. New house to let; ten rooms; all improvements; steam heat; $55 a month. Building lots for sale; cash or installments; when your lot is paid for I will build you a house. Charles Hand, 319 Watchung Ave. 2 14 1m

FOR SALE—Automobile; fine light side entrance touring car; like new; exceptional bargain. Thompson, 313 West Front. 2 15 8

FOR SALE—A fine lot between Park and Watchung avenues, on Second street. M. F. Gano, 221 Park avenue. 2 5 tf

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REAL ESTATE for sale, rent and exchange at bargain figures; insurance in strong companies at lowest rates; money t oloan at five per cent. Thickstun & Emmons, 197 North avenue. 9 28 tf

FOR SALE—House and lot on Webster place, near Watchung avenue; fine location: 8 rooms; all improvements. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE—Houses and lots in all parts of the city; properties that I have picked up in trade that I can sell you for less than market prices; if you want to buy or have anything to sell come and see me. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

FOR SALE—Coal and lumber business, grocery, butcher, livery, trucking, automobile garage; all kinds of business bargains. Ira L. LaRue, next to station, next to bargain. 31 tf

A CHANCE for a working man to buy a home on West Second street; very little cash required. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

FARM, 24 acres, for sale, near Somerville, on macadam road; good buildings. McNabb, lawyer, 209 North avenue. 1 28 1m

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FOR SALE—Seasoned cord wood; cut in lengths to suit purchaser; also mill slabing at $6 per cord; orders will be given prompt attention. John V. TenEyck & Son, P. O. Box 57, Metuchen, N. J. 1 8 3m

FOR SALE—Four lots on Westervelt avenue, near Front street; terms to suit. Apply 103 East Fourth St., near Park Ave., Bacon. 6 11 tf

FOR SALE—An elegant lot on East Second street, size 50x200 feet; close to town; just the spot for a good double house. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

FOR SALE—House and lot, on West Fourth street, near Grant avenue; 10 rooms, city water and toilet; rents for two families; a bargain for some one. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

FOR SALE—At one-half cost, 8-horse Westinghouse compound engine (Junior) in good condition; cost $250; our price $125. Call at Daily Press office.

FOR SALE OR FOR RENT—Several houses, stores and offices. J. P. W. Taylor, 102 North Ave. 12 20 tf

Chickens and Eggs.

FOR SALE—Universal 300-egg incubator. Address Merritt, Warrenville, N. J. 2 25 3

EGGS FOR SITTING—From one pen each of Buff, Black and White Orpingtons, related to our winners at $5 per dozen; also from White and Buff Leghorns, Barred Rocks and Rhode Island Reds at $2 per dozen; inspection invited. Sunswick Poultry Farm, South Plainfield, N. J., George J. May, manager. 2 18 1m

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LITERARY.

The March issue of The Metropolitan Magazine might well be set up as the standard of American magazine publication. The first instalment of "The Mexican War," a series of important historical value, by Professor Robert McNutt McElroy, of the Department of History of Princeton University, begins what gives promise of being the most fascinating and important journey into the past of this country that has appeared in recent years. He furnishes what we have never had—a complete history for the people of the most romantic period in our country's growth. "The Fur Seal Fisheries," containing portions of the President's Message and illustrated in color and with photographs by the United States Government Agents, opens one's eyes to the crime against the seal. W. S. Dudley, Secretary of the Motor Boat Association, has written an article of absorbing interest on "Motor Boating" in all its phases, commercial and amateur.

The March Everybody's preserves its customary fair balance between information and entertainment. The informing articles are of unusual significance and timeliness. In accordance with cabled instructions, Vance Thompson undertook to interview Cardinal Merry del Val, Papal Secretary of State, on the church question in France, and succeeded far beyond his expectations. "War Against Christ" is the title of his remarkable resultant article. "The Needless Slaughter by Street-Cars," by John P. Fox, is an expert consideration of American street-railway conditions. Its conclusions are eye-opening. "The Shadow in High Finance," by David Ferguson, is an account of the entrance of detectives into present-day financial operations. Olivia Howard Dunbar writes of the woman's rights movements of the world in an article entitled "The World's Half-Citizens."

Beyond question the two merriest rogues of current fiction are Rex Beach's "Kink" and "Mojave Mike Butters," who have figured in his "Pot-Hunter" stories that deal with western foot-racing and sports. They are ever welcome visitors to the one who enjoys a laugh, and their latest escapade, "The Colognizing of Kansas," in the March McClure's, is as full of comedy situations and side-splitting laughter as an reader could wish. "Kink" begins the yarn by describing how he broke a bank and recovered the roll he had lost on the "brace" faro lay-out; and then narrates how he and Mojave Mike with "The Butters-Martin Mastodon Minstrels" "that busts into Kansas, and lays waste every hamlet play." The main object of the minisrelsy is to sell cologne at an unheard of profit and thereby increase their stake. The history of that cyclonic theatrical tour is a capital farce—the best Rex Beach has written. You want to avoid it if it hurts you to laugh.

Farmers have the advantage over millionaires, according to David Grayson, who, in The American Magazine for March, reports an argument he had lately with John Starkweather, a very rich man. Here is a little of the plain talk which Farmer Grayson gave to Millionaire Starkweather: "We dig and plant and produce and having eaten at the first table we pass what is left to the bankers and millionaires. Did you ever think, stranger, that most of the wars of the world have been fought for the control of this farmer's second table? We farmers, sit back comfortably after dinner, and joke with our wives and play with our babies, and let all the rest of you fight for the crumbs that fall from our abundant tables."

PLAYING CARDS.

Peculiarities of Those Used by the Different Nations.

"One of the most interesting collections of foreign loot that I've seen recently," said a man ordinarily too busy to make the trip over the seas himself, "is an assortment of playing cards from various parts of the world.

"In every country the owner of the collection visited—and he went to a good many—picked up cards of local manufacture and so representative of the nation.

"The Russian cards are perhaps the most elaborate. The faces of the kings and queens are different in each suit, indicating the racial elements that go to compose the empire.

"On the Greek cards classical heroes and heroines are represented. Nestor, for example, is the king of hearts and Orestes the knave. Agamemnon is the king of clubs, Hercules the jack of spades and Minos and Danae the king and queen of diamonds. The Greek pack is rather a cheap one and scarcely does honor to the celebrities portrayed.

"Cadiz is a center for card manufacturing. The idea of the Spanish cardmaker seems to ge to get as much color on the cards as possible. The royal robes are of unusual magnificence. The clubs are big bludgeons in green and red, and the knave of clubs, gayly caparisoned on a prancing horse, reminds you instantly of Jack the Giant Killer. The spades are ugly little daggers, and for hearts and diamonds there are disks and dice cups. The cards in some of the Spanish packs are very thin and have a capital spring.

"The Madeira cards come from Lisbon. The figures are more conventional in design than on the Spanish. The ace cards are adorned with typical Portuguese scenes.

"A peculiarity of the pack bought in Constantinople is that the ace cards, in addition to the single spade, diamond, club or heart in the center of each, have diminutive aces at the upper left hand and lower right hand corners.

"The Italian face cards portray decidedly gloomy personages. Each one of the face cards, by the way, carries in small print the name and address of the maker. There are tiny packs, an inch and a quarter by an inch and three-quarters in size, which can be bought on the streets of Naples for a soldo. These resemble the Spanish cards to some extent, although the royalties are more dignified.

"Cairo is a great card emporium, and Mousky street offers rich returns to the card hunter. Fortune telling cards must be in demand there, to judge from the samples I saw in the collection. The Cairo playing cards come mostly from Germany. They are brilliant in their coloring. The aces carry scenes from lands both west and east.

"The gem of all the packs comes from Switzerland. The cards are small, one and three-quarters by two and a half inches in size, and the back design is the edilweiss. The kings, queens and jacks are delightful studies in Swiss costume, and the purchaser certainly gets his money's worth, for each face card has two half figures quite unlike. On the aces are Swiss scenes and objects of interest, also two to a card, the subjects including the castle of Chillon, the Matterhorn, the bridge at Lucerne and the Lion of Lucerne."—Indianapolis Star.

GOOD COLLATERAL.

The Way Tom Fitch of Nevada Used to "Raise the Wind."

Tom Fitch, of Nevada, was a bright fellow and one of the best writers and stump speakers of the west, but he was thriftless and when he got hard up would resort to almost any means to get a stake.

One day he wrote a scathing speech denouncing Sharon, then president of the Bank of California and afterward United States Senator from Nevada. In it he charged Sharon with almost every crime known to the Decalogue or the statutes. He put the manuscript in a large envelope and walked into the Bank of California.

"Here," he said to the cashier, handing the package through the window, "there are some securities which I offer as collateral on a loan. Please hand them to Mr. Sharon in person, and I will wait for his answer."

Mr. Sharon was in his private office. Breaking the seal of the envelope, he found the speech and read it through, together with a note from Fitch, informing him that unless he was paid $5,000 he would deliver the speech in every town in the State. In a few minutes the cashier, on Mr. Sharon's order, reported that the collateral was all right and paid the happy Fitch the desired amount.

Three months afterward, having gone through the money in speculation and dissipation, Mr. Fitch made his appearance with another speech, this time of a very complimentary character, which he promised to deliver at every convenient opportunity for the same amount. This, too, proved good collateral, and the story would never have come to light if Fitch had not, in a moment of drunken frankness, told it himself.

NOTES AND INCIDENTS OF FOREIGN LIFE.

The British Admiralty has ordered all warships at sea to make meterological reports, morning and evening, to wireless stations every day as long as they can keep in communication. This is to help the Meterorological Office in its forecasting.

Thomas King was fined in a London police court the other day for taking his baby to a pawnshop and trying to pawn it for 50 cents, wherewith to buy gin.

Japanese jinrikisha men disapprove of the advent of the auto. They see in it a dangerous rival. The expression of their disapproval usually takes the form of a brick or cobblestone.

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As I left the grounds and gained the highway Stoddard fell in with me.

"Well, Mr. Glenarm, I'm glad to see you abroad so early. With that library of yours the temptation must be strong to stay within doors. But a man's got to subject himself to the sun and wind. Even a good wetting now and then is salutary."

"I try to get out every day," I answered. "But I've chiefly limited myself to my own grounds."

An ancient omnibus, filled with young women passed at a gallop, bound for the station, and we took off our hats.

"Christmas holidays," explained the chaplain. "Practically all the students go home."

"Lucky kids, to have homes with Christmas trees. I envy them."

"I suppose, Mr. Pickering got away last night?" he observed, and my pulse quickened at the name.

"I haven't seen him yet," I answered.

"Then of course he hasn't gone!" and these words, uttered in the big clergyman's deep tones, seemed wholly plausible. There was, to be sure, nothing so unlikely as that Arthur Pickering, executor of my grandfather's estate, would come to Glenarm without seeing me.

"Sister Theresa told me this morning he was there. He called on her and Miss Devereux last night. I haven't seen him myself. I thought possibly I might run into him in the village. His car's very likely on the station switch."

"No doubt we shall find him there," I answered easily.

The Annandale station presented an appearance of unusual gaiety when we reached the main street of the village. There, to be sure, lay the private car in the siding, and on the platform was a group of 20 or more girls, with several of the brown-habited Sisters of St. Agatha. There was something a little foreign in the picture; the girls in their bright colors *talking gaily, the Sisters* in their somber garb *hovering about*, suggesting France or Italy rather than Indiana.

We stepped upon the platform. The private car lay on the opposite side of the station, having been switched into a siding of the east and west road. Pickering was certainly getting on. There is something wholly regal in a private car. Any one may boast a catboat and call it a yacht; but there is no known substitution for a private car. As I lounged across the platform with Stoddard, Pickering came out into the vestibule of his car, followed by two ladies and an elderly gentleman. They all descended and began a promenade on the plank walk.

Pickering saw me an instant later and hurried up with outstretched hand.

"This is indeed good fortune! We dropped off here last night rather unexpectedly to rest a hot box and should have been picked up by the early express for Chicago; but there was a miscarriage of orders somewhere and we now have to wait for the nine o'clock, and it's late. If I'd known how much behind it was I should have run out to see you. How are things going?"

"As smooth as a whistle! It really isn't so bad when you face it. And the fact is I'm actually at work."

"That's splendid. The year will go fast enough, never fear. I suppose you pine for a little human society now and then. A man can never strike the right medium in such things. In New York we are all rushed to death. I sometimes feel that I'd like a little rustication myself. I get nervous, and working for corporations is wearing. The old gentleman there is Taylor, president of the Mid-Western and Southern. The ladies are his wife and a friend of hers. I'd like to introduce you." He ran his eyes over my corduroys and leggings in amiable acceptance of my rusticity. He had not in years addressed me so pleasantly.

Stoddard had left me to go to the other end of the platform to speak to some of the students. I followed Pickering rather reluctantly to where the companions of his travels were pacing to and fro in the crisp morning air.

As soon as Pickering had got me well under way in conversation with Taylor, he excused himself hurriedly and went off, as I assumed, to be sure the station agent had received orders for attaching the private car to the Chicago express. Taylor proved to be a supercilious person,—I believe they call him Chilly Billy at the Metropolitan club,—and our efforts to converse were pathetically unfruitful. The two ladies stood by, making no concealment of their impatience. Their eyes were upon the girls from St. Agatha's on the other platform, whom they could see beyond me. I had jumped the conversation from Indiana farm values to the recent disorders in Bulgaria, which interested me more, when Mrs. Taylor, ignoring me, spoke abruptly to her sister.

"That's she—the one in the gray coat, talking to the clergyman. She came a moment ago in the carriage."

"The one with the umbrella? I thought you said—"

Mrs. Taylor glanced at her sister warningly, and they both looked at me. Then they detached themselves and moved away. There was some one on the farther platform whom they wished to see, and Taylor, not understanding their maneuver—he was really anxious, I think, not to be left alone with me—started down the platform after them, I following. Mrs. Taylor and her sister walked to the end of the platform and looked across, a biscuit toss away, to where Stoddard stood talking to the girl I had already heard described as wearing a gray coat and carrying an umbrella.

The girl in gray crossed the track quickly and addressed the two women cordially. Taylor's back was to her and he was growing eloquent in a mild well-bred way over the dullness of our statesmen in not seeing the advantages that would accrue to the United States in fostering our shipping industry. His wife, her sister and the girl in gray were so near that I could hear plainly what they were saying. They were referring apparently to the girl's refusal of an invitation to accompany them to California.

"So you can't go—it's too bad! We had hoped that when you really saw us on the way you would relent," said Mrs. Taylor.

"But there are many reasons; and above all Sister Theresa needs me."

It was the voice of Olivia, a little lower, a little more restrained than I had known it; but undeniably it was she.

"But think of the rose gardens that are waiting for us out there!" said the other lady. They were showing her the deference that elderly women always have for pretty girls.

"Alas, and again alas!" exclaimed Olivia. "Please don't make it harder for me than necessary. But I gave my promise a year ago to spend these holidays in Cincinnati."

She ignored me wholly and after shaking hands with the ladies returned to the other platform. I wondered whether she was overlooking Taylor on purpose to cut me.

Taylor was still at his lecture on the needs of our American merchant marine when Pickering passed hurriedly, crossed the track and began speaking earnestly to the girl in gray.

"The American flag should command the seas. What we need is not more battleships but more freight carriers—" Taylor was saying.

But I was watching Olivia Gladys Armstrong. In a long skirt, with her hair caught up under a gray toque that matched her coat perfectly, she was not my Olivia of the tam-o'-shanter, who had pursued the rabbit; nor yet the unsophisticated school girl, who had suffered my idiotic babble; nor, again, the dreamy rapt organist of the chapel. She was a grown woman with at least 20 summers to her credit, and there was about her an air of knowing the world, and of not being at all a person one would make foolish speeches to. She spoke to Pickering gravely. Once she smiled dolefully and shook her head, and I vaguely strove to remember where I had seen that look in her eyes before. Her gold beads, which I had once carried in my pocket, were clasped tight about the close collar of her dress; and I was glad, very glad, that I had ever touched anything that belonged to her.

Who was Olivia Gladys Armstrong and what was Arthur Pickering's business with her? And what was it she had said to me that evening when I had found her playing on the chapel organ? So much happened that day that I had almost forgotten, and, indeed, I had tried to forget that I made a fool of myself for the edification of an amusing little school girl. "Then you prefer to ignore the first time I ever saw you," she had said; but if I had thought of it at all it had been with righteous self-contempt. Or, I may have flattered my vanity with the reflection that she had eyed me—her hero, perhaps—with wistful admiration across the wall.

Meanwhile the Chicago express roared into Annandale and the private car was attached. Taylor watched the trainmen with the cool interest of a man for whom the proceeding had no novelty, while he continued to dilate upon the nation's commercial opportunities. I turned perforce, and walked with him back toward the station, where Mrs. Taylor and her sister were talking to the conductor.

Pickering came running across the platform with several telegrams in his hand.

"I'm awfully sorry, Glenarm, that our stop's so short,"—and Pickering's face wore a worried look as he addressed me, his eyes on the conductor.

"How far do you go?" I asked.

"California. We have large interests out there and I have to attend some stockholders' meetings in Colorado in January."

"Ah, you business men! You business men!" I said reproachfully. I wished to call him a blackguard then and there, and it was on my tongue to do so, but I concluded that to wait until he had shown his hand fully was the better game.

The ladies entered the car and I shook hands with Taylor, who threatened to send me his pamphlet on The Needs of American Shipping when he got back to New York.

"It's too bad she wouldn't go with us. Poor girl! this must be a dreary hole for her," he said to Pickering, who helped him upon the platform of the car with what seemed to be unnecessary precipitation.

"You little know us," I declared, for Pickering's benefit. "Life in Annandale is nothing if not exciting. The people here are indifferent marksmen or there'd be murders galore."

"Mr. Glenarm is a good deal of a wag," explained Pickering, hastily swinging himself aboard as the train started.

"Yes; it's my humor that keeps me alive," I responded, and taking off my hat I saluted Arthur Pickering with my broadest salaam.

CHAPTER XV.

I Make an Engagement.

The south bound train was now due in ten minutes. A few students had boarded the Chicago train, but a greater number still waited on the farther platform. The girl in gray was surrounded by half a dozen students, all talking animatedly. As I walked toward them I could not justify my stupidity in mistaking a school girl of 15 or 16 for a grown woman; but it was the tam-o'-shanter, the short skirt, the youthful joy in the outdoor world that had disguised her as effectually as Rosalind to the eyes of Orlando. She was probably a teacher—quite likely the teacher of music, I argued, who had amused herself at my expense.

It had seemed the easiest thing in the world to approach her with an apology or a farewell, but those few inches added to her skirt and that pretty gray toque substituted for the tam-o-shanter set up a barrier that did not yield at all as I drew nearer. At the last moment, as I crossed the track and stepped upon the other platform, it occurred to me that while I might have some claim upon the attention of Olivia Gladys Armstrong, a wayward school girl of athletic tastes, I had none whatever upon a person whom it was proper to address as Miss Armstrong—who was, I felt sure, quite capable of snubbing me if snubbing fell in with her mood.

She glanced toward me and bowed instantly, and her young companions withdrew to a conservative distance. I will say this for the students at St. Agatha's, Annandale: Their manners are beyond criticism, and an affable discretion is one of their most admirable traits.

"I didn't know they ever grew up so fast—in a day and a night!"

I was glad I remembered the number of beads in her chain; the item seemed at once to become important.

"It's the air, I suppose. It's praised by excellent critics," she laughed.

"But you are going to an ampler ether, a diviner air. You have attained the beatific state and at once take flight. If they confer perfection like an academic degree at St. Agatha's, then—"

I had never felt so stupidly helpless in my life. There were a thousand things I wished to say to her; there were countless questions I wished to ask; but her calmness and poise were disconcerting. Her eyes met mine easily; their azure depths puzzled me. She was almost, but not quite, some one I had seen before, and it was not my woodland Olivia. Her eyes, the sofe curve of her cheek, the light in her hair—but the memory of another time, another place, another girl, lured only to baffle me.

She laughed—a little murmuring laugh.

"I'll never tell if you won't," she said.

"But I don't see how that helps me with you?"

"It certainly does not! That is a much more serious matter, Mr. Glenarm."

"And the worst of it is that I haven't a single thing to say for myself. It wasn't the not knowing that was so utterly dull—"

"Certainly not! It was talking that ridiculous twaddle. It was trying to flirt with a silly school girl. What will do for 15 is somewhat vacuous for—"

She paused abruptly, colored and laughed.

"I am 27!"

"And I am just the usual age," she said.

"Ages don't count, but time is important. There are many things I wish you would tell me—you who hold the key of the gate of mystery."

"Then you'll have to pick the lock!"

She laughed lightly. The somber Sisters patrolling the platform with their charges heeded us little.

"I had no idea you knew Arthur Pickering—when you were just Olivia in the tam-o'-shanter."

"Maybe you think he wouldn't have cared for my acquaintance—as Olivia in the tam-o'-shanter. Men are very queer!"

"But Arthur Pickering is an old friend of mine."

"So he told me."

"We were neighbors in our youth."

"I believe I have heard him mention it."

"And we did our prep school together, and then parted!"

"You tell exactly the same story, so it must be true. He went to college and you went to Tech."

"And you knew him—?" I began, my curiosity thoroughly aroused.

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"The train's coming," I said earnestly, "and I wish you would tell me—when I shall see you again!"

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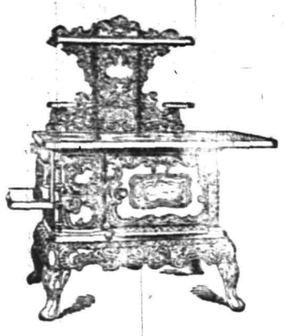

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Apaches	2	2	.500
Sioux	2	2	.500
Cherokees	0	3	.000

CHAMPIONSHIP TIMBER.

Leaders of the Three Athletic Competitions at Y. M. C. A.

The standings of the leaders in the three athletic competions at the Y. M. C. A., to date, are as follows:

Senior — Burgess, 622; Banks, 621; Douglass, 511; Rumsey, 492; Lueder, 472; Odell, 451. Junior—Conroy, 359; R. Miller, 286; Vail, 26. High School—Morris, 219; Freeman, 199; D. Wilcox, 142.

Arrangements are practically completed now for meets with Elizabeth and Hudson City. Both will be held here the first on March 8 and the second on March 16. The events in the meet with Elizabeth will be the same as that with Passaic, excepting that three standing broad jumps will take the place of the high dive.

All the dual meets are designed to lead up to the State meet, which will be held in Paterson the first week in April. They will serve not only as tryouts but as a seasoning process and develop the public competition style and poise, which is something entirely different from the style and poise under which the average athlete works in private and semi-private meetings.

FOR MORE MEETS.

Y. M. C. A. Is Planning to Take On Several Other Associations.

So much success attended the dual meet between the Plainfield and Passaic Y. M. C. A. athletic teams last week that plans are being made to arrange events of similar character between the local organizations and Y. M. C. A.'s of all the nearby places. The meet last Thursday night was chock full of clean, enthusiastic sportsmanlike feeling, and although no records were shattered, the meet had just as high an educational value for the entrants as if there had been a smash in every event.

Montclair, Newark, Paterson, Summit and other State associations will be invited to take Plainfield on for meets in the near future. Physical Director Listman is confident Plainfield will win the majority of the competitions, if not all of them. The local men were seasoned Thursday and what stage fright bothered them when they began the competition was worked out of them.

GOLF.

The Metropolitan Golf Association has decided to hold its third annual open tournament for professionals and amateurs some time during the month of September, 1907, provided there is a club in the association willing to offer its links for the event. The expenses for prizes, score bulletins, programmes, etc., will probably approximate $750. The above notice has been sent to all the clubs in the association by Leighton Calkins, the secretary.

BASKETBALL.

Several basketball enthusiasts from this city witnessed the game Saturday night between the Orange Y. M. C. A. and Yale, at Orange.

The Plainfield High School basketball five will meet the Hasbrouck Institute team, of Jersey City, on the Plainfield High School court, Friday afternoon, March 1.

The Mohicans and the Apaches and the Sioux and the Cherokees will play in the local basketball league at the Y. M. C. A. tomorrow ight.

VARIOUS SPORTS.

The potato race and the high kick will be run off in the Y. M. C. A. all around athletic championship, on Thursday night.

Y. M. C. A. League Games.

The first and second teams of the Passaic Y. M. C. A. will play the local Y. M. C. A. teams here tonight. The first five's contest is a league game.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

Muir's Gold Medal minstrel troupe, which showed in Washington hall last year, will give another performance there Wednesday night for the benefit of the South Plainfield school piano fund. The company will number twenty performers and will present one of the best entertainments seen at a local hall.

John Hover Fractures His Leg.

John Hover, of Clinton avenue, while visiting in Dunellen yesterday afternoon, slipped and fell on the ice, fracturing both bones in the right leg. He was removed to Muhlenberg Hospital, where the bones were reset. His thirty-five years old, single and is employed at the Manganese Steel Safe Works, as assistant engineer.

Sold Bank Building.

Through the agency of Robert L. Pierce, the bank building in Dunellen has been sold by Walter G. Runyon to Herbert L. Pierce. The consideration has not been made public.

Sells His Business.

T. W. Notan has sold his blacksmith and wagon shop at 322 Richmond street, to Daniel Puigguiria, who will take possession at once. He will carry on the business.

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OBITUARY.

Miss Ethel J. Reynolds.

Miss Ethel J. Reynolds, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hazelton Reynolds, died at the home of her parents on Summit avenue shortly before 6 o'clock last night. She had been ill for nearly three years with a lingering complaint but only recently had been compelled to keep to her bed. Miss Reynolds was but twenty-two years old and was an exceptionally bright young woman. She had a host of friends in the city and borough who admired her greatly for her sunny disposition and the fortitude displayed during her long sickness. She was a member of Warren chapel and up to the time her illness began was prominent in its religious and social affairs. Beside her parents she is survived by three sisters, Bessie, Jessie and Anna, and three brothers, Herbert, Frank and Donald.

The funeral will be held at the parents' residence Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

Mrs. Virginia Nolting.

Mrs. Virginia T. Nolting, wife of A. W. Nolting, Jr., and mother of J. Paul Nolting, of West Seventh street, this city, died at her home in Rowland Park, Baltimore, Md., last week. The funeral and interment took place at Rowland Park.

Miss Laurena A. Smith.

Miss Laurena A. Smith, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William C. Smith, of West End avenue, North Plainfield, died this morning after a long illness. The notice of funeral will be given later.

Levi Bird.

Following an illness of one week with pleuro-pneumonia, Levi Bird died at his home on Somerset street yesterday. He was fifty-eight years old and was born at Mount Bethel, but had lived in North Plainfield for many years. He was engaged in teaming and was well known throughout this section as a buyer and carter of telephone and telegraph poles. He leaves a wife and three children.

Milton Ford.

Milton Ford, father of Mrs. C. W. Parsons, of Park place, died at his home at Fairfield, N. Y., this morning. Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Parsons left for there today. The funeral will take place Wednesday afternoon.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The monthly meeting of the Ladies' Home Missionary Society, of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church, will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Samuel Huntington, on Franklin place. Mrs. W. M. Sandford will read a paper on Anna Dickinson.

DATES FOR HORSE SHOWS.

Season Will Open at Durland's Riding Academy April 2.

Horse shows in New York and vicinity will foll ow one another in rapid succession this year. The season opens at Durland's Riding Academy April 2 to 5. Brooklyn follows April 9 to 13. Then comes the Orange Riding and Driving Club, which after a lapse of one year is to be held from April 18 to 20. Giving the horses a short rest after three weeks of constant showing, Baltimore is next in line with a show to be held at the grounds of the Elk Ridge Club on May 23, 24 and 25. Philadelphia's annual exhibition fills out the following week, beginning on May 27 and ending June 1. Plainfield then takes the horses for a three days' show on June 6, 7 and 8.

The seashore shows will begin at Atlantic City during the week of July 16. Long Banch comes the week after Atlantic City, with a four days' show, beginning on July 24, and Bayshore opens two weeks later with a three days' show, beginning Aug. 8. Three weeks of rest will then be proided for the horses before the opening of Newport's annual exhibition on Labor Day, Sept. 2. Syracuse follows Newport, Sept. 10 to 14, and then will come a succession of autumn shows, including Mineola, Sept. 26 to 28; Brocton, Oct. 1 to 4; Locust Valley, Belle Haen, Bryn Mawr, Morristown, White Plains, Bernardsville, Montclair, and others on dates not yet arranged.

In the Borough Court.

Oscar Waldron, arrested an a d. and d. charge, was fined $3 by Recorder Dolliver Saturday night. He paid up in preference to taking an equivalent in days.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

DEPLORES ILLICIT GAINS

Rev. Mr. Howard Points Out Evils of Church Fair Raffles and Whist Prizes.

HABIT SPELLS RUIN

Amount at Stake of No Consequence —Principle of the Thing in Question—Strong Sermon.

Rev. L. R. Howard, pastor of Hope chapel, made a vigorous attack on gambling in all forms in his discourse at the chapel, last night. He handled the subject without gloves and spared neither the church fair or the more common games of chance, such as playing whist and euchre for prizes.

Mr. Howard took two texts, the first being "I have smitten mine hand at thy dishonest gain which thou hast made," Ezekel 22:13, and "He earneth wages to put it into a bag with holes," Hagai 1:6.

He said that while the two verses

Rev. L. R. Howard.

were not written with reference to gambling they described two of its chief aspects, that is money gained by gambling is dishonest gain and the habitual gambler is earning wages to put into a bag with holes. The speaker declared that gambling is dishonest and the habit leads to ruin, and that gambling is becoming more recognized as an evil, because of its evil results. He added that people should recognize the fact that gambling is evil in principle; therefore the gambling in the smallest sum is in some senses as bad as gambling with the largest sums.

The preacher discussed briefly the various forms of gambling, beginning with "marbles for keeps," the buying of chances on objects for sale, raffles at church fairs, betting on games, card playing for money, betting on races or futures in wheat. He said that the principle involved is that of getting something for nothing by an appeal to luck or chance, with a small element of skill sometimes included.

"The purpose does not alter the principle," declared Mr. Howard. "Because lotteries are conducted for the benefit of colleges; raffles for church fairs and the betting on a game to show one's loyalty does not alter the principle and there is the inevitable loss in pursuing the habit of gambling.' Mr. Howard cited instances from observation in his connection with the Charity Organized Aid Association to show how men have gone to pieces through the gambling habit and put their money in bags with holes.

PERSONAL.

Dr. J. T. Fritts, of Park avenue, who has been quite ill, is reported to be improved.

Mrs. A. D. Edgar, of East Front street, has returned from a visit of several days with relatives at Lebanon.

Charles Dressent and family, of Lincoln, place, attended the wedding of Miss Julia Henschen and Charles Peterson, at Jersey City Heights, yesterday.

Mrs. Elizabeth A. Parse, of Grove street, leaves on Wednesday for Knoxville, Tenn., where she will make her annual visit with her brother, John Honeyman. D. Corra Adams, Jr., son of Dr. and Mrs. D. C. Adams, will accompany her.

CLOSED PORTALS.

Central Lodge, No. 48, A. O. U. W., will hold a "ladies' night" entertainment in its lodge rooms, 109 Park avenue, Thursday night at 8 o'clock.

An important meeting of Plainfield Aerie, No. 866, Fraternal Order of Eagles, will be held in Eagles' Hall, West Second street, tomorrow evening. Several candidates will be initiated.

Interest In Peary's Lecture.

Commander Robert E. Peary, U. S. N., will deliver a lecture entitled "Nearest the Pole," at the New Plainfield theatre on Monday night, March 4, under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. The lecture will include an account of Commander Peary's last attempt to reach the pole and will be illustrated by a large number of views, which will be shown for the first time here and the distinguished explorer should be greeted by a large audience.

WOMAN TO LECTURE.

Mrs. Adams to Tell of "Peru" Friday Night.

In her lecture on "Peru" Friday evening at the Y. M. C. A. hall, Harriet Chalmers Adams, the South American traveler, will tell of the wonderful "Montana," the forest

Mrs. Harriett C. Adams.

country on the eastern slope of the Andes, into which she penetrated. She will picture the rubber industry telling of a visit to a rubber camp. The savage tribes which inhabit the country at the head water of the Amazon will be described—a people child like and care free, unmarred by civilization. Two hundred color pictures of great beauty illustrate Mrs. Adams' story of edventures in ancient and unknown Peru. The lecture has been postponed from tomorrow night.

SALE OF CIGARETTES ON THE INCREASE.

Despite Adverse Laws More Are Sold Than Ever Before.

Official statistics and data gathered by the United States Tobacco Journal show that, notwithstanding the enactment of plenary anti-cigarette laws by some State legislatures, the use of cigarettes is continually increasing, the year 1906 being a record year in the industry.

The iincrease in the sale of cigarettes for the last twelve months reached the enormous figures of 851,000,000. There also was an increase in 1906 of nearly 1,000,000 pounds in the import of Turkish tobacco. From Cuba were exported last year 15,643,000 packages of cigarettes, an increase of 4,000,000 over 1905.

The United States Tobacco Journal says that in the States where anti-cigarette laws are in force, these laws frequently serve to bring all such restrictive measures into contempt, particularly the really useful ones, prohibiting juvenile smoking etc. In one instance, indeed, advantage was taken of an anti-cigarette crusade to actually promote the sale of the article.

"The usual wild statements about cigarettes containing all kinds of poisons having been circulated," says The United States Tobacco Journal, "one of the largest manufacturers in the country caused his principal brand to be analyzed by responsible medical bodies, who rendered the usual verdict that the cigarettes were entirely free from foreign deleterious matter. The results of these analyses were gathered together by the manufacturer; and, together with other authentic matter favorable to cigarettes in general, printed in pamphlet form and widely circulated throughout the country, with the consequence that popular prejudice against the article was considerably abated."

Even in Pennsylvania, with its great tobacco industry, an anti-cigarette bill has been presented to the Legislature. It virtually prohibits the sale of cigarettes, and also of cigarette paper or wrappers. The penalty is fixed at not less than $25 or more than $100 for each offense. The bill does not include the jobbers doing an interstate business.

On the Job.

A Baltimore man, who was recently a passenger on a Cunarder, tells of an incident of his trip that led him to the conclusion that your average seaman is not apt to waste much thought on his personal troubles. This sailor had met with an accident the second day out, the result of which was a bad cut on the head. The Baltimorian was most solicitous in his inquiries as to the seaman's welfare when he next saw the captain, and would undoubtedly have continued his sympathy had not a rough sea called to his mind his own sufferings. Several days later, when he emerged, white and weak, from his stateroom, he suddenly remembered the poor sailor. In the course of the day the Baltimore man saw the man, with a strip of plaster on his forehead. "How is your head?" he asked, sympathetically. "West by south, sir," was the reply.—Harper's Weekly.

Drunk Fined.

James Harley, arrested for drunkenness and disorder, was fined $3 or 10 days in the city court this morning. It was his second offense within two months.

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CO. K'S ANNUAL BANQUET

Major Martin, Their Honored Captain, Acted as Toastmaster at Casino Feast.

SPEECHES INFORMAL

Mayor Buckle, Judge Newcorn, County Chairman Smith and Dr. Corbusier Among the Speakers.

Major W. B. Martin, until recently captain of the company, presided at the sixth annual banquet of Company K held at Truell Inn, last night. The guests were Lieutenant Harry B. Kitchell, the company's choice for captain; Judge William Newcorn, County Registrar of Deeds F. H. Smith, Former Mayor J. F. Buckle, Dr. W. Kempton Browning, Dr. Harold Corbusier, L. B. Woolston, Captain John Wherely, of Somerville; Sergeant Pearsall and T. Astley Weaver.

Major Martin announced before the speech-making that he would distribute the discharge papers to fifteen members of the company, whose terms of enlistment had expired. They are Sergeants Charles Peterson, A. I. Littell, George Apgar, O. R. Pearson, Alfred Tranchand; Corporals Bilyeu, Goldsack, DeCamp, Niles, Sampson; Privates Douglass, Dorman, Archibald Niles, Vail and Judson. After the men had received their papers Major Martin stated that he was glad to say that every one had re-enlisted. The fifteen men were charter members of the company.

The first speaker of the evening was Lieut. Pearsall, who gave a brief history of the company. He said he regretted the absence of Col. Collins and Major Dungan, but expressed the hope that the former would soon wear the star of Brig.-General, which brought forth great applause. He also announced the fact that the company's percentage for the past year for figure of merit was 89.7, while that of Co. L, of Somerville, was 86.1. He said that there are eighteen men in the company who have a percentage of 100, which represents *obedience, strict attention to duty and faithfulness in drills.*

Lieut. Pearsall referred to the need of an up-to-date armory for the company and he said that he believed that Plainfield would respond to the call. He thought that the State should appropriate a certain amount of money each year for the construction of suitable armories and cited the fact that the rent now paid for leased buildings would more than pay the interest on a $15,000 or $20,000 investment.

Former Mayor Buckle was the next speaker. He referred to his boyhood days when he was a member of a militia company. He believed that Co. K was better than those of other days. A compliment was paid by him to the members for going to Elizabeth to get such an efficient captain, and he paid a compliment to Major Martin in referring to the fact that he never had taken a drink of liquor, which he considered to be a great moral example. The speaker in referring to his last official position said that the people sought him for mayor, that he never sought the office, and that he did the best he could. He said that no one man makes a people great, but it is the united efforts of all and here he paid a tribute to the citizen soldiery and he urged every member of the company to do his duty.

Freeholder J. Hervey Doane congratulated the members upon their fine showing. He hoped that if the test should ever come that the company would prove true and follow the flag to the ends of the earth.

Judge Newcorn, who is popular with the company by reason of his interest in its affairs and who a few years ago, when a member of the Assembly succeeded in securing the passage of an armory bill for Plainfield, was given a hearty welcome when he arose to speak. He said that if he had the power there were three things he would do. Rirst, elect Col. Collins Brig.-General; secondly, make Major Martin Colonel of the Second Regiment, and thirdly, give Co. K an armory. Continuing Judge Newcorn said that when the members of the company think the time is ripe he will draft an armory bill for Plainfield. He commented on one fact that in particular that Co. K had not been prolific in promises, but in good deeds. In conclusion he paid deserving tribute to Major Martin for his painstaking efforts in behalf of Co. K, and he hoped that the new captain would be as successful.

Dr. Harold Corbusier, who as a army surgeon saw considerable service during the Spanish-American War in the Philippines as well as in China during the Boxer troubles, gave an interesting talk concerning his experiences. He commented upon the rules and regulations of the regular army and the National Guard and said that he believed that the

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HUGH FOX CHAMPIONS CHILD LABOR MEASURE

ALEXANDER BILL SUBJECT OF DISCUSSION AT COMMITTEE HEARING.

Hugh Fox, of this city, president of the State's Charities and Aid Association, was one of the principal speakers on the Child-Labor bills at a hearing before the House committee at Trenton, yesterday, after the introduction of the subject by Mrs. Emily Williamson, of Elizabeth. She talked of the selfish interest of glassblowers in South Jersey, who stated that they would not allow their sons to work in the glass factories.

Mr. Fox charged that the workmen themselves were opposed to the proposed measure. He asked where were the manufacturers? None of the latter appeared in opposition to the bill.

Mrs. Williamson asked every glassblower in succession if he would allow his child to go into the factory, and every man said "No." But they all said that the industry would go to pieces if the age limit was raised to sixteen years.

The Alexander measure prohibits children from working in factories before sixteen years of age, working more than ten hours a day, or fifty-five hours a week, and not before the age of sixteen between the hours of 6 p. m. and 6 a. m. It is stated that the bill will be reported favorably.

MERGER HEARINGS TO BEGIN MONDAY

COMMISSION AT LAST DECIDES TO HAVE OPEN SESSIONS.

Having listened to the views of a number of men prominent in both city and borough who are familiar with the subject, the bi-municipal consolidation commission has at last decided to throw its meetings open to the public, that conclusion having been arrived at yesterday afternoon when the commissioners held a session in Mayor Fisk's office. Only one citizen was heard yesterday, former Mayor Benjamin A. Hegeman, of North Plainfield, responding to an invitation to give his views. W. W. Howland, one of the leaders of the anti-annexationists in the campaign five years ago, had also been invited to be present but he sent a short formal letter of declination.

For half an hour, Mayor Hegeman discussed the subject in its various aspects, dwelling at length upon the history of the movement to merge the two places. In his usual forceful manner he explained clearly why he had always favored an union, adding that time had not changed his views in the least for in his opinion the longer the delay the greater the hardships the borough would have to endure. North Plainfield had not kept pace with Plainfield in the way of progress and improvements and to support this assertion he pictured how the city had grown so rapidly while the borough had made little headway. During the course of his remarks, the former mayor explained the reasons why the borough could not hope to make any rapid progress without consolidation with the city.

W. W. Howland in his letter stated that while some had changed their views regarding the merits of the question, time had not given him any different opinion than he held five years ago. He admitted, however, that there might be some good reasons for a merger as proposed, but added that he did not care to enter into the controversy again.

By an unanimous vote the commission passed a resolution inviting all interested citizens of both city and borough to attend the first of a series of public meetings to be held in the city mayor's office on Monday afternoon at 4:30. Those who cannot attend are asked to send their views by letter.

To Consider Kinsman Device.

F. E. Kinsman, who has just returned from Washington, where he has been interested in the adoption of a bill which provides for an exhaustive examination into the various devices which are intended to prevent railroad collisions, says that he is much gratified over the passage of the bill. He now believes that his invention, which is now in use on the express tracks of the New York subway, will receive full consideration and ultimate adoption by the leading railroads.

Boy Struck By Trolley.

While crossing West Front street at Grant avenue at 8 o'clock this morning, Frederick Dilks, aged fourteen years, became confused and received a glancing blow from a westbound trolley car. He was knocked down and slightly bruised about the head and hands. Dr. Albert Pittis found that the boy was not seriously hurt.

TREE COMMISSION WILL BE APPOINTED

RESOLUTION TO THAT EFFECT PASSED BY COUNCIL LAST NIGHT.

Councilman Montgomery's plan to establish a tree commission in the city, as broached by him at the regular session early in the month, met with success when introduced at last night's council meeting. He presented a resolution to the effect that three commissioners be appointed, whose purpose it will be to direct the care of the city's trees, and it was passed unanimously.

At Mr. Montgomery's request, President Daniel invited Mayor Fisk to address the Council on the matter as the commission has long been desired by him. He declared that Plainfield's trees form one of its principal attractions but that insects and lack of care were rapidly destroying them. There is no city official at the present time, he said, whose duty it is to look after them and the appointment of a commission would bring them in direct charge. The commission cannot ask for more than $3,000 a year to follow up its work and it is probable that half that amount will be enough.

"My idea has been to appoint Elliott T. Barrows as chairman of the commission, as he is a man thoroughly acquainted with the needs of trees, and he has consented to act in that capacity. The commissioners would be appointed at the start for terms of three, four and five years and they would have full say about the trees adorning the public thoroughfares, in fact, they would have more power in this respect than the Council."

When the Mayor had ceased speaking, a vote was called for and Councilman Montgomery's resolution went through quickly. The commissioners will be appointed in a short time.

ANNA DICKINSON THE SUBJECT OF PAPER.

Equal Suffrage League Discuss Character of Noted Suffragist.

The Equal Suffrage League of Plainfield and North Plainfield was entertained yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Samuel Huntington on Franklin place, when a paper on Anna Dickinson was read by Mrs. William M. Sandford and many anecdotes concerning the noted woman were related by other members of the league.

Mrs. Sandford's paper brought out the fact that Anna Dickinson was a woman of strong force of character and exceptionally brilliant, and while most women of her character were usually leaders of women, she was a leader of men and was engaged to make political speeches throughout the country. She was considered a valuable ally in any great movement.

After the programme Mrs. Huntington served tea to the members and a social time was enjoyed. The next meeting of the league will be on Monday, March 25, at a place to be decided upon later.

Somerset Club May Disband.

The future of the Somerset Club, of the borough, will be determined at a meeting of the members to be held Friday night at the club rooms at Somerset street and Manning avenue. The club was organized in May of last year, but during the past few months there has been a lack of interest. Unless new life is infused in the organization it is quite likely that it will cease to exist after Thursday night. The club room is provided with pool and billiard tables and is a comfortable place to spend idle moments, but the membership has fallen off until quick action is necessary to determine whether the club be continued or not. Several members of the club favor the plan of selling the furnishings, which are worth several hundred dollars, and giving the proceeds to the Children's Home or some other local charity. Others, it is said, want to continue the organization.

District Court.

There was only one contested case in the District Court this morning, a landlord and tenant action by Franklin P. Coddington against James M. Taylor, for the possession of a hotel at Dog Corner. Taylor has been paying his rent. He set up as defense the alleged fact that the building was not tenantable and that the plaintiff had promised to repair it. The court ruled that there were no grounds for withholding the rent, and that the defendant's only recourse would have been a suit for whatever damage might be sustained through the condition of the building. The retrial of the Siche Gas Co. against W. W. Warnock was laid over for a week.

Appointed to School Estimate Board.

Councilmen Ralph I. Tolles and W. S. Tyler were appointed members of the Board of School Estimate, last night. They will act in conjunction with two members appointed by the Board of Education and the president of the Council makes a fifth member.

SALOON POLICY IS FIXED

By Unanimous Vote, Without Remonstrance, Twelve Licenses Are Granted.

NET THE CITY $11,600

Ten Retail and Two Wholesale Licenses—Peddlers' Licenses Continued.

For the first time in the history of the Common Council, the customary applications for liquor licenses were granted without a dissenting vote, last night, and with nothing but a harmonious spirit prevailing upon the members. An absence of remonstrances from citizens was also apparent, the only petition presented coming from the Society of Friends, which does the same thing with unceasing regularity year after year. The occurrence was so noteworthy that Councilman Tyler took occasion to comment upon it and assert that Plainfield could justifiably praise itself for its handling of the saloon question.

There were ten retail and two wholesale licenses granted as follows: Retail, John A. Staats, John and Frank Clark, Jacob Blimm, Henry Haurand, Jerome W. Leary, Michael F. Watson, Henry Windham, John Rafferty, Christian Gloekler and A. D. Findlay; wholesale, Eastern Bottling Company and Frank Linke. The retail places pay $1,000 each a year for the privilege of selling liquors and the wholesalers ge their license for $800. Thus it will be seen that the net returns to the city are $11,600.

When the license applications have been made from year to year there was always a hitch over some one of them and there were times when the arguments led to a feeling of bitterness among the councilmen. The remonstrances have also been noticeable and as a rule when the clerk was ready to begin proceedings he would have to reel off several yards of names, the owners asking that the applicants be given the "go by." The number of licensed places has been getting lower and lower and it is now thought the traffic is well in hand.

After the last one had been granted, last night, Mr. Tyler took the floor and said that it was such an extra occasion for congratulation that it was fitting to call attention to it. Plainfield's settlement of the saloon question, he said, has been watched by the entire State and he hoped it would continue this way. Public opinion is the solution after all, he continued, and to the people belongs the credit. In concluding he declared that the saloon district ordinance had proven satisfactory and that Mayor Fisk was among those greatly pleased with its success.

At Mr. Buxton's request, all hack, truck, peddler and other licenses except liquor, be extended to March 15 and all new applications be referred to the license committee.

PROMOTED POLICEMEN SWORN INTO NEW PLACES.

Proceeding Took Place in Mayor Fsik's Office Following Last Night's Council Meeting.

Following last night's Council meeting, the members of the police force who received promotion, were sworn into their new positions by Mayor Fisk. Those who witnessed the proceeding were Councilmen Hibbard, Daniel, Mellick, Gloak and Frank Randolph.

The mayor took occasion to compliment the men on their past records and stated that the promotions had been based purely on merit and fitness for the positions. He predicted a continuance of their faithful discharge of duties and assured them of his hearty support.

The change in positions will go into effect within the next few days. The placing of the men has been left entirely to Chief Kiely.

Borough School Board Meeting.

The Borough Board of Education held its regular monthly meeting but transacted little beyond routine business. The budget for the coming year was discussed in executive session. It was reported that the position of assistant janitor at the Somerset school is vacant and it will be filled next month.

Martine Addresses Editors.

Hon. James E. Martine and Governor Stokes were the principal speakers at the fiftieth anniversary of the New Jersey Editorial Association observed at Hildebrecht's, Trenton, yesterday afternoon.

Engagement Announced.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Luders, of East Millstone, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Anna Luders, to Charles R. Winn, of Linden avenue, the borough.

AUTO OWNERS GIVE $80,000 FOR ROADS

PLAINFIELD CONTRIBUTES MORE THAN $1,000 IN SHAPE OF FEES.

An estimate of the receipts of the State Department of Motor Vehicles for the fiscal year ending May 1 next is placed by Commissioner J. B. R. Smith at not less than $80,000. Plainfield alone contributed $1,222.75 in the shape of fees. The whole money is to be devoted to the repairing of the improved roads of the State, but the affirmative action of the Legislature will be required to make it available for this purpose.

Up to January 1 the department registered 13,759 vehicles and issued 15,269 licenses to drivers. At that date the amount of fees collected was $62,233.91. The receipts of the department in January for registration and licensing amounted to $1,193.17, and at the close of business last Saturday the receipts from these sources were $506, making the total receipts from May 1 $63,933.08.

Up to January 1 there had been collected $991 in fines. In January the fines collected amounted to $111 and in February, $470, making the total receipts from this source $1,572.50. The aggregate receipts of the department to date are $65,505.58.

The amount received in fees from each of the egencies in the State to January 1 is as follows: Trenton, $12,854; Camden, $9,586.36; Jersey City, $15,995; Newark, $11,860; Phillipsburg, $948.75; Morristown, $1,347.05; Hackensack, $3,069.50; Rahway, $465; Asbury Park, $1,615.50; Bridgeton, $483.75; Sea Bright, $1,006; Plainfield, $1,222.75; Freehold, $909.50; Lakewood, $42; Branchville, $220.25.

Magistrates have turned over fines as follows: Union, $25; Waterford, $10; West Orange, $35; Belmar, $20; Mount Arlington, $40; East Orange, $50; Chatham, $45; Hammonton, $5; Hackensack, $200; Morristown, $5; Milburn, $10; Magnolia, $215; Washington, $15; Clementon, $10; Perth Amboy, $50; Haddon Heights, $10; Princeton, $10; Glen Ridge, $5; Hoboken, $161; Red Bank, $15; Phillipsburg, $10; New Providence, $20, and Dover, $5.

In addition to the sums turned over the sum of $4,738.08 was retained by the agents as fees authorized by the law. The maintenance of the registration and licensing department amounted to $1,853.33 for clerical services and $2,422.67 for printing, blanks, stationery and other equipment.

RETURNED $20.25 TAX.

But Council Wishes It Understood It's Not to Be a Precedent.

Acting on a resolution introduced by Mr. Tolles, the Common Council, last night, returned $20.25 in taxes that had been paid to the city by Mrs. J. Kirtland Myers. It came about in an unusual way and Mr. Tolles was induced to remark that he didn't want it to be regarded in the light of a precedent.

When Mrs. Myers' property, which is located at 130-134 East Sixth street, was assessed for the 1906 tax, she regarded it as too high and appealed to the County Board for the Equalization of Taxes. In the meantime she paid the full tax without protest. The Board reduced her assessment and the difference between the original tax and the one on the new figure was $20.25 in her favor.

She accordingly asked for its return and after consultation with the corporation counsel Mr. Tolles decided to introduce the resolution. He reported that counsel had informed him that the city was not obliged to pay it back but could do so as a matter of principle. The money could have been handed back much easier if Mr. Myers had paid the original tax "under protest."

Plainfielders at the Wedding.

A party of thirty relatives and friends from New York and Plainfield accompanied Rutherford Mead Shepard, of "The Gables," Fanwood, to Boston, on Thursday, to attend his marriage to Miss Winifred Prentiss Kay. Among those in the party were Mr. and Mrs. Augustus D. Shepard, Mr. and Mrs. John Doull Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Osborn W. Bright, Mrs. Frederick G. Mead, Miss Margaret Mead, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lowe and Miss Waring, Mr. and Mrs. W. Palmer Smith and Miss Trottie Smith.

Co. K to Elect Officers.

When Co. K meets on Monday night the newly chosen officers will be formally elected according to the rules. At a previous meeting the members picked Lieut. Harry B. Kitchell for captain, Charles Peterson for first lieutenant; Albert I. Littell for second lieutenant, and O. R. Pearson for first sergeant. Following the election there will be the installation. The new captain will announce his plans for the coming year.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

NEEDLE IS IN HIM SOMEWHERE, BUT WHERE?

CASE THAT IS PUZZLING MEDICAL FRATERNITY OF THIS CITY.

Rudolph Buck, of West Front street, accidentally ran a needle into his arm, and now the medical sharps of Plainfield are wondering where the needle is. It is somewhere in Buck, they believe, but just where they do not know.

The neeaie was stuck in the sleeve of a coat which Buck put on. He didn't notice it, and as his arm slid into the sleeve, the needle entered the flesh. He tried to get the needle out, but couldn't.

His arm began to pain him, and the pain increased until the services of a physician became necessary. A cursory examination gave the doctor no idea where the needle had settled itself, and the patient was taken to the hospital for X-ray treatment. Several examinations were made with the machine, but the physicians could not find the piece of steel. The arm is greatly swollen and Buck suffers much pain. Efforts to remove the needle have not been given up and constant examinations will be made in the hope of finding it.

JURY DELIBERATED FOR OVER 23 HOURS

AND THEN COULDN'T AGREE THAT GIRL STOLE FOUR RINGS.

After being locked up for twenty-three hours and a half the jury in the case of the State against Agnes Cushman, of Westfield, charged with the larceny of four rings from the jewelry store of Rudolph Brunner, of that place, returned to court at Elizabeth, this morning and reported that they were unable to agree. The jury retired at 11 o'clock yesterday morning and came into court at 11 o'clock this morning. The court expressed regrets over the disagreement and added that the case would have to be tried over again. All jurors were then discharged until March 26.

It was expected that the case of John Bozuns, charged with heinous offense against a fifteen-year-old girl, would be called this morning, but owing to the illness of the principal witness an adjournment to March 26 was announced.

FIRST NATIONAL PLANS ITS NEW BUILDING.

Proposed Addition To Be An Ornate Structure—French the Agent.

Ax exclusively announced in yesterday's Daily Press, the First National Bank has completed the purchase of a strip of land on Somerset street just off Front and plans are now being formed for the erection of a building that will be made a part if the institutions present structure, the two forming an "L." It will be a big improvement to that section and the work is being so planned that the actual work of construction can be commenced early in the spring.

The property acquired comprises fifty-three feet front and came from two owners. Thirty feet nearest East Front street was purchased from George Finger and the remainder was taken from the French estate, being part of what is commonly known as the mill property. It extends back to the bank's original holding which is almost entirely occupied by the present four-story building. The new part is to be equally imposing and will be devoted to the bank's increasing needs. The vaults will be removed to it.

The negotiations for the property were conducted by Elston M. French. He had previously sold the thirty foot strip to Mr. Finger and resold it for him to the bank.

Want a Pool Table.

The Misses Tweedy have given a fine billiard table to the Y. M. C. A. and the directors will be grateful if some other generous persons will donate a pool table. Anyone wishing to do so may address Joseph W. Gavett.

Patrolman Stillwell Resigns.

Patrolman Frank Stillwell tendered his resignation to the police board last night and the same was accepted to take effect immediately. Stillwell went to work today at the Manganese Works.

Perkins' Insurance Bill.

Assemblyman Perkins introduced a bill in the Legislature yesterday providing for the right of policyholders to vote for insurance directors.

—Delicious Florida strawberries are one of the features of Neuman Brothers fruit display. They are received fresh every day.

POLICE ARE PROMOTED

Frederickson Made Captain; J. Flynn, Detective-Sergeant and Overbaugh Sergeant.

TWENTY-TWO REGULARS

Limit Placed When Tyler Opposes to Board's Recommendation—Specials Appointed.

As exclusively predicted in The Daily Press last week, the long contemplated promotions in the city police department were presented to the Common Council by Mayor Charles J. Fisk, last night, and confirmed without a dissenting vote. In addition the force was designated to consist of twenty-two regular men instead of seventeen and the change will permit the addition of four men to do regular buty but to be listed as probationers. The latter move was brought about after an interesting debate in which Councilman Tyler blocked a move to make the regular force twenty-six men, compelling his colleagues to view the matter from his standpoint.

The promotions were intended to be put through soon after Mayor Fisk assumed office and the slate presented at the January meeting was as follows: For captain, Sergeant Christian Frederickson; for sergeant, Roundsman John Flynn; for detective-sergeant, Patrolman Florence S. McCarthy. Opposition developed in the Council, however, and the change was not brought about. Chairman Frank Randolph, of the police committee, afterward asked permission to withdraw the appointments and when it was granted him Mayor Fisk did some sponging. The slate was made over again and this is the way it went through last night:

For captain, Sergeant Christian Frederickson; for sergeant, Patrolman Herbert L. Overbaugh; for detective-sergeant, Roundsman John Flynn; for roundsman, Patrolman Morris Higgins. The promotions were acted upon singly and there was not a word of comment made from start to finish.

Later in the evening, Chairman Frank Randolph brought up the increased force project and offered a resolution, specifying that the number of regular men should be twenty-six and that the mayor be empowered to make the necessary number of appointments to fill up. He added by way of explanation that while the department at the present time is allotted seventeen regular men, it has twenty-two, five of them being probation men. The change would allow their confimration and the appointment of four others.

Mr. Tyler was quickly on his feet to remonstrate against what he called "more than a fifty per cent. increase in the regular force" and asserted the belief that twenty-two would be plenty enough at this time.

"If you want more men to do active duty," he said, addressing Mr. Randolph, "you can appoint probationers as you have been doing and so get your twenty-six. I for one do not like the idea of this jump from seventeen to twenty-six and I make an amendment to the motion that the regular number be twenty-two."

Further sparring followed this move and when the vote was called for, only Messrs. Buxton, Montgomery, Charles Randolph and Frank Randolph stood against the amendment. As Councilman Tyler had won out they made it unanimous when the regular vote was taken.

In connection with police business, George Dobson and Theodore Martin, who have been probation men, were made regulars and four new probationers were named. They are Tobias Nolan, Richard Overland, Frank Sweeney and Cornelius McCarthy.

Mayor Fisk named the usual list of special policemen and appointed several new ones, among them Joseph Cooney, who has been a private watchman in the West Seventh street section for many years. A resolution introduced by Mr. Mellick further in the meeting fixes the number of specials at fifty-five.

Building Auto Garage.

Andrew C. Thompson, automobile dealer, is having a cement block one-story automobile garage and salesroom built on Park avenue, between Fourth and Fifth streets, next to Harper's stationery store, which will be one of the best equipped automobile garages in this city. Contracts have been given out and work will commence at once, and will be completed about April 1.

George Whitlock Unfortunate.

George Whitlock, of East Front street, only a few months ago he fell and fractured his arm, which laid him up three or four weeks. Last week he slipped and fell on the ice in front of his home and severely injured his knee which now detains him at home.

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The Store That Saves You Money.

This week's sale will be the wind-up of the most remarkable February Sale ever inaugurated by this house, and in order to fulfill our promise made at the beginning of the month, we will continue to offer values this week of an unusual character. The wise buyers will govern themselves accordingly.

Ladies' Muslin Underwear

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IN emphasis of the bargains placed before you during this sale, we particularly call your attention to the important inducement offered our patrons at all times. Six months ago after considerable hesitancy and careful inquiry we added "S. & H." Green Trading Stamps as a special attraction. Results have proven that our course was a wise one. We want to help you in every way to acquire as many stamps as possible, believing absolutely that in so doing our mutual interests are best served.

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CORSET COVERS, full gathered front of embroidery panels and lace insertion, deep lace yoke at the back; value $1.39; sale price .98

DRAWERS, Cambric Umbrella Drawers, with hemstitched tucks or lace trimmed, val. 50c; sale price .39

DRAWERS, Umbrella shaped drawers, made of fine long cloth, fancy ruffles of lace or embroidery, values $1.25; sale price .89

DRAWERS, extra fine quality of long cloth, with wide embroidery ruffle, value $1.75; sale price $1.39

SKIRTS, deep flounce and two rows of wide lace insertion and lace to match, value $1.25; sale price .89

SKIRTS, made of fine Cambric, deep flounce of cluster tucks and embroidery, with lace trimmed, dust ruffle, value $2.00; sale price $1.59

SKIRTS, fine Cambric Skirts, deep flounce of cluster tucks, row of embroidery insertion and embroidery ruffle; value $2.00; sale price $1.89

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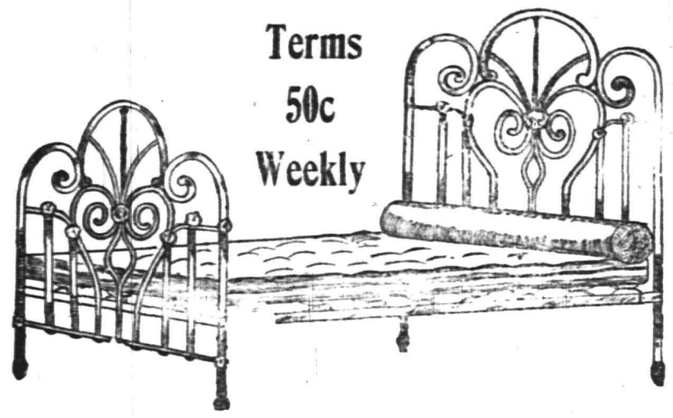

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

'PLAINS AN DFANWOOD.

The annual township report, in pamphlet form, rendered by the committee, shows the township to be in a flourishing financial condition, the total receipts for the year 1906 being $13,221.61, disbursements $7,199.41, leaving a balance on hand of $6,022.20. The total amount of uncollected taxes for the year 1905-'06 was $1,445.96. The report is complete and should be read by every taxpayer in the township. Anyone can have a copy by applying to Township Clerk Edward L. Hand.

Walter Brisbaine, the well known writer, was one of the liberal contributors to the fair fund of Excelsior Hook and Ladder Company. Mr. Brisbaine remembers old Excelsior in its early days and wished to do his share towards swelling the fund.

Rev. T. Moore-Smith, who has been detained at home for a week with pleurisy, while improving, is still confined to the house.

Miss Evelyn Buckley, who has been visiting her aunt, Miss Susie Parse, has returned to her home in Plainfield.

Fanwood Council, R. A., holds its semi-monthly meeting tonight in the library rooms.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Walpole have been entertaining out of town friends.

Miss Mary Jahn has returned from a stay of several days with Brooklyn friends.

Miss Cora Miller has been entertaining Miss Mabel Tice, of Westfield.

SOMERVILLE.

A pen of single comb white leghorns owned by J. Hubbell Birdsall, of Somerville, captured the first prize and the special prize at the recent poultry show in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Walter Robinson and son, of Newark, are guests of Mrs. Robinson's mother, Mrs. J. B. Myers, on Second street.

Mrs. E. W. Harvey and son Benson have gone to Columbus, O., where they expect to spend the spring months.

Miss Emma Porter, of West Cliff, is a guest of Mrs. Chapman in Nyack, N. Y.

A Daughters of Liberty Lodge has been organized at Rocky Hill.

RARITAN.

Charles Grove, an employe at the Raritan Station, met with an accident last week, having a bale of rags fall on him. He was severely bruised.

Miss Rachel Webb, of Somerset street, has been visiting Mrs. Ella Brower, of Bound Brook.

Louis Diehl has purchased the house belonging to George Heil, on Codington street.

Miss Agnes D. Fallow, of First avenue, is visiting Miss Sadie Lee at Scotch Plains.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

Joseph La Fleur has moved to Plainfield. Ralston Dunbar will go on the Ransom farm, which he is to make into a model dairy, on April 1.

The Rutgers Glee Club will appear at Friendship Hall tonight for the benefit of the New Market school piano fund.

Miss Jane Oram, who is 78 years old, for many years a servant, has been committed to the township farm.

One of E. L. McKenzie's deerhounds won a prize at the dog show in New York.

Friendship Council met last night. Several propositions were received.

Alexander Herlich has been suffering from neuralgia.

Miss Mabel Cardner, of Orange place, has recovered from a recent illness.

Percy Sandford, of Englewood, has been visiting relatives in town for a few days.

Miss Evelyn Slater, of Somerville, has been visiting relatives in town for a few days.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The Young Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will hold its annual meeting Friday afternoon.

Rev. E. J. Knight, of Christ church, Trenton, will be the Lenten preacher at Grace church tomorrow night at 8 o'clock.

Rev. Arthur S. Phelps, of St. Paul's church, Bound Brook, will be the special Lenten preacher at St. Stephen's church Friday night.

Miss Julia G. Shinn will speak before the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the First Baptist church, this afternoon, telling of her work in India.

Preparatory services will be held at the Monroe Avenue M. E church tomorrow night and communion services on Sunday morning with reception of members.

"Lust—Chastity" will be the subject of the third of the special sermons to be delivered by Rev. George A. Warner at the Church of the Holy Cross on Sunday.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Park Avenue Baptist church will hold a consecration service Friday night and Miss Florence G. Hawkins will be the leader.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, will observe its twenty-fifth anniversary Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the church parlor.

Rev. Samuel D. Price, of Camden, will give an illustrated lecture, "Nansen's Polar Expedition," at the Park Avenue Baptist church on Thursday night. Admission will be free, but a silver offering will be received.

An entertainment consisting of tableaux, recitations, vocal and instrumental music will be given at Warren chapel tomorrow night for the benefit of the building fund. No admission fee will be charged, but a silver offering will be received.

Preparatory services will be held at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church on Friday night and following the service the session will meet to confer with those wishing to unite with the church by letter or by profession of faith. The communion service will be held Sunday morning with reception of new members.

PERSONAL.

T. C. Smith, of Madison avenue, has been detained at home with an attack of the grip.

Mrs. W. R. Cumback, of West Front street, is much improved from an attack of the grip.

Mrs. Thomas B. Titsworth, of the Babcock building, has gone to Washington to visit relatives.

W. C. Randolph, who has been visiting relatives in town for several days, has returned to New York.

Miss Marguerite Walton, of New York, whose summer home is near New Market, is visiting friends in town.

R. Henry Depew, of Hillside avenue, who is stopping at Ormond Beach, Fla., is expected to return home early in March.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Scott Decker, of West End avenue, attended the wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. George Ball, of Rahway, last night.

Miss May VanFleet, of Liberty street, who has been ill with the grip, has about recovered. Her mother has also been ill with the same malady.

Storing Dynamite Carelessly.

New York, Feb. 26.—Seven permits for the storing of dynamite held by the contractors who are digging the Pennsylvania tunnel and the Belmont tunnels were revoked yesterday afternoon by Hugh Bonner, acting commissioner of the Fire Department. His action was based upon the report of the acting chief inspector of the Bureau of Combustibles, Franz S. Wolf, who had addressed letters to him in which it was declared that carelessness in the storage of explosives by the contractors had resulted in loss of life and menace to workingmen employed in the two tunnels. The contractors concerned are the Degnon Contracting Company, which is driving the Belmont tube to Queens borough, and S. Pearson & Son, the British firm which is engaged in making the Pennsylvania tunnel under the East river, and in Thirty-third street.

Mother Saw Son End Life.

New York, Feb. 26.—Jacob Gross, thirty-two years old, a once prosperous dyer at No. 132 West Twentieth street, committed suicide with poison in the presence of his aged mother, dying before a physician could reach his side. He had been out playing cards with friends in a cafe for an hour or more before taking the poison in his brother's stationery store, at No. 331 East 100th street, where his mother was. "That is the last of me," he exclaimed to her as he swallowed the dose.

Secretary Shaw Gets a Job.

New York, Feb. 26.—Leslie M. Shaw, Secretary of the Treasury, who will retire from the Cabinet of President Roosevelt on March 4, is to become the president of the newly organized Carnegie Trust Company, of this city. He will bring his family to New York, and the future will disclose whether Mr. Shaw will relinquish his legal residence in Iowa and forward his Presidential ambitions from a new base. His friends say he is still a candidate.

POINTS FOR THE BUYERS

Ike Richards, of Somerset street, deals in second-hand clothing and pays the highest prices.

When you want any mason work done remember Titus H. Laury, of East Front street. He contracts to do first-class work.

M. F. Gano, the real estate broker, of Park avenue, sells and leases the best properties and also has a successful plan for home-seekers.

HAS NO RIGHT TO FIX RATES OF FARE.

Supreme Court Decision Upsets Contention of Hudson Board of Freeholders.

Trenton, Feb. 26.—Justice Swayze yesterday handed down an opinion in the Supreme Court holding that the State of New Jersey has no right to fix the rates of fare for passengers on ferries crossing the Hudson river.

This important public question was raised in certiorari proceedings instituted by the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company against the Hudson County Board of Freeholders, who claimed the right to limit ferry fares under an ancient act of 1797. The court holds that the subject is one involving interstate commerce, and as such the power of the government is absolute. Neither the freeholders nor the Legislature has any rights in the premises.

The court yesterday reversed the action of Judge Frederick W. Stuhr, of the District Court of Hoboken, in granting a non-suit in the proceedings instituted by Colonel Lewis T. Bryant, as commissioner of Labor, against George Mandel, of Hoboken, for the illegal employment of child labor. The court directed a new trial. This, however, will not take place, as the defendant's counsel, in anticipation of an adverse decision, settled the case by paying the penalty sued for after the case had been argued before the Supreme Court.

Justice Fort filed an opinion which is adverse to Andrew McNeal, of Burlington, in the fight he has been waging against the United States Cast Iron Pipe and Foundry Company, formerly known as the Pipe Trust. Mr. McNeal attacked the election of directors upon various grounds. The court holds that where a corporation keeps no transfer book, but uses its stock certificate book in lieu thereof, if the latter be present at the time of the election, together with all other books of the company, then the resulting election of directors is not illegal.

The result of the decision is to dismiss the petition with costs. Ex-*Mayor Katzenbach, of Trenton, who represented McNeal,* said that an appeal would be taken immediately.

—The *Jolly* Twenty-four Club will hold a dance in the Camera Club rooms Friday night.

—Judge William Newcorn, of the district court, has frequently been called upon to preside in the district court, Elizabeth, on account of the illness of Judge C. Addison Swift. The latter is now quite ill with pleurisy.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac L. Brown, of Brooklyn, who have been visiting Mrs. L. J. Denton, of Washington avenue, have returned home.

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Fancy Mixtures; strictly all wool; 45 inches wide in many pretty checked and striped effects, in gray and tan; sure to prove immensely popular at our low price of $1.00.

French Suitings—46 inches wide; medium weight; strictly all wool; in gray, tan, blue and green mixtures for only $1.10.

Fancy Checks and Plaids in neat hairline effects on rich light grounds, at $1.25 and $1.50.

Imported Suitings from Bradford; 45 inches wide; in exquisite stripes and checks; sponged and shrunk ready for the needle; particularly beautiful; priced at $1.89.

Imported French Suitings; 46 inches wide, in richest pastel shades—grays, greens, tans, and others in an exceptional variety of pretty checks, stripes and plaids; exclusive and rich; $1.50, $1.75, $1.89 and $2.25.

Lupin's Chiffon Voile—46 inches wide; strictly all wool; light and crisp; will drape beautifully; all colors to choose from; a prime favorite; only $1.25.

Lupin's Shadow Checked Taffeta—44 inches wide; very light in weight and soft in finish; may be had in all the new street shades as well as in cream; priced at only $1.00.

Shadow Striped Batiste—44 inches wide; French make; soft and light; here in all the leading Spring shades for only 89c.

All-wool Suitings—In novelty plaids and stripes; 52 inches wide, good weight; excellent for tailored suits; priced at $1.00.

Lansdowne—Too well known to need any description here; sure to be one of the big sellers this season; fully 40 shades here to choose from; priced at $1.25.

BLACK DRESS GOODS.

See this season's beautiful Fancy Voiles, Eoliennes, Silk Voiles, All Wool Voiles, Chiffon Voiles, Panamas, Batiste, Taffetas and Silk Warp Fabrics, Henriettas, Fancy Mohairs and others equally good.

Lupin's Batiste in stripes and checks; fine and soft; a rich, deep black; 44 inches wide; 89c and $1.00 a yard.

Lupin's All-Wool Taffetas; 44 inches wide; medium weight; a rich guaranteed black, $1.00 and $1.25.

Priestly's All-Wool Voile; extremely light, a beautiful silk finish; 42 to 45 inches wide; $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50.

Priestley's Eudors; beautiful jet black; soft, silken finish; 40 inches wide, at $1.50.

Silk Voile; 44 inches wide; light and sheer; very silky; good jet black, $1.25 and $1.50.

Marquisette; all silk; sheer and soft; a guaranteed black; 44 inches wide; priced at $1.65.

Silk Striped Voile; 46 inches wide; very sheer and silky; a bright, rich black, at $2.50.

Fancy Stripes and Suitings of pure wool and mohair; medium and wide stripes; 46 inches wide; a popular cloth indeed, $2.75.

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Mrs. George Dufford, of West Front street, has returned from a visit with relatives in Hunterdon county.

LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

Jolly Jefferson De Angelis, foremost of American comic opera comedians, assisted by one of the strongest singing organizations ever combined, will be seen at the New Plainfield theatre tonight in his newest comic opera success, "The Girl and the Governor." The librettist is S. M. Brenner, and the music is by Julian Edwards, who is credited with contributing the most delightful melodies that he has ever composed, and it will be remembered that he is responsible for such famous successes as "The Wedding Day," "Dolly Varden," "The Three Muskateers," "Brian Boru" and a dozen others.

At the New Plainfield theatre tomorrow afternoon and night Archie L. Shepard will present an excellent programme of high class moving pictures that for excellence of material and choice of selection has not been equalled in the course of such entertainments hertofore. Comedy of course will be uppermost in the programme though care has been taken to install as great a variety of subjects as is possible in order that all may be entertained and pleased. It is an entertainment that especially appeals to everybody to while away an evening pleasantly. Constant changes is the watchword and a variety that includes subjects of travel, current events, magic, mirth, mystery, vaudeville, comedy, drama, history, pageant and every phase of the commercial and theatrical life will be a sure antidote for ennui.

For the most part the average musical comedy is an ill-assorted conglomeration of vaudeville specialties and the latest catchy song hits strung together without semblance of plot, and with but a faint attempt towards coherence. "Happy Hooligan's Trip Around the World," the attraction booked at the New Plainfield theatre Thursday afternoon and night as a benefit to Treasurer Cunningham, differs materially in this respect as the announcements give absolute assurance of the employment of a comprehensive story, fraught with rollicking humor and unfolding a long list of genuine laugh surprises, while the musical numbers are free from interpolations, all of them having been specially composed for the purpose of fitting the dramatic action of the comedy. Not a few of these compositions have preceded the forthcoming visit of "Happy Hooligan's Trip Around the World," and have for some time past been whistled, hummed and played hereabouts with

HOOLIGAN'S PALS.

"Happy Hooligan" and his pals, at the New Plainfield Theatre Thursday Afternoon and Night.

keenest delight and therefore to hear them rendered by a conspicuous aggregation of talented actors is anticipated with no small pleasure.

A brand new edition of "Hans and Nix," under the management of Walters and Mathews, with Gordon and Gilbert, the well-known German comedians, in the title roles, will be presented here for the first time at the New Plainfield theatre Friday night. While the piece is built along the line of musical comedy, in some instances its score is said to rise to the dignity of light opera. The play itself is reported to be highly entertaining and diverting, and to sparkle with musical and terpsichorean novelties. As a vehicle for the introduction of Gordon and Gilbert's inimitable drolleries, it is apparently perfect. The supporting company is very meritorious. Several unusually catchy airs are spoken of as being prominent in the musical score—"My Pansy," "Hey Rube," "Is Everybody Happy?" "Toyland," "Unsophisticated Maid," "Idaho," "Milo," "My Irish Rose," "Beatrice Fairfacts," have become some of the famous ditties of the day.

The New Plainfield theatre has an attraction next Saturday afternoon and night by P. H. Sullivan's big production of "A Woman of Fire." The play was written by Theo. Kremer and is in four acts and nine sensational scenes. It is entirely different from all previous attempts in melodramas. There is enough of comedy running through the performance to make it one of the interesting features. Thrilling climaxes and sensational situations abound, which keep the audience in a constant state of excitement from start to finish. The opium joint scene showing men and women in the folds of the drug, is realistic enough to cause a shudder, as the awful depravity of the friends is ably presented. The startling mechanical effects bring about thrilling climaxes. The cast is an unusually good one, while the scenic, electrical and mechanical effects are all that can be desired.

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Plainfield, N. J., February 26, 1907.

FOR POPULAR ELECTION.

In very short order last night, the Assembly passed a resolution providing that the Legislature as soon as possible notify Congress that New Jersey desires an amendment to the Federal Constitution to permit the election of United States Senators by direct vote of the people. This resolution was introduced by Assemblyman Alexander and went through without a dissenting vote. The reason for such action just at this time is best explained by the Hudson lawmaker who stated to the House that:

"There is a popular sentiment toward this amendment. In view of the fact that Congress will adjourn March 4, it is necessary that this resolution be passed at once. By doing so Congress can make the amendment this year, and it can be submitted to the Legislatures of the respective States next year. If this is not done promptly another year will have been lost."

Article V, of the Constitution of the United States, makes provision for the necessary amendment. The article in question is couched in this language: "The Congress, whenever two-thirds of both Houses shall deem it necessary, shall propose amendments to this Constitution; or, on the applications of the Legislatures of two-thirds of the several Sates, shall call a convention for proposing amendments, which in either case shall be valid, to all intents and purposes, as part of this Constitution, when ratified by the Legislatures of three-fourths of the several States, or by conventions in three-fourths thereof, as the one or the other mode of ratification may be proposed by the Congress * *."

MORE REGULAR POLICEMEN.

No great harm would have been done the city had the Common Council last night seen fit to increase the regular police force to twenty-six men. It appears to be a sad condition of affairs when second story jobs and other forms of burglaries are commonly attributed to the fact that there are not a sufficient number of policemen patrolling the streets at night; yet such is the case. When it is realized that some of those on duty after nightfall have "beats" covering over five miles of city streets, anyone can readily see why it is next to impossible for the department to obtain the best possible results. According to reliable reports, Orange, Montclair and many other nearby places have a larger proportion of policemen.

If Chief Kiely is to be expected to maintain his department at the very highest possible standard of excellence, his recommendations should be complied with. There is no criticism to be made in this respect so far as the Councilmanic police board is concerned for that body was fully in accord with his views. The trouble lay with the Common Council.

An exchange works itself into a frenzy for fear that Mr. Stokes runs the risk of being nominated for the Vice Presidency of the United States. The Governor is an exceptionally capable man without doubt but anyone at all acquainted with politics knows that there is just as much danger of his being picked as the candidate for this high office as there is of James E. Martine being the next Governor of New Jersey.

Each succeeding meeting demonstrates more clearly that before anything can get through the Common Council it must first satisfy the Tyler.

Westfield's New Policeman.

Henry J. Gaffney, who has been connected with the Central Railroad police department for the last seven years, and whose home is at Somerville, was appointed a regular policeman on the town force of Westfield by the Council last night. He is a brother of John J. Gaffney, a local reporter.

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CO. K'S ANNUAL BANQUET

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latter body should be fully supported not only by the Government but by the various States and local municipalities. In giving a brief history of the army from its inception he compared the soldiers from the different nations as he met them in China and praised the United States troops for their gallant service and heroic deeds at that time. Yet he believed that much remains to be done to bring the regular army and its system up to a high standard of efficiency. He did not fail to note the cleverness of the Japanese soldiers.

County Chairman F. H. Smith accepting the opportunity to add to Judge Newcorn's words that if the latter would draft a bill for an armory in Plainfield, he thought he would be able to secure its introduction in the Legislature, although he was not prepared to state just what influence he has at the present time. He added that the Republicans of Union county are not trying to defeat Col. Collins for the position of Brig.-General, but on the contrary are giving him their united support and he himself had spoken to Governor Stokes, asking him to do what he could for his election.

L. B. Wooiston congratulated the members upon their excellent showing and thanked them for their hospitality. In concluding the speechmaking, Major Martin made a few remarks, commenting upon the excellent record since its organization six years ago as the baby company in the regiment, and in speaking of the election of a Brig.-General he said that he was pleased to state that he has a vote and that the officers of the Second Regiment will stand pat for Col. Collins. It has five votes, six being necessary for a choice out of ten, and he added if the Governor attempts to appoint a successor to Gen. Gilmore there will be "nothing doing" for a man must be elected.

Dr. Kempton Browning, former captain, recounted the company's success from organization and predicted a great future for it.

Major Martin said that he intended to lend his best efforts to the promotion of rifle practice and that he would challenge Co. K to a match to be held at the local armory. He also intends to take up the instruction of first aid to the injured.

The festivities closed with a few remarks by Lieut. Kitchell, who is to be the new captain; First Lieut. Charles Peterson and Second Lieut. A. I. Littell, each one thanking the members for the honors conferred and promising to do all in their power to make the company the best in the State.

"THE WILLING WORKERS" OBSERVE ANNIVERSARY.

H. J. Martin's Bible Class Provide an Excellent Entertainment for Its Friends.

H. J. Martin's Bible Class, "The Willing Workers," of Trinity Reformed church Sunday-school, celebrated its fifth anniversary in the lecture room of the church, last night, with a musical and literary entertainment. Mr. Martin and his class extended an invitation to the various Bible classes of the school and there was a large attendance of members and friends to enjoy the social features as well as the entertainment.

The programme opened with a selection by Prof. Martin A. Korff's Vivo Orchestra and several numbers were rendered throughout the evening. In place of Miss Caroline Lambert, reader, who could not be present, Miss Justine Roberts, of Brooklyn, appeared. She was given a hearty welcome by her many friends and her recitations were well received, being obliged to respond to several encores. Another feature of the programme was the singing by Mrs. Thomas McDonald, soprano. She was accompanied by Miss Hazel Martin on the piano.

During the social hour which followed the rendition of the programme, refreshments were served by the members of Mr. Martin's class. This organization was formed in 1902 by Mr. Martin and since that time it has been an important factor in the Christian activities of the Sunday-school and church.

Lecture on Peru.

The New York Herald says of Harriet Chalmers Adams, who is to deliver a travel talk on "Peru" Friday night at the Y. M. C. A. Hall:

"There arrived in New York about a month ago a little Western woman whose travels during the last three years are worthy of note. A native of California, Mrs. Franklin Adams had been interested since childhood in the early Spanish history of her State and, after visiting Mexico, determined to know Latin America as no traveller before her had known it. With her husband she sailed three winters ago out of the Golden Gate and toward those faraway south lands so rich in the promise of unusual experiences. After crossing the far famed Lake of Titicaca and visiting La Paz, the quaint capital of Bolivia, came a journey in the saddle during which the most severe hardships were endued, for the trail lay along that bleak plateau which rivals Thibet as the roof of the world. Here scattered groups of the Quichuas still exist, unchanged since the days of the Spanish conquest, the remnants of that mighty race, greatest of the New World aborigines." Two hundred color pictures illustrate the lecture. Seats on sale at Hodge's drug store.

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A lot of discontinued patterns placed on sale for this week. We need the room for new goods daily arriving. They move at the following prices:

Dressing Tables—Polished quartered oak, French bevelled mirrors, were $17.00 to $23.50; your choice $15.00

White Enameled Dressing Tables, were $11.00 and $13.00; sale price ..... $7.50 and $9.98

Wood Beds—A few sample beds in oak or birch, were $8.50; sale price $5.00

Chiffoniers—Birds-eye Maple, several patterns to choose from; prices were up to $24.50; your choice $15.00

White Enameled Beds—Lot of sample beds, were $12,50 to $17.00; sale price $9.50

Princess Dressers—In oak or birds-eye maple; were $29.50; this sale $19.75

In the Carpet Dept.

Tapestry Carpet—About 10 patterns to choose from; special for this week 79c

Kurdistan Reversible Brussels Rugs, 9x12 at $11.98 real value $15.00.

Smith's Velvet Carpet in a variety of patterns for this week, at 98c

Cocoa Door Mats 39c

In the Men's Furnishing Dept.

A lot of $5.00 and $8.00 Boys' Suits to close out at $2.98

About 25 suits, comprising fancy cassimeres, worsteds, blue cheviots and serges, in double-breasted and Norfolk styles; sizes 8 to 15.

IN THE HOUSEFURNISHING DEPARTMENT.

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Scrub Brushes, solid backs, regular 25c kind 15c

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Regular price $1.50, sale price 78c

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Bread Boxes, regular price 59c, sale price 43c
Cake Boxes, Japanned, reg. price 59c, sale price 39c

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The Beauty Chorus in "Hans and Nix," at the New Plainfield Theatre Friday Night.

NOTICE.

All licenses granted by the City will expire March 1. All persons wishing to renew the same must make application to the City Clerk on or before Feb. 25. After March 1 no person will be allowed to carry on any business for which a license is required without securing one.

P. S. KIELY, Chief of Police.

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George L. VanEmburgh, of East Second street, is ill at home with the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Groendyke, of the borough, are registered at the Chalfonte, Atlantic City.

NOTICE

At the regular meeting of the Consolidation Commission held Monday Afternoon, February 25, the following action was taken, and adopted as a resolution of the Commission:

The Commission appointed to consider the question of the consolidation of the City and Borough will hold its next session on Monday, March 4, at 4:30 p. m., at the Mayor's office, 149 North Avenue, at which time it would be glad to have any citizen having views to express on this question, appear before it.

This invitation applies to citizens of North Plainfield as well as of Plainfield.

The Commission would also be glad to hear by letter from any who cannot make it convenient to be present.

Communications may be addressed to GEORGE B. WEAN, Secretary.

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

All are looking forward with much pleasure to the second annual performance by Muir's Gold Medal minstrel troupe tomorrow night. As practically all the tickets are sold for the entertainment a crowded house is assured. The proceeds will be for the benefit of the local school piano fund. The curtain will-rise promptly at 8:20.

Owing to the congestion of traffic in the Jersey City yards of the Lehigh Valley Railroad, all coal trains going east are side-tracked here or sent to Perth Amboy.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Riddle moved Phillipsburg yesterday, where Mr. Riddle has taken a position as signalman on the Lehigh Valley Railroad.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Manning have returned to their home in Newark, after spending several days with Mr. Manning's parents.

"The Twenty-sixth-Psalm" will be the topic of the prayer meeting at the Baptist church tonight. The pastor will lead.

Miss Smalley returned to her school duties yesterday, after being detained at home by illness for several days.

Miss Margaret Randolph is slowly recovering from a severe attack of rheumatism.

Mrs. Katherine Smith is much improved from a severe illness.

(Additional suburban news on page 2).

$300,000 BOND FOR VOORHEES.

New State Treasurer's Surety to Be Reported Today.

State House, Trenton, Feb. 26.—The bond of State Treasurer Daniel S. Voorhees, in the sum of $300,000, was read by Secretary Howard L. Tyler and approved by the Senate. The bondsmen are Edward Spath, Anthony R. Kuser, James H. McGraw, John S. Kuser, Moses K. Everett, David P. McClellan, John H. Capstick, David Young, John C. Eisele and George A. Squire.

In the House a special committee, composed of Abram Klenert, Alfred N. Barber and John J. Baader, was appointed to pass on the bond and report today.

Mae Wood Sues Platt Again.

New York, Feb. 26.—Suit has been brought in the Supreme Court of this city by Miss Mae Catherine Wood against United States Senator Thomas C. Platt, and there is every likelihood that it will create a sensation when it comes to trial. As the case now stands the complaint and the answer have been served, and unless the lawyers go into court with some motion the suit cannot be heard until it is reached on the calendar for trial. Miss Wood, who is at Colon, Mich., is quoted as saying: "I instituted divorce proceedings on December 27 last in New York against Senator Platt through my attorney, Mr. O'Flaharity. I have named sixteen women as co-respondents. The trial will disclose crimes of various kinds."

FEAR BROOK POLLUTION

Improvement Association Objects to City Making Sewage Contract.

HOSPITAL GETS $1,000

Allotment By Common Council For Care of Poor Patients—Money for Firemen's Fund.

Besides disposing of the liquor license applications and the police promotions, the Common Council transacted a large amount of routine business at the special meeting last night.

The Greenbrook Improvement Association, an organization composed of residents living just east of Bound Brook, presented a long communication protesting against any contract being entered into which will permit North Plainfield to empty sewage in the city contact beds. They asserted that it was likely to pollute Green Brook and endanger the health of the residents along the stream; also that the city and borough would be jointly held liable. The matter was referred to the committee on streets and sewers.

Residents of Berkeley avenue and Denmark road complained of lack of fire protection and as a started asked that an alarm box be located at the intersection of those thoroughfares. F. Ferbert asked permission to erect a one-story cement block building at 415 Park avenue to be used as an auto garage. Mr. Hibbard recommended that it be granted and it was referred to the fire and buildings committee. Another petition came from residents of Jackson avenue, between East Front and East Second streets, who feel that a hydrant is needed in that section.

An appropriation of $1,000 was made for the care of the city's patients at Muhlenberg Hospital for the coming year and $300 was fixed as the sum for keeping the city dumps in shape. An application from B. Fosgate to alter the building at 120 West Fourth street, owned by Bernard Mann, was granted and John J. Neylon was appointed a call man in the fire department to succeed Daniel Force, resigned.

On a resolution introduced by Mr. Hibbard, the theatre license collected for 1905 was turned over to the firemen's pension fund. It amounts to $50. Another resolution was introduced, ordering the publishing of the consolidation commission's notice in both city newspapers.

Mr. Hibbard introduced a resolution calling for the purchase of 1,000 feet of fire hose for the use of the city department, at a cost not to exceed ninety cents per feet. Mr. Buxton promptly oered an amendment to make it 2,000 feet and was seconded by Frank Randolph, but the amendment was lost. The resolution was carried as originally put.

WANT PAY FOR COUNCILMEN.

Orange Citizens Appear at Hearing at Trenton.

Trenton, Feb. 26.—The house committee on municipal corporations gave a hearing last night on Assemblyman Daniel J. Brady's bill, providing that common councils or governing bodies of cities may fix the salaries of their members, not exceeding $500 a year. City Counsel William A. Lord, Councilman E. Sperry and Arthur B. Seymour, of Orange, spoke. They favored a salary of $300 for aldermen. Orange Councilmen not get $2 a meeting, an average of $70 a year.

An informal discussion followed, and the matter will be decided at a later meeting.

Window Cleaners Killed.

New York, Feb. 26.—Miachel Kepeffy, thirty-one years old, employed by the Cosmopolitan Window Cleaning Company, while cleaning a window at No. 102 Warren street, slipped and fell five stories, crashed through a glass awning and died a few minutes later at the Hudson Street Hospital. Less than an hour later another cleaner, employed by the same company, at work at No. 15 Mercer street, slipped, and he fell to the street and was killed. It was his first day's work for the company and his name had not been obtained.

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DIED.

REYNOLDS—On Sunday, February 24, 1907, Ethel J., daughter of Hazelton C. and Lizzie F. Reynolds.

Funeral services at the residence of her parents, No. 75 Summit avenue, North Plainfield, on Wednesday, February 27, at 1 p. m. 2 25 2

CRAMER—On Saturday, Feb. 23, 1907, Margaret L., widow of Peter F. Cramer, in her 78th year.

Services at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. S. C. Baker, 440 West Fifth street, on Tuesday, February 27, at 2:30 p. m.

YATES—At Redlands, Cal., on Monday, Feb. 25, 1907, Sam J. Yates, formerly of Plainfield, N. J., son of Susan Jackson and the late Joseph W. Yates.

Notice of funeral hereafter. 2 26 3

BIRD—Sunday, Feb. 24, 1907, Levi, son of the late David and Jennett Bird.

Funeral services at his late residence, 183 Somerset street, on Wednesday, Feb. 27, at 3 p. m.

LAWS FOR CORPORATION OF JERSEY TRUSTS REVISED.

Orange New England Society Names Committee to Present Subject to the Legislature.

Orange, Feb. 26.—President Wilson Farrand, of the New England Society of the Oranges, has announced the following committee on revision of the corporation laws of New Jersey: Wilson Farrand, chairman ex-officio; Charles A. Boston, Frederick W. Kelsey, Alexander King, Lawrence A. Norton, the Rev. Adolph Roeder and Albridge C. Smith.

To this committee has been delegated the duty of going to Trenton this week to present a bill amending the corporation laws of the State in several particulars. The document will be the result of months of work on the part of the society, the members of which have gone over the corporation laws picking out the sections which authorize fraud and amending them so that stockholders and the general public will be protected.

Probably the most important amendments the committee will ask the Legislature to pass deals with the law authorizing the incorporation of holding companies. The society has adopted a resolution declaring in favor of an amendment of the statute so as to prevent absolutely the control of one company by another.

To prevent over-capitalization, it is proposed that the certificate of capital filed by a corporation must state the value of the real property of the corporation, and must show how much, if any, of the stock issue was for the purpose of paying dividends or for expenses incurred. There is also a section providing for the repeal of the iniquitous promoters' liability bill, in accordance with the bill Senator Colby tried to get through last year.

—For best results try The Daily Press.

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THE DAILY PRESS is not at liberty to give any information regarding advertisements that require an address in care of this office. Persons answering these ads. should mail or leave answers as stated in advertisements.

Help Wanted.

WANTED—Young girl for light housework; go home nights. 411 East Seventh St. 2 25 3

WANTED—At once, girls for general housework, cooks and waitresses; wages from $15 to $30. Apply Mrs. Andersen's Employment Office, 900 West Third St. 2 25 3

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at once at Mrs. Keller's Intelligence Office, 22 Somerset place. 12 29 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family. Apply 725 Hobart avenue. 2 25 3

WANTED—Experienced chambermaid and waitress (colored). 717 Watchung avenue. 2 25 tf

WANTED—At once, housekeeper (white). 418 East Second St. 2 26 2

WANTED—Young girl for nursemaid. 1402 Watchung Ave. 2 26 tf

WANTED—A white nurse girl for child four years old. Call 948 West Seventh St. 2 26 tf

WANTED—A cook. Apply at 129 Grove street, corner Park place, 26 2

WANTED—Boy about 16 years old; must come well recommended. Enquire Van Arsdale, 127 East Front St.

WANTED—White girl for general housework; no washing. Call afternoons, 955 West Sixth St. 1 24 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family; references. Call after 7 p. m., 230 East Seventh St. 2 25 3

WANTED—A capable woman to do general housework. Mrs. Rapalje, 724 Carlton avenue. 2 25 3

WORKING housekeeper wanted at once. Call Intelligence Office, 22 Somerset place. 2 25 3

WANTED—Drill hands. Aluminum Press Co., Dunellen, N. J. 21 tf

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework; family of three. 678 West Seventh St. 2 23 tf

GIRL wanted to cook, wash and iron; references required. Apply 526 West Seventh St. 1 29 tf

MACHINISTS—First class horizontal boring mill and lathe hands wanted at the Watson Stillman Co., Aldene, N. J. 2 23 7

WANTED—Nurse maid for two small children. Apply 129 Grove St. 2 23 3

WANTED — Experienced cook; white; reference required. Apply 1060 Central Ave. 2 4 tf

WANTED—Young colored man as butler and make himself generally useful. Apply 911 West Seventh St. 2 18 tf

Help Wanted.

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at once at Mrs. Day's Intelligence Office, South Plainfield, N. J. 2 9 tf

Lost and Found.

LOST—Boston terrier, brindle and white. Reward if returned to L. E. Waring, 120 West Seventh St. 2 26 3

LOST—A garnet bow knot pin. Reward if returned to L. F. Hersh & Bro., 126 East Fourth St. 2 25 3

LOST—Young Irish water Spaniel, in neighborhood of Netherwood. Reward for return to 1211 Putnam avenue. 2 25 tf

POOR girl will be grateful if the finder of her souvenir pocketbook will leave it at Daily Press office. It was lost yesterday noon while she walked from Fourth street and Park avenue to East bound railroad station and thence through tunnel to North avenue. It contained a sum of money and was given her by a dear relative now dead. 2 16 tf

Money to Loan.

TO LOAN on bond and mortgage, $3,000, also $3,500, on satisfactory risks. J. F. MacDonald, 149 North avenue. 1 31 tf

MONEY to loan, five per cent. gilt edge real estate. J. T. Vail. 1 14 tf

MONEY to loan at 5 per cent. on first mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot. tf

TO LOAN—Money on first mortgages at 5 per cent. V. W. Nash, Jr., 221 Park avenue. 6 27 tf

$4,000.00 TO LOAN on first bond and mortgage, on Plainfield property at five per cent. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin Building, East Front street. tf

TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street. tf

Real Estate Agents.

NEW HOUSES FOR SALE—Two elegant new houses on West Eighth street, 3 baths, large high lot, shade and every modern improvement; tile baths; three fine houses at Netherwood, every improvement, shade and high terraced lot; two fine new houses on West Seventh street, every improvement; best location; also 8-room house on Summit avenue, near Westervelt. Call and see plans, Manning or McIntyre, 163 North avenue, open evenings. 1 31 1m

FOR SALE—Fine new 10-room house situate on a high terraced lot, 100x250, in the best section of Netherwood; hard wood floors and trim. 2 tiled bath rooms, 3 fireplaces, steam heat; occupancy April 1; will finish to suit purchaser. Plans can be seen at the office of William H. Abbott, 163 North avenue; also have plans for several houses which I am erecting in other parts of the city; prices from $7,500 to $12,000. 1 29 1m

THOSE desirin to own a farm should consult one who has been selling farms for years, and he is yours truly, William Henry Rogers 136 Park avenue, Plainfield. telephone 44 tf

Rooms and Board.

TO LET—Furnished, two connecting rooms, to adults only; all improvements. 430 Orchard place. 26 2

WANTED—A young man who commutes daily desires room and board; North Plainfield preferred; terms moderate. Address H. R. J., Daily Press.

LARGE and small steam heated rooms to let, with board. M. B. Lindsay, 602 Central Ave. 2 23 6

TO LET—Three or four rooms, light housekeeping. Address Light, care Daily Press. 2 26 5

FOR RENT—Large sunny room; furnished; well heated; also small room adjoining; central location; improvements. Address Home, care Press office. 2 23 3

TWO fine connecting rooms and bath, with board, March first. 514 Madison avenue. 2 20 6

TWO large rooms to rent, with board. 110 East Fifth street, near Park avenue. 2 15 tf

GOOD accommodations; low rates. Boyce's Hotel, 97 Somerset St. tf

COMFORTABLE, well heated rooms, with excellent board; also table board; evening dinners a specialty. For terms call or address Mrs. A. L. Waldorf, 132 and 134 Crescent Ave. 2 8 tf

Chickens and Eggs.

WANTED—Two setting hens; good price paid. George Bridge, Fourth and Rock Ave. 2 26 3

FOR SALE—Universal 300-egg incubator. Address Merritt, Warrenville, N. J. 2 25 3

EGGS FOR SITTING—From one pen each of Buff, Black and White Orpingtons, related to our winners at $5 per dozen; also from White and Buff Leghorns, Barred Rocks and Rhode Island Reds at $2 per dozen; inspection invited. Sunswick Poultry Farm, South Plainfield, N. J., George J. May, manager. 2 18 1m

BLACK ORPINGTON COCKERELS AND PULLETS—A few choice ones for sale; fine shape and color; good enough to show; brothers to first prize winners at the late large shows; write for prices; eggs $5 per setting. Oak Tree Poultry and Game Farm, Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J. 1 21 tf

Miscellaneous.

MRS. BONY — High-class dressmaking; French models; fine work remodeling; moderate prices. 12 Stone St., North Plainfield. 2 25 1m

TO HIRE—Masquerade costumes. Jules Boutes, 226 East Front St.

INTERIOR and postal card pictures, family groups, lodges or anything in the picture line taken by G. Bishop, 324 West Second St. 2 25 3

DRESSMAKING, and the making of children's clothes. 120 Madison avenue, Jackson building, flat 18. 2 25 6

REMOVAL NOTICE—New York dental parlors removed to Woodhull & Martin building. 2 18 1m

DOGS and all kinds of pets boarded. 36 Raymond Ave. 2 21 1m

NEXT—We are next to station and next to bargain; bring in your bargain and be next to buyers. Ira L. LaRue, 152 North Ave. 1 8 tf

GENERAL typewriting and stenographer. Call at 33 Somerset street, N. Plainfield. A. G. Daudt. 2 2 1m

FREE! FREE! Six fine square pianos, for cost of tuning and carting only; great chance for beginners and others. Call at once, Hadley's piano salesrooms, 315 West Front St. 23 tf

DEAD animals removed. Ruckman Brothers, 204 Plainfield avenue, 'phone 415-L. 8 28 6m

P. F. LATOURETTE, auctioneer; sales promptly attended to; satisfaction guaranteed. 326 West Front St. 2 10 tf

BEFORE selling your furniture see Latourette, 326 West Front St. tf

BABIES crochet sacques for sale; all prices; also ladies' knitted sweaters made to order. Mrs. Mayer, 54 Pearl street, North Plainfield. tf

THE highest cash price paid for household goods, furniture, etc. Fred W. Hand, Auctioneer, 136 East Second street. 'Phone 1722. tf

Wanted—Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Saddle pony or small saddle horse. Address Saddle, care Press. 2 26 3 eod

WANTED—Combination billiard-pool table; give full particulars, present condition and lowest cash price. Address Combination, Press office. 2 25 6

WANTED—A milk route, about 100 quarts. Address N. B. Giles, Dunellen, N. J. 2 19 6 eod

WANTED—Old geese and duck feather beds; double other buyers' cash prices. Address C. F. Dickinson, General Delivery, Plainfield. 2 21 9

WANTED—$3,300 on first bond and mortgage. Address Improvement, care Daily Press. 2 23 3

I WANT to buy pony cart; must be cheap for cash. P. O. Box 301, Plainfield, N. J. 2 20 6

WILL care for good horse for the winter for use of same. Address Good Care, care Press. 10 6 tf

Situations Wanted.

I HAVE seven girls that want positions as cooks or general housework; five coachmen want work; good reference. Mrs. Day, South Plainfield.

GIRL wants place as general houseworker. Call 717 South Ave.

GIRL wants place as chambermaid; best of reference. Call Intelligence Office, 22 Somerset place. 25 3

COOK desires situation in Plainfield; first class references; written and personal; Swedish. A. Klaren, 116 East 56th St., New York city. 2 23 3

EXPERIENCED nursery governess wishes position; fond of children; capable, refined, highest personal references. Address Reliable, care Daily Press. 2 23 3

For Rent.

TO LET—Apartment, six large light rooms; all improvements, including heat, window shades and stair carpet; adults only; $24. 74 Jackson avenue, borough. 2 26 2

TWO houses, convenient to factories of the West End, for sale cheap; seventeen hundred each; terms easy. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset St. 2 26 3 eod

TO LET—March 1, 6-room flat; all improvements; $20. Charles H. Hand, 319 Watchung Ave. 2 25 2

THREE rooms for rent. 418 John St. 2 23 tf

FOR RENT—First-class steam heated apartment, containing 8 large light rooms and bathroom and all improvements; in perfect condition throughout; 4 minutes' walk to North Avenue R. R. station; ready for occupancy March 1; references required. For particulars address A. M. Lederer, city. 2 21 6

TO LET—Large, new store, No. 407 Watchung avenue. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin building. 9 24 tf

DENTIST office, heat, telephone, light, water, door attendance. 178 East Front street. 1 11 tf

For Sale.

RICH Jersey milk, fresh from the farm, for sale by C. Martin, 20 Grandview avenue; seven (7) cents a quart at dairy. 2 26 6

For Sale.

FOR SALE—Seven-room house in West End, one block from trolley; $1,800. Address House, care Daily Press. 2 16 tf

COUPE Rockaway, good condition, at a bargain; $65. Apply L. M. French, 36 Somerset St. 2 26 3

FOR SALE—Very desirable eight-room house; all improvements, gas and electric light; lot 40x170; possession May 1; a good bargain. J. T. Vail. 2 16 tf

HOUSES for sale, cash or installments; some to rent; lots for sale. Apply D. F. Dugan, 511 East Seventh street. 2 25 6

FOR SALE—Near Putnam avenue, 7 rooms; all improvements; $3,000. Ira L. LaRue, 152 North Ave. 2 23 6

$150 BUYS one of our good upright pianos; slightly used; good as new; fully guaranteed by Hallett & Davis Co.; will be on sale Monday, February 25, at our store, 176 East Front street; open evenings. 2 23 3

TO LET OR FOR SALE—No. 320 Somerset street, Plainfield, 12 rooms and bath; lot, 80 feet front, 420 feet deep. Inquire Leon Lauterstein, 60 Wall street, New York city. 2 26 2 tu s

FOR SALE—Roll top desk; new; can be bought cheap. Address Desk, Press office.

FOR SALE—Fish and oyster fixtures. Call 182 Somerset St. 2 23 3

FOR SALE—5x7 camera; complete; cost $45; will sell for $20. G. Bishop, 324 West Second St. 2 25 3

FOR SALE—Small farm near Plainfield. Address Owner, care Daily Press. 2 26 6

BLENHEIM pups, male and female; pedigreed; reasonable. Mrs. Meiggs, Benson place, Westfield. 16 7

HOUSE for sale at Netherwood, plans can be seen at my office. New house to let; ten rooms; all improvements; steam heat; $55 a month. Building lots for sale; cash or installments; when your lot is paid for I will build you a house. Charles Hand, 319 Watchung Ave. 2 14 1m

FOR SALE—A fine lot between Park and Watchung avenues, on Second street. M. F. Gano, 221 Park avenue. 2 5 tf

OLD PAPERS for sale; put up in packages of 100 copies for 10c. Apply at this office. tf

REAL ESTATE for sale, rent and exchange at bargain figures; insurance in strong companies at lowest rates; money t oloan at five per cent. Thickstun & Emmons, 197 North avenue. 9 28 tf

FOR SALE—House and lot on Webster place, near Watchung avenue; fine location; 8 rooms; all improvements. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

LOT FOR SALE on John street, near West Seventh, 50x150; fine location; will sell very reasonable. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

SODA fountains, many styles, new and second hand; bargain prices and easy terms; also wire furniture. Haussling Apparatus Co., 24 Arlington street, Newark, N. J. 2 12 2 m eod

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE—Houses and lots in all parts of the city; properties that I have picked up in trade that I can sell you for less than market prices; if you want to buy or have anything to sell come and see me. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

FOR SALE—Coal and lumber business, grocery, butcher, livery, trucking, automobile garage; all kinds of business bargains. Ira L. LaRue, next to station, next to bargain. 31 tf

A CHANCE for a working man to buy a home on West Second street; very little cash required. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

FARM, 24 acres, for sale, near Somerville, on macadam road; good buildings. McNabb, lawyer, 209 North avenue. 1 28 1m

FOR SALE—Seasoned cord wood; cut in lengths to suit purchaser; also mill slabing at $6 per cord; orders will be given prompt attention. John V. TenEyck & Son, P. O. Box 57, Metuchen, N. J. 1 8 3m

FOR SALE—Four lots on Westervelt avenue, near Front street; terms to suit. Apply 103 East Fourth St., near Park Ave., Bacon. 6 11 tf

FOR SALE—An elegant lot on East Second street, size 50x200 feet; close to town; just the spot for a good double house. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

FOR SALE—House and lot, on West Fourth street, near Grant avenue; 10 rooms, city water and toilet; rents for two families; a bargain for some one. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

FOR SALE—At one-half cost, 5-horse Westinghouse compound engine (Junior) in good condition; cost $250; our price $125. Call at Daily Press office.

FOR SALE OR FOR RENT—Several houses, stores and offices. J. P. W. Taylor, 102 North Ave. 12 20 tf

MR. OSBORNE FAVORS ABOLISHING DUNGEON.

Move Is Along Lines He Has Already Taken Up and Which Has Been Copied at Sing Sing.

Principal Keeper George O. Osborne of the New Jersey State prison is heartily in favor of removing the dark dungeons in the prison as provided by the bill introduced by Mr. Tumulty, of Hudson county, at the request of Speaker Lethbridge.

The bill was inspired by a lecture in East Orange recently by Mrs. Maybrick, who for many years was confined in prison in England on the charge of poisoning her husband. She has lectured all over the country and said New Jersey was one of the few states in the union which still permitted dungeons to be used.

When asked for his views on the bill yesterday by a reporter, Mr. Osborne said: "That bill will give me the power which I have longed for ever since I came to the institution, March 5, 1902. We need places for punishing men who refuse to work or obey the keepers. My idea of this is to keep them in solitary confinement away from the other prisoners, but with the proper convenience of light and air. I have remedied this partly by having windows placed in the basement of the tier on the east side. These windows open in the yard but are away from the other prisoners, and the only inconvenience a man suffers is isolation. The old dungeons were hard, dark cells and the only person the prisoner saw was the man who served him with his meals. There was neither light nor air and the man was compelled to sleep on the hard stone floor.

"I want plenty of light and air in these so-called dungeons. Solitary confinement will soon make a man submit to the rules and behave himself. The old style dungeons are horrifying holes and no matter how bad a prisoner has been I have always felt that some other punishment should be meeted out to him rather than confinement in such a place.

"The abolition of the lock-step, the stripes and the hair-shaving by me after I came has had its telling effect upon the men. One form of punishment here is to place a man back in stripes for a period of three months, and he must work his way back to the gray clothes by good behaviour. This good behaviour must be attested to by the shop deputy and the deputy directly over the man, that he has conducted himself in an orderly manner during that time.

"Sing Sing and other institutions have followed my precedent along these lines and they all report good results. I have found in my 30 years and more handling such persons as come to these institutions that treatment such as you would like yourself is the best means of persuasion, and nine cases out of ten you can conquer a man in this way rather than by dark and airless dungeons."

THE GENTLER SEX.

Sunday afternoon an Atchison young lady complained of sore and tired feet. She was so crippled that her father carried her up stairs. A few hours later she was invited to attend a dancing party that night. She not only went, but danced until 3 o'clock Sunday morning.—Atchison Globe.

In one of his essays Mr. Benson pictures a simple life as led by a charming and fashionable lady of his acquaintance. Although she was the possessor of several magnificent residences, she purchased a cottage in a secluded spot, furnished it in the most austere—and expensive—fashion, and several times a year motored down there with two or three friends to spend three days in simple living. The only signs of simplicity to the complex mind, Mr. Benson declares, were that there were only five courses at dinner and that two goats were tethered on the lawn. The goats were understood to be the seal and symbol of the simple life. No use was made of them, and they were decidedly in the way, but without them life would have become complicated at once.—Youth's Companion.

The intelligent women of Washington, and there are many, who are inclined to like politics, much after the manner of Lady Glencora Palliser, will find Mrs. James Bryce very entertaining. She is the daughter of a wealthy cotton spinning house, the Ashtons of Flowery Field, her father being one of those British manufacturers who flourished intellectually as well as pecuniarily in the time of Gladstone, Bright and Cobden. The Ashton daughters were brought up in an atmosphere of politics, when politics consisted especially of questions of principle and the houses of the northern and western captains of finance and industry resounded with argumentation heated in the fire of moral indignation. The women of that kind of family know about that kind of politics, and if any ladies in Washington are ready to discuss free trade, reciprocity, universal peace, woman suffrage or colonial problems Mrs. Brice will be a very stimulating lady for them to know. But perhaps they would not find her caring much for the personal fortunes of any statesman but Mr. Bryce. Besides, she is very pleasant to look upon.—Harper's Weekly.

TEMPLE AND HIS MOTHER.

"In the biography of Archbishop Temple, one of the most robust and masculine minds that ever sat in the throne of Canterbury, there is placed opposite the title page a photograph of Temple and his mother, taken when he was head master of Rugby," says Bishop Potter, in Harper's Bazar for March. "It was an intuition of genius that placed it there; for nobody can read the splendid story of Temple's life so resolute, so courageous, so untiring, without seeing that in that woman, humanely speaking, was his highest inspiration. It was not a great while before the widow of Captain Temple and the contributor to 'Essays and Reviews' drew apart, so far as their theological opinions were concerned; but never, through all his long and memorable life, was there in Temple the faintest movement of surrender of that high ideal of duty which his mother, long before, had taught him!

"Turn now, if you will, to the modern mother and the modern home. 'Oh, Tom, you must not bother me! I am dressing to go to the play, and your father is swearing downstairs that if I'm not ready in five minutes he will go without me!' Oh, mother, suppose that you had let him go without you, and had given your evening to your boy; perhaps the time would never have come when, a few years later, he sat at your table with coarse speech and averted eye, and went from it to companionship so vile and vicious that you dared not even think of them."

The Land of Opportunity.

Twenty-five years ago the cattle trade of Western Canada totaled twenty-five head. Now there are a million and a quarter animals grazing on these great pastures; just double that of two years ago. One-half of this number, it can be safely said, are cattle, the rest sheep and horses. An authority claims that there are not less than one hundred million acres of good grazing country in Canada's west. The figures are staggering, but they are no doubt true. The possibilities of stock-raising pass beyond the limits of mathematical computation. Horses, cattle and sheep winter out well, and in many sections no shelter is provided against the snow and winter cold, for the simple reason that none is needed.

A Big Calculation in Water.

The ocean, sea and lake surface of our planet is estimated at something like 145,000,000 square miles, with an average depth of 12,000 feet, and is calculated to contain not less than 3,270,600,000,000,000 tons of water. The rivers of the earth are estimated to have a flow sufficient to cover thirty-six cubic miles of the above area each day. Now, if all the oceans were suddenly dried and the rivers could keep up their present rate of flow, which, of course, they could not without ocean evaporation, it would take 3,500 years to fill the basin.

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"How impertinent! How dare you remember that?"

"And there was the snow storm and at the chapel porch last night. Neither you nor I had the slightest business there. But you spoke as though you understood what you must have heard, and you say you know Arthur Pickering. It is important for me to know—I have a right to know just what you meant by that warning."

Real distress showed in her face for an instant. The agent and his helpers rushed the last baggage down the platform as the rails hummed their warning of the approaching train.

Her Eyes Met Mine Easily; Their Azure Depths Puzzled Me.

"I was eavesdropping on my own account," she said hurriedly, and with a note of finality. "I was there by intention, and"—there was another hint of the tam-o'-shanter in the mirth that seemed to bubble for a moment in her throat—"it's too bad you did not see me, for I had on my prettiest gown, and the fog wasn't good for it. But you know as much of what was said as I do. You are a man, and I have heard that you have had some experience in taking care of yourself, Mr. Glenarm."

"To be sure; but there are times—"

"Yes, there are times when the odds seem rather *heavy.* I have noticed that myself."

She smiled, but for an instant a sad look came into her eyes—a look that vaguely but insistently suggested another time and place.

"I want you to come back," I said boldly, for the train was very near and I felt that the eyes of the Sisters were upon us. "You can not go away where I shall not find you!"

I did not know who this girl was, her home, or her relation to the school, but I knew that her life and mine had touched strangely; that her eyes were blue, and that her voice had called to me twice through the dark, in mockery once, and in warning another time, and that the sense of having seen her before, of having looked into her eyes haunted me. The youth in her was so luring; she was at once so frank and so guarded—breeding and the taste and training of an ampler world than that of Annandale were so evidenced in the witchery of her voice, in the grace and ease that marked her every motion, in the soft gray tone of hat, dress and gloves, that a new mood, a new hope and faith sang in my pulses. There, on that platform, I felt again the sweet heartache I had known as a boy, when spring first warmed the Vermont hillsides and the monutains sent the last snows singing in joy of their release down through the brook-beds and into the wakened heart of youth.

She met my eyes steadily.

"If I thought there was the slightest chance of my ever seeing you again I shouldn't be talking to you here. But I thought—I thought it would be good fun to see how you really talked to a grown-up. So I am risking the displeasure of these good Sisters just to test your conversational powers, Mr. Glenarm. You see how perfectly frank I am."

"But you forget that I can follow you; I don't intend to sit down in this hole and dream about you. You can't go anywhere but I shall follow and find you."

"That is finely spoken, Squire Glenarm! But I imagine you are hardly likely to go far from Glenarm very soon. I don't hesitate to say that I feel perfectly safe from pursuit!"—and she laughed her little low laugh that was delicious in its mockery.

I felt the blood mounting to my cheek. She knew, then, that I was virtually a prisoner at Glenarm, and for once in my life, at least, I was ashamed of my folly that had caused my grandfather to hold and check me from the grave, as he had never been able to control me in his life. The countryside knew why I was at Glenarm, and that did not matter, but my heart rebelled at the thought that this girl knew and mocked me with her knowledge.

"I shall follow and find you," I repeated. "I shall see you Christmas eve," I said, "wherever you may be."

"In three days! Then you will come to my Christmas eve party. I shall be delighted to see you,—and flattered! Just think of throwing away a fortune to satisfy one's curiosity! I'm surprised at you, but gratified, on the whole, Mr. Glenarm!"

"I will give more than a fortune; I will give the honor I have pledged to my grandfather's memory to hear your voice again."

"That is a great deal,—for so small a voice; but money, fortune! A man will risk his honor readily enough, but his fortune is a more serious matter. I'm sorry we shall not meet again. It would be pleasant to discuss the subject further. It interests me particularly."

"In three days I shall see you," I said.

She was instantly grave.

"No! Please do not try. It would be a very great mistake. And, anyhow, you can hardly come to my party without being invited."

"That matter is closed. Wherever you are on Christmas eve I shall find you," I said, and felt my heart leap, knowing that I meant what I said.

"Good-by," she said, turning away. "I'm sorry I shan't ever chase rabbits at Glenarm any more."

"Or paddle a canoe, or play wonderful celestial music on the organ."

"Or be an eavesdropper or hear pleasant words from the master of Glenarm—"

"But I don't know where you are going—you haven't told me anything—you are slipping out into the world—"

She did not hear or would not answer. The train roared up to the platform, and she was at once surrounded by a laughing throng of departing students. Two brown-robed Sisters stood like sentinels, one at either side, as she stepped into the car. I was conscious of a feeling that from the depths of their hoods they regarded me with un-Christian disdain. Through the windows I could see the students fluttering to seats, and the girl in gray seemed to be marshaling them. The gray hat appeared at a window for an instant, and her smiling face gladdened, I am sure, the guardians of the peace at St. Agatha's.

The last trunk crashed into the baggage car, every window framed a girl's face, and the train was gone.

CHAPTER XVI.
The Passing of Olivia.

It was from Stoddard that I learned the truth about Olivia, and I am not, I fear, greatly ashamed of hiving invited him to dinner merely to pump him as to the Armstrongs of Cincinnati and their daughter. Olivia's father, Stoddard informed me, was a retired physician of wealth, who lived at Walnut Hills. I can hear now the great roars of laughter that broke from him as I kept protesting that the girl in gray I had seen at the Annandale station was Olivia Gladys Armstrong. It was only when we settled down to a comparison of our impressions that the truth gradually dawned upon me—that the girl in gray was not Olivia Gladys Armstrong but Marian Devereux. The whole thing was ridiculous—my density, my stupid acceptance of the ground on which Marian Devereux had chosen to meet me; and I was not convinced until the big chaplain had given me a circumstantial description of the real Olivia—a child of 15, with a gypsy face and dark hair and eyes.

"Where has Miss Devereux gone?"

"Why, to Cincinnati, with Olivia Gladys Armstrong," he answered. "They's great chums, you know."

On top of my mail next morning lay a small envelope, unstamped, and addressed to me in a free running hand.

"Ferguson, the gardner, left it," explained Bates.

I opened and read:

"If convenient will Mr. Glenarm kindly look in at St. Agatha's some day this week at four o'clock. Sister Theresa wishes to see him."

I whistled softly. My feelings toward Sister Theresa had been those of utter repugnance and antagonism. I had been avoiding her studiously and was not a little surprised that she should seek an interview with me. Quite possibly she wished to inquire how soon I expected to abandon Glenarm House; or perhaps she wished to admonish me as to the perils of my soul. In any event I liked the quality of her note and I was curious to know why she sent for me; moreover, Marian Devereux was her niece and this knowledge had changed my attitude toward the institution beyond the wall.

At four o'clock I passed into St. Agatha's territory and rang the bell at the door of the building where I had left Olivia the evening I found her in the chapel. A Sister admitted me, led the way to a small reception room where, I imagined, the visiting parent was received, and left me. I felt a good deal like a school boy who has been summoned before a severe master for discipline. I was idly beating my hat with my gloves when a quick step sounded in the hall and instantly a brown-clad figure appeared in the doorway.

It was a deep, rich voice, a voice of assurance, a voice, let me say, of the world—the voice, too, I may add, of a woman who is likely to come to the point without ado. The white band at her forehead brought into relief two wonderful gray eyes that were alight with kindliness. She surveyed me a moment, then her lips parted with a smile.

"This room is rather forbidding; if you will come with me—"

She turned with an air of authority that was a part of her undeniable distinction, and I was seated a moment later in a pretty sitting room whose windows gave a view of the dark winter wood and frozen lake beyond.

"I'm afraid, Mr. Glenarm, that you are not disposed to be neighborly, and you must pardon me if I seem to be pursuing you."

Her smile, her voice, her manner were charming. I had pictured her a sour old woman, who had hidden away from a world that had offered her no pleasure.

"The apologies must all be on my side, Sister Theresa. I have been greatly occupied since coming here—distressed and perplexed, even."

"Our young ladies treasure the illusion that there are ghosts in your house," she said, with a smile that disposed of the matter.

She folded her slim white hands and spoke with simple directness.

"Mr. Glenarm, there is something I wish to ask you, but I can say it only if we are to be friends. I have feared you might look upon us here as enemies."

"That is a strong word," I replied evasively.

"Let me say to you that I hope very much that nothing will prevent your inheriting all that Mr. Glenarm wished you to have from him."

"Thank you; that is both kind and generous," I said with no little surprise.

"Not in the least. I should be disloyal to your grandfather, who was my friend and the friend of my family if I did not feel kindly toward you and wish you well. And I must say for my niece—"

"Miss Devereux." I found a certain pleasure in pronouncing her name.

"Miss Devereux is very greatly disturbed over the good intentions of your grandfather in placing her name in his will. You can doubtless understand how uncomfortable a person of any sensibility would be under the circumstances. I'm sorry you have never met her. She is a very charming young lady whose happiness does not, I may say, depend on other people's money."

She had never told, then! I smiled at the recollection of our interviews.

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Dated February 18, 1907.

JAMES C. POPE,
FRANK A. POPE,
HOWARD A. POPE,
2 19 oaw 5 tu Executors, etc.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SETTLEMENT—Notice is hereby given, That the account of the subscriber, administrator of John C. Meeker, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the thirteenth day of March next.

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Red Bank, Feb. 26.—Commissioner Robert T. Smith and Mrs. James Brown were married Sunday night, and their wedding is the sequel to a romance. Ten years ago Miss Elizabeth T. Reed was married to James Brown, who at that time conducted a grocery store at Little Silver. Because Mrs. Maria A. Coburn, Miss Reed's aunt, objected to Brown's suit, she was for a long while kept in ignorance of the wedding. The couple did not live together, and finally Brown, tiring of that sort of a married life, concluded to let the cat out of the bag.

His wife, however, got him to change his mind, for a time at least. A few years later Brown made the marriage public, and the announcement made quite a stir. A short time afterward Mrs. Brown instituted proceedings for divorce from Brown on the ground of desertion. Two weeks ago Brown died at the Long Branch Hospital, thus ending the divorce proceedings. Last Wednesday morning Mrs. Maria Coburn, the aunt, died. Last night Mrs. Brown and Commissioner Smith were married by Rev. Alfred Wagg, pastor of the First Methodist church. A few of Mrs. Brown's relatives witnessed the ceremony.

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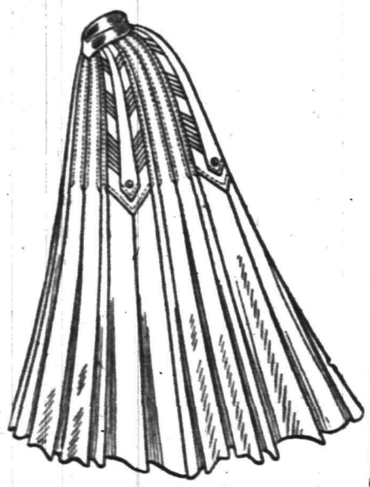

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There was only one lower place left open for the Y. M. C. A. basketball team when the league game against Passaic opened last night and the Plainfielders promptly fell into it. Passaic won, 29 to 20, and Plainfield is tied for last last place with Rahways. The pessimistic followers of the five see no hope of its ever getting up out of the cellar.

Plainfield played pluckily and well the first half, and led their opponents by 11 to 8 at its close, but Passaic had all the best of it in the second half in form and performance. Collier made a good showing for Plainfield.

The line-up:

Plainfield.	Passaic.
Collier	Toulns
Gilmore	Powers
forward	
Aalholm	Thorpe
centre	
Loizeaux	Strange
Gavett	Horton
guard	

The second team also played to form, and won. The colts had a close battle to keep them busy, but were never in serious danger of losing.

The line-up:

Plainfield.	Passaic.
Templin	Walker
Line	Horton
forward	
Gavett	Joerger
centre	
Miner	Stroyer
Rumsey	Crawbuck
guard	

ROBBED EMPLOYERS.

Arrest of Two Lithograph Company Employees is Sequel to Thefts.

Elizabeth, Feb. 26.—On a charge of robbing the United States Lithograph Company, two of its employees were arraigned in the Elizabeth Police Court before Judge Mahon yesterday. The prisoners, Frederick Crogue, thirty-six years old, who was engineer of the concern, and Michael Cooney, twenty-eight years old, who was boss steamfitter at the plant, were arrested last Saturday afternoon by Police Captain O'Leary on a complaint made by Superintendent Lee, of the company.

Later, the police say, the men confessed their guilt and implicated Clement G. Lambert, who runs a small machine shop at 447 East Jersey street, Elizabethport. The latter, the prisoners declared, according to the authorities, was a receiver of the stolen goods. The articles missing consist chiefly of brass valves, journals and other machine fittings. The men were bailed to await the grand jury's action.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The phonograph concert given in Bethel chapel on the night of Washington's Birthday as a benefit for Joseph H. Jones, has netted about $25. Joseph Jones graduated from the city High School last June and is now a freshman at Oberlin College.

The combined choirs of the First M. E. church, this city, and the Presbyterian church, Westfield, will render West's cantata, "Love and Praise," at the Presbyterian church, Westfield, Sunday afternoon, and at the First M. E. church here Sunday night, under the direction of J. Edmund Skiff, organist and choirmaster. The cantata will occupy the whole evening.

The music committee of the First M. E. church has practically decided upon the music for the coming year. J. Edmund Skiff, the present organist and choirmaster, will continue for another year and the vested choir will also be engaged as at present. This form of music has appealed to the members of the church as the best for congregational singing and solo work. The church year will not be up until May 1, but a decision is generally reached at this time of the year to provide against any contingencies that might arise on either side.

YORK, PA., TROOPS NOT THE FIRST TO RESPOND.

Company A of Trenton Was Mustered Into Service Day After President Lincoln's Call.

Dr. Carlos E. Godfrey, historical attache of the adjutant general's department at the State house, has taken exception to a claim for fire defenders' medals which has been made by the members of the old Worth infantry of York, Pa.

The Worth troopers base their claim for such recognition on the minutes of their company, which show that they went into service April 20, 1861, five days after President Lincoln's call for troops to protect the union from secession, asserting that this record makes them the first to respond.

Dr. Godfrey produces records to show that Company A of the National Guard of New Jersey, composed of Trenton men, was sworn into the Federal service April 16, 1861, the morning following the call of Lincoln, and that command was immediately pressed into service to guard the arsenal in Trenton.

This, he asserts, was the first response to the call by any organization in the United States. The members of Company A would have been sworn into service the day the call was issued but for the fact that the news that troops were desired did not reach this city until nightfall.

Dr. Godfrey further claims that the York men are not even the first in the own State to respond to the call. He says the 25th Pennsylvania infantry marched into Washington, under orders, April 18, two days previous to the swearing in the York command.

New Jersey has already provided first defender's medals for the members of Company A, and these emblems are now being worn in many parts of the country where they have been sent to survivors of the old command.

Company A, as an organization, is still in existence, it having later become a part of the reorganized national guard, and is now a part of the Second Regiment. Its early records and muster rolls have been carefully preserved.

Peary Coming.

A trip to the North Pole with Peary in an entirely new illustrated lecture at the Plainfield theatre, Monday evening, March 4, is the next most important attraction for the Plainfield public. The relating of Commander Peary's most thrilling experiences in his efforts to reach the North Pole together with his realistic views of scenes of interest present a lecture most entertaining. The theatre will without doubt be filled by a large an appreciative audience as a big advance sale is being made.

Entertained Crokinole Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur V. Austin, of West Sixth street, entertained the S 1 6 Crokinole Club at their home last night. The women's prize was won by Mrs. Austin and the men's by Raymond E. Miller. Refreshments were served by the hostess and the remainder of the evening was spent in singing and dancing.

Leal's School Competition.

The Leal's school boys met in the high jump event in the championship competition yesterday afternoon. Averill won, jumping 4 feet 9½ inches. Gluck was second, 4 feet 2½ inches and Rushmore, Campbell and Lawrence were tied for third place with 3 feet 10 inches.

Levi Bird's Funeral.

The funeral of Levi Bird, who died at his home on Somerset street, Sunday, will be held at the house tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Addressed Americus Banquet.

James E. Martine made an address last night at the annual banquet of the Americus Club at Camden.

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Central Lodge, No. 48, A. O. U. W., will hold a "ladies' night" entertainment on Thursday night at 8 o'clock.

OBITUARY.

Richard C. Barkalew.

Richard C. Barkalew, who was born in this city and lived here until about twenty years ago, died suddenly at his home at 26 Chestnut street, Newark, yesterday morning. He was conversing with his wife when he was suddenly stricken with heart trouble and passed away within a few minutes. Mr. Barkalew was seventy-three years old and was a mason by trade, but had amassed sufficient means to live a retired life. He was one of the charter members of the old Gazelle Engine Company, No. 1, and when he left Plainfield was well known in every part of the city. He was a brother to L. E. Barkalew, of Duerr street, but leaves no family beside his wife. The funeral will be held at his late home tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Sam Yatss.

Word has been received here of the death at Redlands, California, of Sam. Yates, son of the late Joseph W. Yates, of East Seventh street, which occurred yesterday at that place. No particulars have as yet been learned. Mr. Yates was a former resident of Plainfield and spent his younger days here. After locating in California he occasionally visited his former home for brief periods.

Mrs. Margaret L. Cramer.

Mrs. Margaret L. Cramer, widow of Peter F. Cramer, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. S. C. Baker, of West Fifth street, Saturday. She was in her seventy-eighth year. The funeral will be held at Mrs. Baker's home this afternoon.

JOHN J. GOFF GETS A NEW TRIAL GRANTED.

Fined $1,000 but Supreme Court Sends Case Back to County Court.

The Supreme Court yesterday granted the petition of John J. Goff, of this city, for a new trial, and Prosecutor English will probably move for the new trial at the May term. The petition was granted on a technicality.

Mr. Goff was indicted on a charge of keeping a disorderly house under the common law form which charged gambling, selling liquor on Sunday and that of dissolute women frequenting his place. At the trial Lawyer Wilson, who represented Mr. Goff, requested the court to charge the jury that if the only offense proved by the evidence was that of selling without a license that it could not convict. This the court refused to do, and the Supreme Court has now decided that the trial court was in error in not so charging the jury. Goff had been fined $1,000.

Funeral of Mrs. G. F. Odiorne.

The funeral services of Mrs. George F. Odiorne were held from the late home on Madison avenue, yesterday afternoon. Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss officiated. Charles L. Lewis sang two selections. The pallbearers were Winfield S. Angleman, G. W. V. Moy, Millard F. Elderton, John R. Truell, Warren Marsh and John J. Randolph. The remains were placed in the receiving vault at Hillside cemetery.

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30 with 1 lb of our Delicious Coffee 30c
25 with 1 lb of our Best Coffee 25c
20 with 1 package A&P Cleaned Currants 12c
15 with 1 package Grandmother's Breakfast Flakes 10c
10 with 1 can Strawberries 10c
10 with 1 package Atlantic Toilet Paper (flat) 10c
10 with 1 can Sardines 5c
10 with 1 package IXL Laundry Starch 9c
10 with 1 cake Pumex 5c
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HIS EARS WIDE OPEN

Saturday Evening Post Says Union County Statesman Is the Ever-Present Man in the Senate.

The word portrait of John Kean, of Elizabeth, in the current number of the Saturday Evening Post is a most lifelike painting in prose of the senior Senator from New Jersey, and as it will prove interesting to Plainfielders who help him draw dividends by patronizing his water works and who aid in keeping him in political power by voting his ticket at election times, it is herewith reproduced by permission of the editors of that excellent weekly publication:

"Naturally, the Boss of the United States Senate needs legs and ears. Nor is this statement to be taken to mean that Nelson W. Aldrich, of Rhode Island, who holds that powerful job, has not a full assortment, personally, according to correct physiological standards. What is means is that he needs extra ears and extra legs, and being a good, experienced handy boss, with a card from the bosses' union, he has provided himself skillfully.

"The legs are Murray A. Crane, Senator from Massachusetts, and the ears are John Kean, Senator from New Jersey. It is of the sharpness of the ears, rather than the cavortings of the legs, that this chronicle is writen, for, whatever the possibilities of the legs, they are of little use unless the ears have heard something that furnishes work for the legs to do.

"There are men who invite confidence, and men who repel it. John Kean always has cards out to all the world to come and tell him troubles. Superficially, he seems to be a Professional Genial, with no other mission than to weep with you, laugh with you, and present the hearty handclasp that means so much when you have a cargo of thought that must be unloaded on some friendly dock. John Kean has a winning way with him. Four minutes after you have met him you are telling him your real name, how much you owe the bank, where you intend to spend the summer, and how much trouble your daughter is having bringing her children through the heated spell.

"You can't escape it. John Kean is a natural receptacle for all sorts of confidences, and, while you may know it and resolve to be most conventional in your conversation, very soon you are looking on Kean as your original and personal rock, and you are clinging to him with a frenzied grip and simply forcing him to hear all your hopes, fears and aspirations.

"Still, he doesn't need to be forced. He likes it. It is meat and drink to Kean to potter around and talk to people, and he will talk on any subject that may occur to you. If he wanted to, Kean could be the Pepys of this period, for there is no gossip he doesn't know, and no policy he has not the inside of, no motive that has not been explained to him fully, generallly by men who are afraid to let themselves know what their honest thoughts are.

"There is no eavesdropping about it, no spying about it. Kean simply mingles with everybody and hears everything. He permeates. Whenever there is a measure up in the Senate that is vital, and there appears to be opposition to it, Kean starts out to find where the opposition is, what it is and why it is. Aldrich is a kindly enough person, and is likable and all that, but there are many Senators who will not tell him what they intend to do. Everybody will tell Kean, and everybody knows that Kean is finding out for Aldrich, but nobody protests and all confess. It is only John Kean, you know, who is gossiping with them, and, being human, the average Senator likes to gossip back.

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"Only John Kean—simple soul, genial, kindly, sharer of troubles, helper over rough places, bearer of burdens—only John Kean—simple soul! Ah, yes; simple soul. Simple as a fox! Absolutely as unsophisticated as Kean, who has been successful in New Jersey politics and business for thirty years, where unsophistication grows on the trees. Nothing on his mind but interest in the tittle-tattle. Certainly not! Nothing but that and his hair, and as acute an appreciation of what is going on in the Senate and what is needed by the ruling coterie as any member of that coterie, and more acute than most. Oh, simple John!

"When you go into the galleries of the Senate and look down on the statesmen you will always find John Kean in his seat or in the chamber. If there are only a dozen Senators there, Kean is one of them. If there

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"LONGFELLOW DAY" IS OBSERVED BY PUPILS

FATHER BOGAN REHEARSES AUTHOR'S LIFE AT ST. MARY'S SCHOOL.

At St. Mary's School today the pupils of the higher grades observed "Longfellow Day" with a programme of musical and poetical selections from the author's work. A synopsis of the poet's life formed the theme for the introductory remarks of Father Bogan, who presided at the gathering. "My words," he said, "are but the echo of the common tribute of a Nation's aectionate appreciation. The literary style to which a knowledge of Longfellow contributes, need never be purchased at the price of intellectual decency. With the gentle poet as your guide you need never fear the relevations 'close to nature,' for to his eyes Nature turns a face of innocence whose eyes the blue-eyed violets are, and whose rippling rills, the laughter that tells of eternal Spring. Yet, when care and sorrow meet advancing years, he speaks with gentlest sympathy these consoling words:

"These severe afflictions
Not from the ground arise,
But oftentimes celestial benedictions
Assume this dark disguise."

The following programme was rendered: Overture, piano, Miss Mary Agnes Smith; Psalms of Life, Frank Casey; The Builders, Alice Murphy; violin solo, Evangeline, Elizabeth Schuck; The Children's Hour, Madeline Seaman; The Building of the Ship, Frank Hand; chorus, selected, Children of Higher Grades; Footsteps of Angels, Bessie Parent; Sunrise on the Hills, Francis Donnelly; closing chorus, Children's Choir.

MRS. MARSHALL-SMITH AND VAN EPPS ENTERTAIN.

Enjoyable Affair Under the Auspices of Young People of Crescent Avenue Church.

Mrs. Minnie Marshall-Smith, well-known here as a reader, assisted by her husband, Frank Smith, Fred and Willi VanEps, banjo and mandolin players, accompanied by Harry Wetton, pianist, presented a select and enjoyable programme at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, last night, under the auspices of the Young People's Association. The chapel was well filled with members and friends of the association and the affair was a success financially and otherwise.

Mrs. Smith gave four numbers and was obliged to respond to an encore each time. Mr. Smith accompanied her on the piano in some of her recitations, which were interspersed by banjo and mandolin selections, which were also encored. After the entertainment refreshments were served.

Silver Anniversary Arranged.

The Women's Home Missionary Society of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will celebrate its twenty-fifth anniversary Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the church parlors. Reports of the society's progress will be made and there will be an address by Mrs. D. E. Ward, of the Women's Board, and Mrs. Crane, president of the Presbyterial Society, is expected to be present. The twenty-fifth anniversary offering will be devoted to the work of the Women's Board. The meeting will be followed by a social half-hour.

Rev. S. D. Davis Dead.

Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis left today for West Virginia to attend the funeral of Rev. S. D. Davis, the father of B. C. Davis, president of Alfred University. For many years Rev. Mr. Davis was pastor at Lost Creek and Salem, W. Va., and shortly after the war Dr. Lewis was associated with him in his work. Mr. Davis was loyal to the Union during the Civil War and as a result had many thrilling experiences in the region where he lived.

P. H. S. Play Committee.

The committee for arrangements of the senior play of the Plainfield High School was elected yesterday and consists of the president, William Douglas; the Misses Helen Johnson, Gertrude Abbott and Mabel Cubberley; Joseph Van Deventer and Weston Gavett.

Six Take the Examination.

A class of six men took the postal civil service examination at the post-office on Saturday, for positions of clerks and carriers. At present there are no substitutes and in case of illness in the regular force the service would be handicapped.

Relief for the Chinese Sufferers.

Mrs. S. S. Higgins, teacher in the public school at Watchung, recently raised $2.50 among the pupils of the grammar grade for the Chinese sufferers, to be sent through the Christian Herald agency.

—Delicious Florida strawberries are received at Neuman Brothers' fresh each day. Lots of other fancy fruits and vegetables.

REDMEN WILL GATHER

Great Council to Begin Annual Meeting In Trenton Tomorrow.

JUDGE NEWCORN GOING

He Will Head Plainfield Delegation, Being Past Great Sachem, and Will Report For Committee on State Legislation.

Judge William N. Newcorn, past great sachem of the order, will head a delegation of Indians at the session of the Great Council, which will meet in Trenton tomorrow, for the fifty-sixth time. Redmen from all parts of the State will assemble at the State capital to take part in the meeting. Judge Newcorn will present a report on the fate of the bills for the advancement of secret societies presented at the last session of the State Legislature.

The Redmen will convene in the Trenton Y. M. C. A. Hall tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock, and continue sessions for two days. The order is the second in point of membership in the State, and it is expected that over 400 past sachems will be in attendance at the session. There is much important business to be acted upon this year.

The officers who will serve at the session are: Great prophet, Herbert F. Stetser, Gloucester City; great sachem, Charles Thompson, Atlantic City; great senior sagamore, Frank Jackson, Camden; great junior sagamore, Emile W. Schabilon, Hackensack; great chief of records, Daniel M. Stevens, Camden; great keeper of wampum, William J. Smythe, Long Branch; great sannap, Harry J. Rathbone, Trenton.

The council will be honored by the visit of Past Great Incohonee Robert T. Daniel, of Griffin, Ga., who is considered one of the most learned members of the order in the United States, and who will represent Great Incohonee W. A. S. Bird, of Kansas, who is a member of the State Legislature and cannot attend, as the Legislature is in session.

Great Prophet John W. Cherry, of Norfolk, Va., and Great Chief of Records Thomas K. Donnolly, of Pennsylvania, have also accepted invitations to attend.

A feature of the session will be the reports of Great Sachem Thompson, Great Chief of Records Stevens, Great Keeper of Wampum Smythe and the finance committee.

Great Sachem Thompson will show that the order had a prosperous year, and that the Legislative Committee appointed at the last session was successful in having laws adopted by the State Legislature last year making it a misdemeanor to wear the emblem or use the ritualistic work of any incorporated fraternal organization when not a member.

Great Chief of Records Stevens this year finishes his twenty-first year in that capacity, and his report, reviewing the work during that length of time, will show that the organization has increased in membership from 5,911 to 26,064; that during that time only three years did the order lose in membership, and that was during the general depression in business, when all organizations lost heavily in membership; that the total wealth of the tribes had increased from $77,569 to $522,432,81, and that this year the order increased in membership nearly 1,000. The average increase in membership is nearly 1,000 a year, which is claimed to be the best record of any organization in the State.

Great Keeper of Wampum Smythe's financial report will be as follows: General fund, receipts, $12,964.73; disbursements, $7,759.22, leaving a balance on hand of $5,205.51; old men's fund, receipts, $2,124.91; disbursements, $78; balance, $2,046.91; orphans' fund, receipts, $2,563.65; disbursements, $1,260.75; balance, $1,303.20.

Bible Class League.

There were three games in the Bible class basketball league at the Y. M. C. A. yesterday afternoon. The Crows defeated the Eagles, the Hawks carried off the Storks, and the Crows feasted on the Hawks. By that ornithologically revolutionary victory—did that knock anybody's eye out?—the Crows assumed first place. They are likely to keep to the high latitudes right along.

To Publish Laws in Newspapers.

Senator Joseph T. Frelinghuysen, under the head of miscellaneous business, introduced a bill in the Senate yesterday which provides for the publication of the State laws in the newspapers. He also called for Senate bill concerning the State sanitarium on tuberculosis diseases, and at his suggestion it was placed on second reading.

—Neuman Brothers make a specialty of fresh picked mushrooms. They are also displaying Florida strawberries.

PERMITS DISSECTION OF DEAD BODIES

SENATOR ACKERMAN SECURES PASSAGE OF BILL FOR MEDICAL SCIENCE.

At the request of Dr. F. C. Ard and a number of other physicians in this city and throughout the State, Senator Ernest R. Ackerman introduced a bill incorporating pathological and anatomical associations to whom institutions may deliver dead bodies not claimed by relatives.

The measure was passed yesterday. There has been no State law which would give physicians the right to use dead bodies for dissection in the interest of medical science and it has been their hope that such a law be passed, conforming to those in force in other States.

The bill provides that dissection shall be conducted under proper rules and restrictions, and the measure is drafted purely in the interest of medical science. The petition ruging the adoption of the bill was signed by thirty physicians.

"PEASANT BOY" CAST SELECTED BY AUTHOR.

Comic Opera Plot a Good One—Tallamy As the Prince.

"A Peasant Boy," a comic opera in three acts, by William E. MacClymont, organist and choirmaster at Grace church, will be given its premiere production in May at the Casino, elaborate arrangements now being made for the event. Mr. MacClymont has made nearly all of the selections for the principal parts, those decided upon being Mrs. Theodore Mantz, as the leading soprano; Miss Margaret Yaeger, William N. Runyon as the valet to the prince; William Tallamy as the prince; Joseph C. Martin and Bayard Hawthorne. The words of the opera are by Dr. Charles A. Clinton, of New York, who was a school-mate of Mr. MacClymont. Several New York managers, it is said, have heard the score and are favorably impressed with it.

The scene is laid in the south of France and the opera opens in a village square showing a mill in the distance. The peasants discover the fact that the miller is determined to marry his daughter to a certain wealthy young man because of his money. The daughter dislikes her father's choice. At this juncture the prince arrives at the village, travelling "incog," accompanied only by his valet. The prince's father has disowned him from home and he is roaming about. The miller's daughter at once falls deeply in love with him, though she thinks he is a peasant. Subsequently the prince's father finds out he had wronged his son by sending him from home and he issues a proclamation in an effort to find him.

In the meantime the peasant, who is the choice of the miller for his daughter's hand in marriage, trumps up a flimsy charge and has the prince put in jail. The valet dons his master's clothes and appears as the real prince. When the king locates his son he is surprised to see the valet masquerading as his offspring, but through the efforts of his valet he gets out of jail and is proven to be the true prince. The miller's daughter, who is an adopted child, turns out to be a relative of the king's family and of equal station with his son. Of course, as in all love stories, the prince becomes the husband of the miller's daughter.

K. G. E. OBSERVANCE.

Freedom Castle Holds a Musicale to Celebrate Sixth Birthday.

Freedom Castle, K. G. E., observed its sixth anniversary last night, with a musicale. The lodge room was filled with members and their feminine relatives and friends.

The programme included selections by the K. G. E. orchestra, composed of Dr. J. Hervey Buchanan, Mr. A. Korff, L. A. Hummer, Jr., and Ernest Higham; songs by Mrs. C. M. Nagle and addresses by Grand Chief Kirby, of Bridgeton; Grand Vice Chief Condit and Past Grand Chief McKenny, of Philadelphia. The latter made a speech notable for its eloquence. The members were still commenting on it this morning.

The anniversary committee was made up of Dr. J. H. Buchanan, Edward Schmeyer, R. V. Kinney, Raymond Carver and Walter Randall.

Rudolph Buck Operated Upon.

Rudolph Buck, of West Front street, who has been suffering from the effects of a needle in the arm, which found its way there while he was putting on a coat several days ago, underwent an operation at the hospital today for the removal of the small piece of steel. By aid of the X-Ray machine the needle was located imbedded near the elbow and a photograph of it was taken a day or two ago. Dr. W. H. Murray performed the operation, assisted by Dr. Hervey Buchanan.

BOARD BILL OF A HORSE

Liveryman George Cole Having an Interesting Time Collecting It.

ANIMAL AN INVALID

Made So By a P. S. C. Trolley Car But Company Won't Pay; Horse's Former Owner Disclaimed Title To It.

This is the tale of a horse; an ordinary, every day member of the equine family that did the best it knew how as a beast of burden, but has involved the gigantic Public Service Corporation, the city of Plainfield, a liveryman and its owner in a mix-up.

The horse was one of a team belonging to John King, of Bound Brook, which was struck by a P. S. C. trolley car on West Front street early in the winter. One of the animals was killed and the survivor was taken by the police and placed in George Cole's stables on West Second street. It was somewhat crippled but gave evidences of lots of vitality and would undoubtedly be all right if given proper care.

King and the trolley company argued long and excitedly as to who was to blame for the collision and, of course, as to whether the Bound Brook man was to receive damages. In the end, the P. S. C. claims agent agreed to give King a certain amount but specified that he should take the horse at Cole's. The latter, it must be remembered, was giving the animal the care it needed.

King consented and got his money but he might have taken a long trip through the alfalfa district so far as anyone knew for he disappeared from these regions. Cole got anxious and talked with the trolley people but they said "See King, we've settled with him." Seeing King was another matter so Cole had a consultation with the police department. You understand, of course, that the horse was getting the care and it costs money to hand it out in the form of grooming and oats.

The police informed the liveryman that they had forgotten all about the matter and that they believed the P. S. C. would stand good. Of course, they said, they knew they had put the horse there until the owner had gotten straightened out after the collision and so far as they were concerned the incident was closed. Not so with Cole, however, as the animal was still getting its care and waxing fat on fine oats and hay at his stable.

The care-giver finally concluded the only thing o do was to sell the horse and he advertised the fact according to law. It was put at auction by Justice H. K. Hand Monday afternoon and brought the munificent sum of $23, a significant figure from a "skidoo" standpoint. When the sale was over Cole started to figure and this is the way the whole affair came out financially: For giving John King's horse the care it needed for several months—$88; received from sale of John King's horse—$23; amount to be looked for from either John King, the city or the P. S. C. (auctioneer's fee and advertising expenses to be added)—$65.

King has shown a decided disinclination to take a hand in the discussion so developments are being awaited. The horse, however, has stopped loafing and gone to work, fully equipped for service by the care it got at Cole's.

BRIGGS' RECEPTION.

Union County Politicians Among Guests Last Night.

The Republican Club tendered a reception to United States Senator-Elect Franklin O. Briggs last night in the club house on East Hanover street in Trenton. The event was largely attended by members of the Legislature.

Among the invited guests were Frank H. Smith, of Plainfield; Hamilton F. Kean, of Elizabeth, and State Senator Joseph Frelinghuysen, of Raritan.

Senator-Elect Briggs was kept busy from 8 to 10:30 shaking hands with the throng that crowded the club house. During the evening luncheon was served.

In Past Master's Memory.

Anchor Lodge, No. 149, F. and A. M., at its communication last night held a memorial service for Past Master Peter A. Emmons. Addresses were made by District Deputy Townley and Past Masters Stephen Affleck and W. R. Runyon.

To Attend Briggs' Reception.

Senator-Elect Briggs will be tendered a reception tomorrow night by the Camden Republican Club, at Camden. Governor Edward C. Stokes will speak. Among the invited guests are former Mayor James F. Buckle.

SEVEN ARE SENTENCED IN CO. COURT TODAY

CUFF GETS 1 YEAR: REDDINGTON 2 MONTHS AND MOORE 2 MONTHS.

Severe sentences were handed out in the Union County Court, this morning, when several prisoners were arraigned. Edward Cuff, colored, from this city, convicted on a charge of stealing $5 worth of junk from A. M. Griffen's hardware store, was sentenced to one year in State prison. He has a bad record, having previously served a term in the Reformatory at Rahway.

James Leo and Michael Croon, Italians, convicted of the larceny of jewelry from a residence in Fanwood, where Croon was employed, were each given two years in State prison.

Michael Reddington, of this city, convicted of stealing a watch valued at $12, was sent to the county jail for two months, and Robert Moore, convicted of keeping a disorderly house and Sunday selling at Fanwood, was also given two months in the county jail. There was a strong plea in his behalf on account of a large family and the prisoner's circumstances.

James Wilson, of this city, who has a record for stealing bicycles, was not arraigned, his case being postponed for a week. Joseph Espardi, of Elizabeth, convicted of stealing lead pipe from a residence in Roselle, was sent to State prison for two years. He had a bad record, being previously convicted of assaulting a little girl.

WALLACE TO LECTURE.

Explorer to Tell of "Lure of Labador Wild."

Those who read the noble and pathetic story by Dillon Wallace, entitled "The Lure of the Labrador Wild," giving an account of the exploration of the interior of that unknown region, by the late Leonidas Hubbard of "The Outing," Mr. Wallace and the guide George, on which trip through freezing and starving no unkind or acrimonious word was uttered, will be glad to know that an opportunity will be afforded of hearing Mr. Wallace on Monday night, March 11.

The lecture will be given for the benefit of the Boys' Mission Band of the Crescent Avenue church, in its chapel at 8 o'clock. The title is "What I Saw in the Labador and Dr. Grenfell's work," and it will be illustrated by many fine views. Mr. Wallace is greatly interested in Dr. Grenfell's work and will very generously devote his portion of the proceeds of the lecture towards its assistance.

MISS FANCHER ENGAGED.

Announcement Made at Social Gathering at Mrs. Langdon's.

Mrs. Philip Cuyler Langdon gave a charming social function at her home in Fanwood, this afternoon, to announce the engagement of Miss Lillian Fancher, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. F. W. Westcott, to Edward Frank Howe, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Howe, of Troy, N. Y. Miss Fancher was one of the bridesmaids at Mrs. Langdon's wedding and other members of the bridal party were present, in addition to guests from New York, Brooklyn and other cites nearby. The affair was in the nature of a heart party and that popular game was a feature enjoyed by all. The home was elaborately decorated, the prevailing color being pink.

Mr. Howe is a student at Williams College, class '07, and while no date has been set for the wedding, it is expected that it will not take place until after Mr. Howe's graduation in June.

A Day at Kemendine.

Miss Julia G. Shinn, who has spent seven successful years at the Kemendine Girls' School in Burma, had charge of the devotional service at the postponed meeting of the Home Missionary Society, held yesterday afternoon in the lecture room of the First Baptist church. The subject on the programme was "Lydia or Faithful Service" and Miss Shinn spoke impressively of the power of Christian woman for influence and service. Her observations in both the home and foreign lands had taught her, she said, that the transforming power of Christian women were of incalculable value in bringing the world to the knowledge of Christ. After a series of interesting current events given by Miss Harriet Mattison, Miss Shinn delighted her audience with an account of a day at the Kemendine Girls' School in Burma, giving a vivid description of the duties, vexations and cares of a missionary, with the many opportunities of doing good.

Senate Investigation.

Without a dissenting vote, the State Senate at its afternoon session yesterday adopted Senator Minturn's joint resolution providing for a commission to investigate the increased cost of coal and ice.

BANKER SOUNDS WARNING

L. V. F. Randolph in Address on "February Memorial Days" Points Out Some Dangers.

SPIRITUALITY GONE

Much In Society That Is Vulgar—Broader Education Needed—The Scramble After Riches.

In a scholarly and most instructive address on "American Memorial Days in February," former Mayor L. V. F. Randolph, until recently president of the New York Consolidated Stock Exchange, last night lauded the character of George Washington and Abraham Lincoln. He compared the two, showing their similarity in moral fibre and spirituality and noted the effect they had on American life. Passing on from this subject, the lecturer dwelt upon the unparalleled prosperity being enjoyed today and incidently pointed out the dangers that confront the people.

L. V. F. Randolph.

Mr. Randolph said in part:

"Just one hundred and thirty-one years ago today, General George Washington, then anxiously and energetically gathering his forces for a great effort to expel the British Army from Boston, issued general orders, urging upon the patriot soldiery of his command, such behavior and duties as were specially suitable to their situation and task; and warning them against misconduct and frivolity. He went further than this, and gave his men clearly to understand that misbehavior would be punished, and that no mercy would be shown to the coward or shirk. Some of the words of these 'general orders' of February 26, 1776, are worthy of being quoted here as examples of Puritanlike sternness, high purpose, and strong resolve. 'At this time of public distress,' writes he, 'men may find enough to do in the service of God and their country without abandoning themselves to vice and immorality. It is a noble cause we are engaged in; it is the cause of virtue and mankind; every advantage and comfort to us and our posterity depend upon the vigor of our exertions; in short, freedom or slavery must be the result of our conduct; there can, therefore, be no greater inducement to men to behave well. But it may not be amiss to the troops to know, that, if any man in action shall presume to skulk, hide himself, or retreat from the enemy without the orders of his commanding officer, he will be instantly shot down as an example of cowardice; cowards having too frequently disconcerted the best formed troops by their dastardly behavior.'

Lincoln.

"During the past week we have remembered the birthday of the Father of his Country, who was born February 22, 1732. After a life devoted to the service of his country, he expired almost with the expiring days of the eighteenth century which his life had illuminated and glorified. About ten years after his death a child was born (February 12, 1809) whose life was to go far toward glorifying the nineteenth century. That child became the man, the great leader, the noble martyr, Abraham Lincoln. Washington was a son of Virginia. In some sense the same statement is true of Lincoln. The spot in Kentucky where Lincoln was born was still, in the days of his parents and grandparents, a part of the great territory of Virginia. His grandfather, Abraham Lincoln, was murdered by the Indians, and his father was with difficulty saved from a like fate by the courage and alertness of an older brother. Under such risks and difficulties were preserved to America the blood and character that were to stand it in good stead in the great trial of the Civil War.

A Demon's Crime.

"It is nearly forty-two years ago since this great leader and president, whom we reverenced and idilized, was cruelly slain;—a man who was more to America than perhaps any other man whom the Lord ever gave

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DRAWERS, Umbrella shaped drawers, made of fine long cloth, fancy ruffles of lace or embroidery, values $1.25; sale price .89

DRAWERS, extra fine quality of long cloth, with wide embroidery ruffle, value $1.75; sale price..... $1.39

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SKIRTS, made of fine Cambric, deep flounce of cluster tucks and embroidery, with lace trimmed, dust ruffle, value $2.00; sale price..... $1.50

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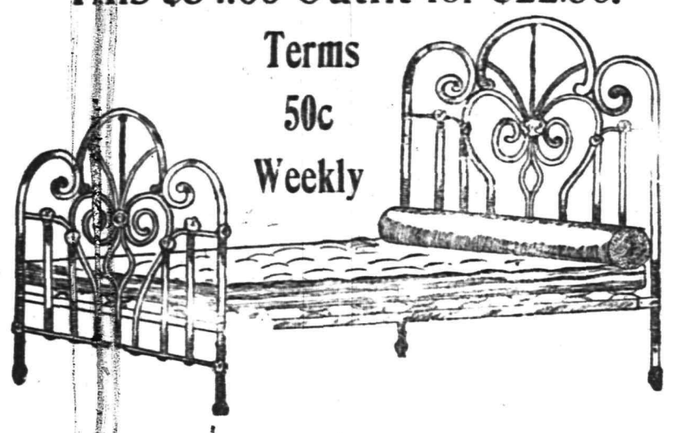

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

BOUND BROOK.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tingley, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Buer, of South Bound Brook, attended the recent celebration of the fiftieth wedding anniversary of Mr. Tingley's and Mrs. Buer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Tingley, Sr., of Dunellen.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Ryman and children, of Easton, and Miss Nora Apgar, of Newark, were entertained over Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. Eugene Apgar, in Elizabeth street, South Bound Brook.

Miss Nellie Ord, of Newark, has been spending several days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ord, Sr., in Cedar street, South Bound Brook.

Mrs. Henry Dougherty, of South Bound Brook, is spending two weeks at the home of her father-in-law, John Dougherty, at Liberty Corner.

Miss Allie Pierce, of Keyport, is the guest of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Louis C. Prall, in Elizabeth street, South Bound Brook.

NORTH BRANCH.

Mrs. Lemuel S. Wood has returned home after a visit to her mother, Mrs. Mahlon H. Rupell, at Frenchtown.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark D. Todd, of Bedminster, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Carrie Amerman, at Roycefield.

Rev. Dr. Morris, of New Brunswick, preached as a candidate in the Reformed church at Bedminster Sunday.

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The Mite Society of Pluckemin held a sociable Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Peter E. Burd.

Miss Mary Layton, of Burnt Mills, recently entertained a large party of young people at her home.

Mrs. J. V. D. Ten Eyck is entertaining her niece, Miss Achsah Holmes, of Plainfield.

M. and Mrs. Simon P. Nevins have returned from a visit to Joseph D. Nevins at Bedminster.

Miss Anna Case, of South Branch, was a guest yesterday of friends in Somerville.

Miss Maud Berrell, of Clinton, is visiting Miss Mary Flomerfelt at Bedminster.

Miss Kathryn Flynn is spending a few days with relatives in Trenton.

John Elwood, of Newark, has been visiting friends in this place.

SOMERVILLE.

Rev. Charles Fiske, rector of St. John's Episcopal church, lectured Monday evening in the parish house on his travels in California.

Miss Catherine Hall, of Flemington, is spending a few weeks with her cousin, Mrs. John H. Van Pelt, of East High street.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hodge have gone to Southern Florida, where they expect to remain for three months.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry P. Galpin have returned from Baltimore, where they had been spending a week.

The engagement of Miss Annie Fetzger, of Liberty Corner, and James S. Barth is announced.

Mrs. Peter Van Fleet is visiting her daughter, Mrs. William Golding, of Hopewell.

A farmers' meeting was held at the schoolhouse at Martinsville last evening.

BASKING RIDGE.

Miss Margaret Squires, of Orange, is spending some time at Orchard farm, the residence of C. L. Roberts. Fred Skillman, of New York city, was also a recent guest of Mrs. Roberts.

L. T. H. Shafer, of the Court of Chancery at Trenton, was a recent visitor at the home of his parents on Maple avenue.

Miss Florence Smith and mother, of Roseville, who had been visiting Mrs. Samuel Edgar, have returned home.

RARITAN.

Miss Helen Benzee, of Bound Brook, has been a guest of her aunt, Mrs. Harry White, on Gaston avenue.

Mrs. Alfred Barker, of Newark, has been a guest of her mother, Mrs. James Harding, of Doughty street.

Frank A. Hickeyo and Miss May are spending a few days with James H. Purcell, of Bay Ridge.

WHITEHOUSE.

The members of Mrs. Harriet Flomerfelt's Bible class in the Methodist Episcopal Sunday-school at Gladstone the other day tendered her a surprise visit at her home. After refreshments she was presented with a Bible and other books, the address being made by J. K. Thompson, superintendent of the Sunday-school.

Miss Bessie Perry, who was married to Jacob H. Young at her home at Dreahook last Wednesday, is a member of the choir of the Whitehouse Reformed church. The consistory presented her with a dozen solid silver teaspoons and the choir with a rocker.

J. Frank Barthes, clerk of the Board of Education of Bedminster Township, will be at the schoolhouse at Pleasant Run Saturday, March 9, to receive bids for the erection of a brick school building in that place.

Mr. and Mrs. John DeMott and daughter, Miss Daisy DeMott, of Lebanon, have been visiting Mrs. DeMott's father, Dr. T. A. Skillman, who is very ill from paralysis at his home in Princeton.

Mrs. John P. Krechting has returned to the Lutheran parsonage at New Germantown, after a visit to friends in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Isaac J. Latourette, of Whitehouse Station, is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Horatio Dankel, at Roselle.

Deputy Collector Stephen K. Large, of Whitehouse, was a guest yesterday of friends in Somerville.

Mrs. Lane, wife of Postmaster John Lane, of Whitehouse, is suffering from an attack of pneumonia.

John Van Doren, of Harrison, has been spending some time with his parents at New Germantown.

Mrs. John Crater is very ill at her home at Peapack from pneumonia.

—A pound social will be held at the home of Mrs. William Demler at Watchung tomorrow night.

—The Plainfield Operatic Association held a rehearsal of "Pinafore" at the Casino, last night, and excellent progress was made.

—Harry Holmes, formerly with the A. and P. Tea Company, is now employed as bridge carpenter by the New Jersey Central and is stationed on the Newark Bay bridge.

—David Shay, who was clerk at the Plainfield Country Club, last summer, and who has been acting in a similar capacity at the Jekyl Island Club in Georgia, expects to return to Plainfield the latter part of March to resume his former position.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

Preparatory services will be held at the Monroe Avenue M. E. church tonight, and communion services will be held Sunday morning.

A union meeting for prayer in the interest of home missions will be held at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

"Ye Olde Fashioned" social evening will be held at Warren chapel tonight for the benefit of the chapel fund. There will be a programme of tableaux, recitations and music.

The customary thank offering was received at the meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the First M. E. church, held in Vincent chapel, yesterday afternoon.

"Nansen's Polar Expedition" will be the subject of an illustrated lecture to be given at the Park Avenue Baptist church tomorrow night by Rev. Samuel D. Price, of Camden.

Miss Martha W. Wagner, of the Park Avenue Baptist church, has been granted a letter to unite with the First Baptist church at Saratoga Springs, N. Y., where she has moved.

"The First Question God Ever Asked the Race," will be the subject of a special sermon to be delivered on Sunday night by Rev. E. E. Roberson, of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church.

The Social Club, of Bethel chapel, will give a reception, entertainment and tea in the chapel tomorrow night at 8 o'clock. Prof. Naylor's full orchestra will be present and render a programme. Refreshments will be served.

In connection with the preparatory services at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church Friday night there will be a meeting of the session to confer with those desiring to unite with the church either by letter or on profession of faith.

POINTS FOR THE BUYERS

V. W. Nash, Sr., the coal dealer, buys only the best anthracite and his patrons are sure to get that kind at the lowest prices.

George F. Brown, of Somerset street, deals in high-class real estate and represents the leading fire and accident insurance companies.

E. B. Maynard's barber shop on North avenue has all the up-to-date appointments and only first-class work is the rule of the place.

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If you are sending your clothes to the American Steam Laundry on East Front street, you know that they always come home washed cleaned and ironed to perfection. It cost no more to have the work done right and why not send your clothes to this laundry.

All bills against the city must be in the city clerk's office by tomorrow night to insure payment at the meeting of the Common Council on Monday night.

Mrs. Nat. Samuels, of Somerville, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Meyer Leichtentritt, of West Front street.

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Bowls, 8-in. size, value 4.98, at **3.98.**
Bowls, 8 and 9-in. sizes, value 6.98, at **4.98.**
Bowls, 9-in. size, value 12.98, at **9.98.**
Bowls, 10-in. size, value 19.98, at **15.98.**
Butter Dishes, value 7.98, at **4.98.**
Butter Dishes, val. 10.98, at **8.98.**
Cheese Dishes, val. 13.98, at **9.98.**
Cheese Dishes, val. 15.98, at **12.49.**
Jugs, large sizes, value 4.98, at **3.49.**
Jugs, large sizes, value 6.98, at **4.98.**
Jugs, large sizes, value 10.98, at **7.98.**
Jugs, large sizes, value 15.98, at **12.98.**
Jugs, large sizes, value 36.00, at **27.00.**
Flower Vases, val. 3.98, at **2.98.**
Flower Vases, value 4.98, at **3.98.**
Flower Vases, value 6.98, at **4.98.**
Flower Vases, val. 10.98, at **7.98.**
Flower Vases, val. 15.98, at **12.98.**
Flower Vases, val. 18.00, at **14.00.**
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Flower Vases, val. 36.00, at **28.00.**
Comports, footed, low, value 2.75, at **1.98.**
Comports, footed, tall, value 3.98, at **2.98.**
Comports, footed, tall, value 4.98, at **3.98.**
Comports, footed, tall, value 6.98, at **4.98.**
Comports, footed, tall, value 8.98, at **6.75.**
Comports, footed, tall, value 9.98, at **7.98.**
Plates, val. 3.98, at **2.98.**
Pickle Trays, long shapes, value 2.69, at **1.75.**
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Ice Cream Trays, value 6.98, at **4.98.**
Ice Cream Trays, value 8.98, at **6.98.**
Ice Cream Trays, value 14.98, at **10.98.**
Ice Cream Trays, value 30.00, at **25.00.**
Celery Trays, value 2.98, at **2.25.**
Celery Trays, value 3.98, at **2.98.**
Celery Trays, value 6.98, at **4.98.**
Celery Trays, value 12.98, at **9.98.**
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Bon-bon or Olive Dishes, value 1.98, at **1.49.**
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Bon-bon or Olive Dishes, value 3.98, at **2.98.**
Punch Bowl, with foot, value 15.98, at **11.98.**
Punch Bowl, with foot, value 24.49, at **18.98.**
Punch Bowl, with foot, value 33.00, at **25.98.**
Punch Bowl, with foot, value 48.98, at **39.98.**
Punch Bowl, with foot, value 37.00, at **30.00.**
Punch Bowl, with foot, value 57.00, at **43.00.**
Decanters and Whiskey Jugs, value 3.98, at **2.98.**
Decanters and Whiskey Jugs, value 4.98, at **3.98.**
Decanters and Whiskey Jugs, value 6.98, at **4.98.**
Decanters and Whiskey Jugs, value 12.98, at **9.98.**
Decanters and Whiskey Jugs, value 20.98, at **17.49.**
Tumblers, val. 3.98 doz., at **2.98.**
Tumblers, val. 6.98 doz., at **4.98.**
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Spinach — Fancy garden spinach; Potter & Wrightington's, **15c** a can.

Pumpkin—"Queen Quality" brand; fancy golden pumpkin, **10c** a can.

Apples — Fancy winter packed apples; gallon cans, **30c.**

Peaches — Lemon Cling Derby brand; extra syrup, **25c** a can.

Peaches — Lemon Cling Derby brand; sliced; extra syrup, **25c** a can.

Peaches — White Heath Derby brand; extra syrup, **25c** a can.

Pears — Fancy; Derby brand; extra syrup, **25c** a can.

Green Grapes — Derby brand; **20c** a can.

Apricots — Derby brand, **20c** a can.

Golden Plums — Derby brand, **20c** a can.

Blue Plums — Derby brand, **20c** a can.

Cherries — Royal Arch, **35c** a can.

Cherries—Hunt's; large can, **45c.**

Blueberries—Ruby brand, **12c.**

Peaches for Pies—No syrup; Jackson's; 2½-lb can **10c.**

Peaches—Victory brand; sliced, 1-lb can **8c.**

Pears — Webster's; 2-lb can **12c.**

Pineapple—Fancy Singapore; chunks, **15c** a can.

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Funeral of John T. Dunn.

The funeral services of Former Congressman John T. Dunn were held from St. Mary's church, Elizabeth, yesterday morning. It was largely attended by lawyers from all parts of the county, members of the Union County Bar Association and Elizabeth city officials. Six Alexian Brothers acted as pall-bearers.

Woman Drunk Arrested.

Kathryn Becker, a middle-aged woman, was arrested Monday afternoon in East Second street by Sergeant—then plain patrolman—Herbert Overbaugh. She was very drunk. Sentence was suspended yesterday morning in the city court.

LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

Archie L. Shepard will give one of his unequalled entertainments at the New Plainfield theatre this afternoon and tonight. No class of public performance is adapted to high grade refined entertainment for polite company than this. The unusual wonders of the world in every walk and stratum of society, from which has been called the interesting, the marvelous, the dramatic in all its phases, the beautiful and artistic are depicted here with naturalness of living.

The play, "Happy Hooligan's Around the World" was invented to make people laugh and if you don't want to laugh stay away from the New Plainfield theatre tomorrow afternoon and night. It is not a children's play alone but a collection of good, wholesome fun. There is a chorus of American beauties who can and do sing, dance and wear pretty costumes. There is not a moment that there isn't something doing in the fun making line. The first act happens at a railroad station, and every one who enters the door takes part in the happenings, either voluntarily or otherwise, mostly otherwise. An electric car in Japan is the means of continuing the fun in the second act. All kinds of passengers are catered to and Jos. Sullivan and Prett Reed as the motorman and conductor certainly have their hands full, and a car full too of entertaining travellers. The last act is a pawn shop in 'Frisco, with a green clerk in charge, and the way he gets things mixed up is nothing to the trouble he has trying to straighten them out when the boss comes in.

Gordon and Gilbert, under the management of Walters and Mathews, presenting the new edition of the musical gayety, "Hans and Nix," will be seen at the New Plainfield theatre Friday night. Gordon and Gilbert and this musical piece were one of the phenomenal successes of last season. "Hans and Nix" is said to be a very laughable conceit with the central characters exactly suited to the peculiarities of Gordon and Gilbert, and containing a great variety of excellent musical numbers. The supporting company includes names of prominence in the comedy line. Special scenic sets and complete electrical equipment are carried by the company this season, which enables them to offer a complete performance of a high order.

P. H. Sullivan's new production, "A Woman of Fire," comes to the New Plainfield theatre Saturday afternoon and night. The play is a thriller from beginning to end and a number of new characters are introduced that have never been portrayed on any stage. The author of the play is Theodore Kremer, who can write plays and good ones at that, as has been attested by box office receipts. It is in four acts and nine scenes, and the realistic manner in which the localities serving as a background are reproduced, heightens interest in the melodramatic story. These scenes include the East river by night, a Fifth avenue ball room,

Scenes from "A Woman of Fire," at New Plainfield Theatre Saturday Afternoon and Night.

Sing Sing prison, the bottom of the sea, a torpedo explosion on a submarine boat, and the sensational rescue at sea. The story of the play deals with the adventures of a couple who fall in the hands of an adventuress, her paramour and a couple of negro allies. The plot is so devised as to involve them in many exciting experiences which are not only thrilling but ultra-sensational. They are finally rescued and like all good melodramas, virtue triumphs and villainy falls, only in this play the plotters meet an untimely end that is not only novel but surprising. The company engaged for the production is composed of clever actors who emphasize the events of the play in a way that meets the approval of audiences in the popular priced theatres.

Planning for Y. W. C. A.

Mrs. Frederick G. Mead, who, with a number of other Plainfield women, are interested in the plan for the organization of a Young Women's Christian Association in this city, has arranged for a conference to be held at her home, "Sunnyside," East Front street, tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. Miss Snider will make an address.

Brought Jag to Headquarters.

Carter Duckwelder, colored, staggered into police headquarters Monday night with a large bundle of liquid things about him, and speechlessly asked for entertainment. He was given the softest malleable iron couch in the place. Judge Runyon suspended sentence yesterday morning.

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PERSONAL.

Miss Agnes Muir, of Essex street, is detained at home by a serious illness.

Mrs. William Gordon, of Watchung, who has been very ill all winter, is improving.

Mrs. Charles Vail, of Prospect place, has returned from a visit at Easton, Pa.

Miss Alice Smith, of Newark, has been spending several days with Plainfield friends.

Miss Ethel Lorton, of Watchung avenue, is improving from a severe attack of the grip.

Miss Emily Duvier, of Jersey City, has returned home after a visit to Miss Helen Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reinhart, of Park avenue, are entertaining their daughter from Cincinnati.

Mrs. Henry VanName, of Madison avenue, has returned from a visit with relatives on Staten Island.

Mrs. F. H. Smith, of West Fourth street, left today for Westerly, R. I., where she will visit her parents.

James Patterson, of Mariners place, has returned from a business trip out of town for the Potter Press Works.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark, of 411 East Seventh street, are the parents of a second daughter, born to them recently.

Mrs. Charles Dutcher, of Grove street, has entirely recovered from an injury to her knee, sustained over a year ago.

Albert J. Wurts, of Maywood, W. Va., an inspector for the A. T. and T. Co., was the guest of friends in town yesterday.

Mrs. P. A. McVoy, of East Front street, is spending several days with her mother, Mrs. Charle Duvier, of Jersey City.

Miss Trippencey, of Brooklyn, who has been visiting Miss Pauline Denton, of Washington avenue, has returned home.

Mrs. John C. Ketcham, of Westfield, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Sampson, of East Fifth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Augustus V. Heely, of North Plainfield, are contemplating a trip to Europe. They will probably sail early in April.

Mrs. W. S. Angleman, of West Front street, shows signs of steady improvement from an illness of several months' duration.

Letter-carrier O. R. Pearson has returned to his position after being off duty for two or three weeks owing to an injury to his hand.

Mrs. Robert A. Yorks, of West Front street, who was operated upon at the hospital for appendicitis a week ago, is steadily improving.

Mrs. H. Worthington Paige, of Oriskany Falls, N. Y., who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. D. J. Yerkes, of Grove street, has returned home.

Wallace Pearce, of Essex street, who was recently operated upon at Muhlenberg Hospital for appendicitis, is doing nicely and will probably be able to return home today.

SMILE WEARER'S CASE OFF.

Bernard Macfadden's Clothless Disciples to Be Heard Monday.

Trenton, Feb. 27.—Bernard Macfadden, the physical culture specialist, with a training school at Spottswood, where the doctrine "Few Clothes and Much Sunshine" is reputed to prevail, was to have been arraigned for trial in the United States District Court yesterday on the charge of sending indecent literature through the mails.

There was no trial, because Macfadden's counsel entered a demurrer to the indictment as being irregular, and the case went over until next Monday, when counsel will endeavor to have the indictment quashed.

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Wings and Flies

By Tom Muir.

The famous melodrama, "In Old Kentucky," which laid the foundation of the late Jacob Litt's fortune, will be presented at the New Plainfield theatre next month. Though it has travelled across the continent a dozen times it has never been seen in this city.

Arthur Pryor, the popular bandmaster, has again been engaged by the Asbury Park Common Council to furnish music at the beach Casino during July and August of this year. He will have thirty-five men and the contract states that he must conduct personally.

David Higgins, who has been seen in this city several times in his familiar play of life in the Tennessee mountain, "At Piney Ridge," is to return to Plainfield next week in his present big success, "His Last Dollar." It is a racing play with the scenes laid in Kentucky and is conceded to be one of the best of the kind before the public. It is filled with heart interest and exciting situations, one of them in particular never failing to raise the audience to a high pitch. The hero has lost every penny but one dollar and by placing that on his favorite race horse, wins back his fortune and the girl of his choice. Four horses are used in the great racing scene.

Rumor has it that Miss Ethel Levey, whose husband, George M. Cohan, recently secured a divorce, is to marry Robert Edeson, the star of "Strongheart." Both Edeson and Miss Levey are playing in Chicago at the present time and when taxed by newspapermen as to the truth of the report gave evasive answers.

"Uncle Sam" Cunningham's benefit takes place at the New Plainfield tomorrow afternoon and night and from the advance sale of seats he will have two big houses. "Happy Hooligan's Trip Around the World" is to be the attraction and those who saw it when it was here before know that it is just the show for the occasion. The popular Joe Sullivan will again have the leading comedy role.

Henry B. Harris has bought from Oscar Hammerstein the Hackett theatre on West 42d street, New York, the purchase price being in the neighborhood of $400,000. The theatre will remain under the management of Mr. Hackett until the end of the present lease, which matures in 1910. Rose Stahl is at present appearing there in James Forbes' comedy, "The Chorus Lady" under the management of Mr. Harris.

A FRIEND OF EVERYBODY

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are eighty there, Kean is one of them. He always has his mind on his number. He listens to the dreariest debate as if he liked it. He rarely says anything, but nobody else says anything that Kean does not hear. He is aware of every quirk and quibble. He knows where every trail leads. He can explain every action, and much of the time he is chatting with other Senators, on one of the big leather sofas, about any incident of the life of Washington that may be chattable, apparently with no concern about what is happening. But let things take a sudden twist and Kean is alert and watchful. He can tell why.

"He moves about the Senate chamber with his eyeglasses in his hand, and stops to talk wherever an opportunity offers. One moment he is laughing with Senator Tillman and another he is gravely discussing something with Senator Lodge. He has a trick of putting his arm around the shoulder that presses against his, and when that arm is there the real confidences begin. Democrats respond as readily as Republicans to his ministrations. Everybody tells him what he wants to know.

His Simple, Winning Ways.

"About the only time Kean takes an active part in the proceedings of the Senate is when he moves an executive session. He has that function down pat, and there are times when the moving of an executive session is of more importance than might be supposed. Kean has rather arrogated to himself this privilege, reminding the older Senators of Don Cameron, whose specialty was moving that the Senate adjourn from Thursday until Monday. It was Cameron who, one Tuesday before the beginning of Lent, and rather bored with the work that was going on, made the celebrated motion: 'Mr. President, as tomorrow is Ash Wednesday and as next Friday will be Good Friday, I move that when the Senate adjourns today it adjourns until Monday.'

"Senator Spooner moved an executive session one time when Kean was ready to do it. Kean protested vigorously. It was right, he said, to make that motion, and he did not intend to be deprived of it. Spooner acquiesced and withdrew his motion. Then Kean made the motion with great dignity, and everybody laughed, including Kean, who, as has been said before, is simple—for purposes of publication.

"There has always been a tendency to make game of Kean because of his dilettante ways and his gossiping proclivities, and, as a matter of fact, from an outside viewpoint, Kean does not loom very large as a statesman. That doesn't worry Kean any. He is carrying out his part in the great drama of the Senate that is played almost everywhere except in the Senate chamber. They put on an act in plain view of the audience, now and then, but mostly the play is played in the committee-rooms and in the conferences, wherever they may be held. There are four or five stage-managers, with Aldrich at the head of them. This group is slowly changing. One or two of the leaders of the Senate are old and tired. It is time for new blood. When the change is made—and it will be a long time, for the Senate works slowly—John Kean will be found in the ruling group. He is too valuable to be left out.

"'Ware Kean, if you would not unnbosom yourself of all that is innermost. Do not get within the range of that hypnotic eye and that magnetic handshake. Do not start to talk about an incident at the latest great reception for fear you will soon be taking out your watch and showing him the picture in the case, and putting your hand on his shoulder and calling him: 'Dear old John.' If you come within the influence you are going to give up.

"The ears of the Boss! If a poll is needed, Kean gets it quickly and correctly. If a recalcitrant is to be sounded to see what he really wants, Kean drops the plummet. If a motive is to be discovered, Kean is the explorer. Aldrich would not be so powerful as he is if he could not get Kean's information. The ears of the Boss—and they hear, they surely hear!"

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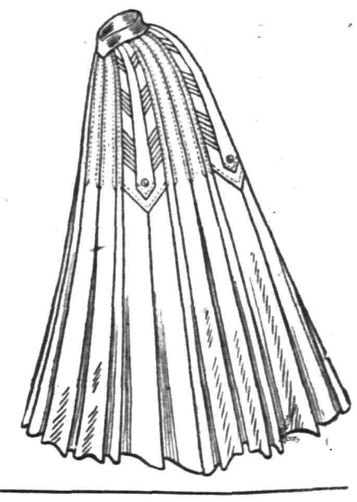

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

As in North Plainfield, the tax bills of the borough are made out wrongly, the valuations being lumped. Assessor J. H. L. Peters says he is not to blame; the county board instructed him to make the lists out in the old way.

It is reported that H. L. Pierce paid between $9,000 and $10,000 for the bank building. He purchased for investment. The building has been thoroughly improved.

The contract case of the Syracuse Stone Works against George Steengrafe, in Justice Von Minden's court has been postponed for two weeks.

Z. P. Osmun attended a meeting of the Society of the Cincinnati, a Revolutionary War organization, in Trenton, last week.

Arvid Johnson, who was detained at home by a sore hand, has returned to work.

Mrs. Helen Farrier has returned from a visit to relatives in Somerville.

Miss Mattie Bonnell, of Union, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Nelson.

The Athletic Club has made arrangements to purchase a pool table.

Mrs. George Coriell has been entertaining out of town relatives.

Miss Mary Baldwin is very ill. She is threatened with pneumonia.

Mrs. George Caskey is recovering from an attack of grip.

Herbert L. Pierce has purchased a new horse.

'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

The annual borough report just issued by Collector Charles Sheelen shows 1906 to have been one of the most prosperous years in the history of the borough. The cash balance on hand was $2,917.93. The total amount of delinquent taxes for the year was only $285.75. Much of this has since been collected by Collector Sheelen.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frentz and son, who have been in Washington, D. C., for several months, where Mr. Frentz has been superintending a large contract, are spending several days with relatives and friends in town.

John Reick, who has been detained at home for a week with an attack of grip, has recovered and returned to his position with the Walter Scott Company.

The monthly communion will be held at the close of the sermon at the Baptist church Sunday morning.

Miss Elizabeth Reilley has returned from a two weeks' stay with friends in New York.

Fanwood Council, R. A., held its semi-monthly meeting last night in the Library rooms.

The Suburban Club will omit its March dance on account of being Lent.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

The regular meeting of the P. O. S. of A. will be held in Washington Hall tomorrow night. Routine business will be transacted.

Mrs. William B. Manning is visiting out of town friends today.

Mrs. Giles is confined to her room by illness.

Post Card Swindle.

New York, Feb. 27.—Disclosing an alleged scheme by which the government is said to have been swindled out of many thousands of dollars, Joseph E. Jacobs, Post Office Inspector, arraigned Louis V. Charlat, a dealer in postage stamps at No. 245 Broadway, before United States Commissioner Shields yesterday. Charlat is charged with presenting a false claim for 5,928 uncancelled and unserviceable postal cards. He exhibited an order to Postmaster Wilcox bearing the name of Samuel Freedman, a printer of No. 39 First street, which is alleged to be a forgery. Under the postal law the original purchaser of postal cards uncancelled which have become unserviceable through errors in printing may have them redeemed upon presentation at the General Postoffice at the rate of 75 cents a hundred.

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THIS MAY BE MILLION DOLLAR LEGISLATURE

MULTIPLICATION OF STATE COMMISSIONS SADDLE THOUSANDS ON N. J.

Trenton, Feb. 27.—Fear of passing the million-dollar mark has taken hold of members of the Legislature in the matter of extraordinary appropriations. They remember the plea for economy in the last message of Governor Stokes, and the latter's declaration that if his suggestion was not enough, he would use his veto power to enforce carefulness in the spending of the people's money.

One source of expense is the proposed multiplication of State commissions, and the most expensive of these commissions is the State Railroad Commission, provided for in a bill introduced by Assemblyman Wright, one of the Democratic members from Essex county. Assemblyman Wright's commission would cost the State no less than $80,000 a year, and with the other proposed commissions would saddle a burden of $140,000 per annum on the taxpayers.

In addition to this extra expense, there has been introduced in each House of the Legislature a bill providing for daily stenographic reports of the legislative proceedings, with the publication of 5,000 copies daily, and it is estimated this would cost no less than $50,000 for each session.

The Railroad Commission bill provides for five members, four clerks, two expert engineers, counsel, traveling inspectors, stenographers and other attaches, all at high salaries. The Blohm bill provides for the creation of a Public Utility Commission, which would probably cost $20,000 a year, at the least.

Senator Colby has introduced a bill to create a Civil Service Commission, which would cost $20,000 a year, and a similar bill has been introduced by Assemblyman Thompson. A potable Water Commission, proposed by Senator Hillery, would cost $20,000 per year. Two other commissions have been proposed for the investigation of the alleged Stone Road Trust and the dealings of other trusts in the necessities of life, including ice and coal. Each of these commissions is to be temporary, with the State to pay all expenses, which would probably amount to $3,000 for the two.

Some of the other appropriations provided for in pending bills are as follows: Jersey City armory, $175,000; purchase of portraits of former Governors, $2,800; reformatory for women, $40,000; to establish a ceramic course at State College, $2,500; National Guard gymnasium, Jersey City, $40,000; increasing salaries of factory inspectors, $3,300; unveiling Monocacy monument, $1,500; to pay "Rump Senate," $2,100; to improve Manasquan inlet, $200; to provide New Jersey representation at Washington at unveiling of McClellan monument, $15,000; to increase pay of pilot commissioners, $1,200; for lawyer to examine proposed legislation, $5,000; for improved roads, $500,000; for memorial of capture of the Toms River block house, $5,000; for criminal electrocution building, $10,000; for State College, $115,000; $72 per year to New Jersey Civil War veterans; pensions for State employes after twenty years' service and sixty years of age.

THREE RAILROAD BILLS IN THE LOWER HOUSE.

Receivers Provided for — Brady Would Abolish Grade Crossings.

Trenton, Feb. 27.—Three important railroad measures were introduced in the House Monday night. Two of them were presented by Mr. Wright, of Essex. One of them was "an act concerning the appointment of receivers for railroads by the Court of Chaicery of New Jersey." The act provides that the Court of Chancery shall appoint a receiver or receivers for any railroad operating its lines within the State of New Jersey upon the following being shown: That said railroad has failed, neglected or refused to obey any order of any State board of commissioners, now or that may hereafter be established to police and regulate railroads, and that a second order of identical tenor from such board has been served on any officer, agent, trustee, ticket agent or engineer of said railroad, and the terms of said orders and the matters therein commanded have not within ten days from the date of service of such second order been complied with by said railroad.

Another measure is "an act to compel all railroads in this State to make switching connections with private sidings." It provides that when a railroad refuses to make such connections with any "owner, tenant or licensee of lands abutting said railroad, said persons may apply to any State board, nor or hereafter established in this State, to police and regulate railroads, for an order from said board to compel such switching connection with a private siding then existing or to be built on said lands so abutting on said railroad."

The board shall hear all parties interested and take testimony and make an order compelling the railroad to furnish switching connection.

The third measure was put in by Mr. Brady, of Essex. It was an act relating to the elimination of grade crossings. It provides that hearings shall be held by the Railroad Commission, and if it decides, after hearing all parties concerned, that the crossing in question should be abolished, it shall so order. The railroad shall pay all expenses and damages incident to the elimination.

The House Committee on Railroads and Canals held a hearing yesterday afternoon in the Speaker's room on the various measures before it. Except the one to establish a railroad commission, introduced by Mr. Wright, of Essex, the committee decided that, since nearly all the bills were connected more or less closely with the Railroad Commission, if that became a law, it would be a waste of time to discuss this law. Accordingly they were all laid over until next Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, when the hearing on the commission measure and all measures involved with it will be conducted.

Mr. Alexander's bill allowing railroads not yet completed two years' more time in which to finish the work was approved. A similar bill has passed the Legislature for a number of years.

Fire Laddies Remembered.

Appreciating the prompt response and assistance at the time of the fire at her home on the night of February 11, when her cook received burns which caused her death, Mrs. R. H. McCutcheon, of Plainfield avenue, sent a package to fire headquarters today with a card bearing this message: "With thanks for prompt answer to our call for assistance on the night of February 11." The package contained six decks of fancy playing cards. The gift is appreciated and Mrs. McCutcheon has received the thanks of the men at headquarters.

Another Theatre Meeting.

Rev. Dr. S. Parks Cadman, of Newark, will speak at a Y. M. C. A. theatre meeting April 21. Dr. Cadman was here in the early part of the Y. M. C. A. theatre series, and made the strongest impression of all the speakers secured.

Judge Swift Very Ill.

District Judge Addison Swift, of Elizabeth, is very ill with pneumonia. He is delirious.

—The Sesame Club will meet tomorrow morning at the residence of Mrs. Ira Travell, 816 Third place.

—Mrs. Carrie L. Bennett, corresponding secretary of the W. C. T. U., has written a letter to the chairman of the Jr. O. U. A. M. banquet committee congratulating the order upon the success of the banquet and expressing pleasure and approval of the action of the committee in excluding intoxicating liquors from the table.

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YATES—At Redlands, Cal., on Monday, Feb. 25, 1907, Sam J. Yates, formerly of Plainfield, N. J., son of Susan Jackson and the late Joseph W. Yates.

Notice of funeral hereafter. 2 26 3

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Help Wanted.

IRONERS wanted on muslin underwear; also a few bright girls to cut embroideries. Apply at factory, 320 West Front St. 2 27 2

WANTED—At once, girls for general housework, cooks and waitresses; wages from $15 to $30. Apply Mrs. Andersen's Employment Office, 900 West Third St. 2 25 3

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at once at Mrs. Keller's Intelligence Office, 22 Somerset place. 12 29 tf

WANTED Girl for general housework; small family. Apply 725 Hobart avenue. 2 25 3

WANTED—Experienced chambermaid and waitress (colored). 717 Watchung avenue. 2 25 tf

WANTED—At once, housekeeper (white). 418 East Second St. 2 26 2

WANTED Young girl for nursemaid. 1402 Watchung Ave. 2 26 tf

WANTED—A white nurse girl for child four years old. Call 948 West Seventh St. 2 26 tf

WANTED—A cook. Apply at 129 Grove street, corner Park place. 26 2

WANTED—White girl for general housework; no washing. Call afternoons, 955 West Sixth St. 1 24 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family; references. Call after 7 p. m., 230 East Seventh St. 2 25 3

WANTED—A capable woman to do general housework. Mrs. Rapalje, 724 Carlton avenue. 2 25 3

WORKING housekeeper wanted at once. Call Intelligence Office, 22 Somerset place. 2 25 3

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework; family of three. 678 West Seventh St. 2 23 tf

GIRL wanted to cook, wash and iron; references required. Apply 526 West Seventh St. 1 29 tf

MACHINISTS—First class horizontal boring mill and lathe hands wanted at the Watson Stillman Co., Aldene, N. J. 2 23 7

WANTED — Experienced cook; white; reference required. Apply 1060 Central Ave. 2 4 tf

WANTED—Young colored man as butler and make himself generally useful. Apply 911 West Seventh St. 2 18 tf

Help Wanted

WANTED—Lathe, planer, vice and floor hands. Aluminum Press Co., Dunellen, N. J. 2 27 tf

PATTERNMAKERS wanted. Aluminum Press Co., Dunellen, N. J. 27 tf

GIRL wanted for housework. Apply 740 West Seventh St.

GIRL wanted, about 12 years old, to help about the house. 424 West Front St. 2 27 2

WANTED—Young girl for light housework; go home nights. 411 East Seventh St. 2 25 3

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at once at Mrs. Day's Intelligence Office, South Plainfield, N. J. 2 9 tf

Lost and Found.

LOST—A garnet bow knot pin. Reward if returned to L. F. Hersh & Bro., 106 East Fourth St. 2 27 3

LOST—Long silver pin. Please return 712 East Second street; reward.

LOST—Small brown, long haired dog; short legs and long feathered tail; wore collar; answers name Togo. Any information about him appreciated, or reward for his return to W. L. Murray, Rockview Heights, borough.

LOST—Feb. 26, Brown Pomeranian dog; without collar; weight 8 lbs.; long hair and tail curled over back. Reward if returned to Mrs. Benjamin Wood, 543 West Eighth street, Plainfield.

LOST—$2 reward for return of gold band bracelet; was gift to owner; return will be appreciated. 65 Somerset St.

LOST—Boston terrier, brindle and white. Reward if returned to L. E. Waring, 120 West Seventh St. 2 26 3

LOST—Young Irish water Spaniel, in neighborhood of Netherwood. Reward for return to 1211 Putnam avenue. 2 25 tf

POOR girl will be grateful if the finder of her souvenir pocketbook will leave it at Daily Press office. It was lost yesterday noon while she walked from Fourth street and Park avenue to East bound railroad station and thence through tunnel to North avenue. It contained a sum of money and was given her by a dear relative now dead. 2 16 tf

Money to Loan.

TO LOAN on bond and mortgage, $3,000, also $3,500, on satisfactory risks. J. F. MacDonald, 149 North avenue. 1 31 tf

MONEY to loan, five per cent. gilt edge real estate. J. T. Vail. 1 14 tf

MONEY to loan at 5 per cent. on first mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot.

TO LOAN—Money on first mortgages at 5 per cent. V. W. Nash Jr., 221 Park avenue 8 22 tf

$4,000.00 TO LOAN on first lien and mortgage, on Plainfield property at five per cent. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin Building, East Front street. tf

TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street. tf

Real Estate Agents.

NEW HOUSES FOR SALE—Two elegant new houses on West Eighth street, 3 baths, large high lot, shade and every modern improvement; tile baths; three fine houses at Netherwood, every improvement, shade and high terraced lot; two fine new houses on West Seventh street, every improvement; best location; also 8-room house on Summit avenue, near Westervelt. Call and see plans, Manning or McIntyre, 163 North avenue, open evenings. 1 31 1m

FOR SALE—Fine new 10-room house situate on a high terraced lot, 100x250, in the best section of Netherwood; hard wood floors and trim 2 tiled bath rooms, 3 fireplaces, steam heat; occupancy April 1; will finish to suit purchaser. Plans can be seen at the office of William H. Abbott, 163 North avenue; also have plans for several houses which I am erecting in other parts of the city; prices from $7,500 to $12,000. 1 29 1m

THOSE desiring to own a farm should consult one who has been selling farms for years, and he is yours truly, William Henry Rogers, 136 Park avenue, Plainfield; telephone 44.

Rooms and Board.

TO LET—Furnished, two connecting rooms, to adults only; all improvements. 430 Orchard place. 26 2

LARGE and small steam heated rooms to let, with board. M. B. Lindsay, 602 Central Ave. 2 23 6

TO LET—Three or four rooms, light housekeeping. Address Light, care Daily Press. 2 26 5

TWO fine connecting rooms and bath, with board, March first. 514 Madison avenue. 2 20 6

TWO large rooms to rent, with board. 110 East Fifth street, near Park avenue. 2 15 tf

GOOD accommodations; low rates. Boyce's Hotel, 97 Somerset St. tf

COMFORTABLE, well heated rooms, with excellent board; also table board; evening dinners a specialty. For terms call or address Mrs. A. L. Waldorf, 132 and 134 Crescent Ave. 2 8 tf

Miscellaneous.

COME! Buy or sell horses, Cathers' auction, Saturday, March 2, 108 Somerset street. 2 27 3

MRS. BONY — High-class dressmaking; French models; fine work remodeling; moderate prices. 12 Stone St., North Plainfield. 2 25 1m

INTERIOR and postal card pictures, family groups, lodges or anything in the picture line taken by G. Bishop, 324 West Second St. 2 25 3

DRESSMAKING, and the making of children's clothes. 120 Madison avenue, Jackson building, flat 18. 2 25 6

REMOVAL NOTICE—New York dental parlors removed to Woodhull & Martin building. 2 18 1m

DOGS and all kinds of pets boarded. 36 Raymond Ave. 2 21 1m

NEXT—We are next to station and next to bargain; bring in your bargain and be next to buyers. Ira L. LaRue, 152 North Ave. 1 8 tf

GENERAL typewriting and stenographer. Call at 33 Somerset street, N. Plainfield. A. G. Daudt. 2 2 1m

FREE! FREE! Six fine square pianos, for cost of tuning and carting only; great chance for beginners and others. Call at once, Hadley's piano salesrooms, 315 West Front St. 23 tf

DEAD animals removed. Ruckman Brothers, 204 Plainfield avenue, 'phone 415-L. 8 28 6m

P. F. LATOURETTE, auctioneer; sales promptly attended to; satisfaction guaranteed. 326 West Front St. 2 10 tf

BEFORE selling your furniture see Latourette, 326 West Front St. tf

BABIES crochet sacques for sale; all prices; also ladies' knitted sweaters made to order. Mrs. Mayer, 54 Pearl street, North Plainfield. tf

THE highest cash price paid for household goods, furniture, etc. Fred W. Hand, Auctioneer, 136 East Second street. 'Phone 1722. tf

Wanted—Miscellaneous.

WANTED to rent farm, 25 acres, convenient station; reasonable. Address D. L., care Press 2 27 2

WANTED—Combination billiard-pool table; give full particulars, present condition and lowest cash price. Address Combination, Press office. 2 25 6

WANTED—Old geese and duck feather beds; double other buyers' cash prices. Address C. F. Dickinson, General Delivery, Plainfield. 2 21 9

I WANT to buy pony cart; must be cheap for cash. P. O. Box 301, Plainfield, N. J. 2 2 6

WILL care for good horse for the winter for use of same. Address Good Care, care Press. 10 6 tf

Situations Wanted.

WOMAN wants to take in washing. Apply 25 Harmony St.

GIRL wants place as chambermaid; best of reference. Call Intelligence Office, 22 Somerset place. 25 3

For Rent.

SMALL family wanted to rent eight-room house; all improvements; centrally located. Apply Neuman Brothers, grocers. 2 27 3

HOUSE to let; 7 rooms; improvements. 659 East Sixth St. 2 17 4

TO LET—Modern house, 8 rooms and bath and reception hall; situated 811 College place; $50 per month; others $20 a month and up. John H. Doane, 221 Park Ave. 27 3

TO LET—Apartment, six large light rooms; all improvements, including heat, window shades and stair carpet; adults only; $24. 74 Jackson avenue, borough. 2 26 2

FOR RENT—First-class steam heated apartment, containing 8 large light rooms and bathroom and all improvements; in perfect condition throughout; 4 minutes' walk to North Avenue R. R. station; ready for occupancy March 1; references required. For particulars address A. M. Lederer, city. 2 21 6

TO LET—Large, new store, No. 407 Watchung avenue. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin building. 9 24 tf

DENTIST office, heat, telephone, light, water, door attendance. 178 East Front street. 1 11 tf

For Sale.

FOR SALE CHEAP—A valuable business property, three minutes' walk from the depot. Enquire 208 West Fourth St. 2 27 6

FOR SALE—Seven-room house in West End, one block from trolley; $1,800. Address House, care Daily Press. 2 16 tf

COUPE Rockaway, good condition, at a bargain; $65. Apply L. M. French, 36 Somerset St. 2 26 3

FOR SALE—Very desirable eight-room house; all improvements, gas and electric light; lot 40x170; possession May 1; a good bargain. J. T. Vail. 2 16 tf

HOUSES for sale, cash or installments; some to rent; lots for sale. Apply D. F. Dugan, 511 East Seventh street. 2 25 6

RICH Jersey milk, fresh from the farm, for sale by C. Martin, 20 Grandview avenue; seven (7) cents a quart at dairy. 2 26 6

For Sale.

FOR SALE—Bedroom carpet, matting and furniture; also gas range and oil stove. 719 Richmond St. 27 2

FOR SALE—Antique mahogany bookcase. 745 Clinton Ave. 2 27 3

FOR SALE—Near Putnam avenue, 7 rooms; all improvements; $3,000. Ira L. LaRue, 152 North Ave. 2 23 6

FOR SALE—5x7 camera; complete; cost $45; will sell for $20. G. Bishop, 324 West Second St. 2 25 3

FOR SALE—Small farm near Plainfield. Address Owner, care Daily Press. 2 26 6

HOUSE for sale at Netherwood, plans can be seen at my office. New house to let; ten rooms; all improvements; steam heat; $55 a month. Building lots for sale; cash or installments; when your lot is paid for I will build you a house. Charles Hand, 319 Watchung Ave. 2 14 1m

FOR SALE—A fine lot between Park and Watchung avenues, on Second street. M. F. Gano, 221 Park avenue. 2 5 tf

OLD PAPERS for sale; put up in packages of 100 copies for 10c. Apply at this office. tf

REAL ESTATE for sale, rent and exchange at bargain figures; insurance in strong companies at lowest rates; money to loan at five per cent. Thickstun & Emmons, 197 North avenue. 9 28 tf

FOR SALE—House and lot on Webster place, near Watchung avenue; fine location; 8 rooms; all improvements. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

LOT FOR SALE on John street, near West Seventh, 50x150; fine location; will sell very reasonable. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE—Houses and lots in all parts of the city; properties that I have picked up in trade that I can sell you for less than market prices; if you want to buy or have anything to sell come and see me. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

FOR SALE—Coal and lumber business, grocery, butcher, livery, trucking, automobile garage; all kinds of business bargains. Ira L. LaRue, next to station, next to bargain. 31 tf

A CHANCE for a working man to buy a home on West Second street; very little cash required. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

FARM, 24 acres, for sale, near Somerville, on macadam road; good buildings. McNabb, lawyer, 209 North avenue. 1 28 1m

FOR SALE—Seasoned cord wood; cut in lengths to suit purchaser; also mill slabings at $6 per cord; orders will be given prompt attention. John V. TenEyck & Son, P. O. Box 57, Metuchen, N. J. 1 8 3m

FOR SALE—Four lots on Westervelt avenue, near Front street; terms to suit. Apply 103 East Fourth St., near Park Ave., Bacon. 6 11 tf

FOR SALE—An elegant lot on East Second street, size 50x200 feet; close to town; just the spot for a good double house. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

FOR SALE—House and lot, on West Fourth street, near Grant avenue; 10 rooms, city water and toilet; rents for two families; a bargain for some one. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, 39 Prospect place, North Plainfield. 11 20 tf

FOR SALE—At one-half cost, 5-horse Westinghouse compound engine (Junior) in good condition; cost $250; our price $125. Call at Daily Press office.

FOR SALE OR FOR RENT—Several houses, stores and offices. J. P. W. Taylor, 102 North Ave. 12 20 tf

Chickens and Eggs.

FOR SALE—100 chicks, two weeks old; Plymouth Rocks and White Wyandottes. Call after 5 p. m. at 9 Codington Ave. 2 27 4

WANTED—Two setting hens; good price paid. George Bridge, Fourth and Rock Ave. 2 26 3

FOR SALE—Universal 300-egg incubator. Address Merritt, Warrenville, N. J. 2 25 3

EGGS FOR SITTING—From one pen each of Buff, Black and White Orpingtons, related to our winners at $5 per dozen; also from White and Buff Leghorns, Barred Rocks and Rhode Island Reds at $2 per dozen; inspection invited. Sunswick Poultry Farm, South Plainfield, N. J., George J. May, manager. 2 18 1m

BLACK ORPINGTON COCKERELS AND PULLETS—A few choice ones for sale; fine shape and color; good enough to show; brothers to first prize winners at the late large shows; write for prices; eggs $5 per setting. Oak Tree Poultry and Game Farm, Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J. 1 21 tf

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us. This noble man at the point of his and our triumph, looking from the Nebo summit, from which the painful and bloody victorious march of the nation could be reviewed, its troops flushed with triumph just then returning from the war with the Union safe and forever assured; and looking forward into the promised land of peace and prosperity; from this vantage ground, surrounded by the happy circumstances of achievement and encouragement, our brother, our friend, our father, Abraham Lincoln, was stricken down! The sorrow of that act is still upon us! The name by which we should fitly characterize it has never yet arisen to human lips. Nothing in thought nor in language can approach it! It was the affliction for all time of a nation! The crime was beyond aught that was possible in the lowest and worst of human and kind. It was the crime of a demon!

"I look back still with something of joy mingling with my sadness, at the thought of the hand-grasp he gave me a few days before the perpetration of the nameless act that took him from us.

"Great souled and heroic was that figure amongst his fellows. Tender and gentle was his heart;—even as the heart of a woman. Clear and prophetic was his mental grasp of the destiny of the Republic. Noble and sweet was he in his life. Beautiful and generous were all of his thoughts on the day when he was called hence. His work and his character are the enduring heritage of us and of our children.

"Something of Lincoln's character shines out from his speeches and addresses. Among the greatest of these was the shortest;—that delivered at the dedication of the cemetery on the battlefield of Gettysburg. 'No finer lines are found in English oratory than those which close this Gettysburg speech: 'We here highly resolve that these dead shall not have died in vain, that this nation, under God, shall have a new birth of freedom, and that government of the people, by the people, for the people, shall not perish from the earth.'

Lincoln and Washington.

"In important respects there may be said to have been a strong resemblance between the elements which went to make up the man, George Washington, and those who constituted the man, Abraham Lincoln. Differences existed, it is true. Lincoln had a sense of humor well-nigh unknown to Washington. Lincoln had a gift of expression which Washington might well have envied;—though he too, on occasion, could speak with rare appositeness, judgment, and force. Lincoln had a marvelous faculty for logic and reason, superadded to the plain, broad, common sense so remarkable in both these men. In Lincoln there was something of the prophet and the poet. Washington was steady to a noble purpose with but little disposition to indulge his imagination. But both men were of mighty courage and unflinching determination. Both were patriots, and, in a very high sense, Christian patriots.

"As we look back tonight over the wonderful careers of these two eminent Americans, we are glad to entertain a sentiment of satisfaction that each of them was permitted to see a practical and successful completion of the line of endeavor in which he had been engaged. Each could say of a truth, 'I have finished my work. I have kept my faith.' Each could mark a great progress in the life of the nation of which he was the leader, as progress which had been accomplished under his leadership. Washington had been the instrument in delivering his country from foreign oppression. Lincoln had been instrumental in its delivery from internal dissension, dismemberment and degradation.

Our Prosperity.

"Looking abroad over our material inheritance, we find no difficulty in answering our question with a joyful and enthusiastic affirmative. And the satisfaction we experience is immensely enhanced as we mark the pregress of the nation and its growth in strength and wealth. In population, since the War of the Revolution, we have increased about thirty fold. The accumulated wealth of the country at that time is hardly comparable, in figures, with America's wealth of today, exceeding as it does, one hundred thousand millions of dollars; or (to use the term billion, in the sense in which it is used ordinarily) one hundred billions. Our population, now rapidly approaching ninety millions of people, inherits a magnificent country of three and one-half millions of square miles, extending from ocean to ocean. We are at peace with the world, and are highly prosperous. But we have a greater wealth even than all this; it consists in personal freedom, and in a scarcely limited opportunity for intellectual and moral improvement. The education of the masses of our population has ever been one of the things most ardently sought after and supported by our people and their leaders. We are rich in intellectual as well as material gains, and the mind of genius and the practiced hand of industry have done much to establish our repute amongst the progressive nations of the earth. Is there no reverse to this brilliant shield upon which the sun of our prosperity so brilliantly beams? Are there no clouds in our sky? No dangers in our path? Is it fully certain that all the hopes for which the fathers suffered and bled are to be realized and that the future of America will justify the sacrifices made by its heroes? We have no right to cherish a feeling of pessimism. It is at once a privilege and a duty that we should give place to our liveliest and warmest hopes. But abreast with our optimism shoulh march the studious efforts of every patriot to keep the nation in the sure path of moral as well as material progress; of spiritual as well as worldly advancement. The Ship of State moves in a course beset now by the hidden rocks of Anarchy, and again by the shoals of irreligion, ignorance and folly.

Notes of Warinings.

"In our own town a certain respected spiritual adviser has recently uttered a note of warning touching the lack of religious instruction to American youth. Whilst there may be honest difference of opinion as to what constitutes religious instruction, there can be hardly a doubt of our lack and danger in this direction. One of the great perils of American life and character is a widespread absence of the spirit and attitude of reverence,—reverence for God and for good. One of the most painful evidences of this lack is the profanity heard in our streets from all sizes and classes of our population: from private citizens, from public officers, and even from the children rushing thoughtlessly and noisely from their school-desks to the street. Unless at this point there shall be a reform, we shall be confronted, at no distant day, with a dark and dreadful danger. There can be no adequate foundation for national life when the spirit of reverence is conspicuously absent; and where irreverence notoriously prevails the national character must weaken and become corrupt.

Spiritually Forgotten.

"Another important danger to American life is what may be called its tendency toward artificiality. In part this proceeds from life's complexity in our day, and this again has reference to our advanced material civilization. So long ago as the days in which Ecclesiastes was written, the wise man wrote: that God had made men upright; but they had sought out many inventions.

"It is fair to insist that the most of the clever inventions of our own day have worked beneficially for the interests of mankind, and toward delivery from the partial bondage in which man is controlled and dominated by his physical wants and requirements. A part of our difficulty consists, however, in the fact that with the advancement of civilization and with the multiplication of modern inventions, our wants increase and our lives thus become more complex on planes of materiality. With the increase of material needs, moral cultivation and spiritual aspirations are crowded out and forgotten. Men of all classes and conditions thus come more and more to find their lives and thoughts occupied in the abundance of things they possess, and perhaps, too, in the still greater number of things which they do not yet possess, but which they think they want. So far as this absorption in things material goes forward, by so much is the moral and spiritual nature hindered and dwarfed, and by so much is a danger to character created in the individual, and in no great length of time this danger becomes national and universal. Already Americans are taunted by the people of other countries with being greedy, grasping, and gross-minded. We are not ready to plead guilty to this indictment; and we may point with just pride to our splendid educational efforts and endowments, but in our heart of hearts we must admit that the chase after material increase has tended to weary and to weaken us in relation to moral and spiritual courses and endeavors.

"We must search out, set free, restore to honor the true life, assign things to their proper places, and remember that the center of human progress is moral growth. We are men and citizens, not by reason of the number of our goods and the pleasure we procure for ourselves, not through our intellectual and artistic culture, nor because of the honors and independence we enjoy; but by virtue of the strength of our moral fibre. And this is not a truth of today but a truth of all times.

Present Dangers.

"The follies of the rich have been suitably described and despised. It is right to condemn and to contemn these absurdities. The artificiality of modern society has in it much that is to be swept out as vulgar, filthy refuse. A part of our difficulty is that these absurdities are imitated by persons who are not rich and who ought to be devoting their attention to nobler aims. So soon as the poor man, or woman, or child of the poor man, begins to taste a little the luxury of abundance; so soon as there is something to spare which might be thriftily saved or judiciously appropriated to mental and moral progress, there is at once born a desire to do and enjoy the things which characterize the lives of the rich. One must needs avoid vulgar labor and 'get into society.' One must have the things and indulgences which appertain to superfluous means. Thus follows the waste—not only of the means which might be better employed, but also to the mental activities which should be occupied in building character and serving mankind. In lieu of breeding workers our system sometimes breeds drones, and produces not a few half-baked 'gentlemen' instead of well rounded and in-

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"Yes; I understand."

"Mr. Pickering tells me that he has no alternative in the matter; that the law requires him to collect this money as a debt due the estate.

"That is undoubtedly true, as a general proposition. He told me in New York that he had a claim against you for $50,000."

"Yes, that is the amount. I wish to say to you, Mr. Glenarm, that if it is necessary, I can pay that amount."

"Pray do not trouble about it, Sister Theresa. There are a good many things about my grandfather's affairs that I don't understand, but I'm not going to see an old friend of his swindled. There's more in all this than appears. My grandfather seems to have mislaid or lost most of his assets before he died. And yet he had the reputation of being a pretty cautious business man."

"The impression is abroad, as you must know, that your grandfather concealed his fortune before his death. The people hereabouts believe so; and Mr. Pickering, the executor, has been unable to trace it."

"Yes, I believe Mr. Pickering has not been able to solve the problem," I said and laughed.

"But, of course, you and he will cooperate in an effort to find the lost property."

She bent forward slightly; her eyes, as they met mine, examined me with a keen interest.

"Why shouldn't I be frank with you, Sister Theresa? I have every reason for believing Arthur Pickering a scoundrel. He does not care to cooperate with me in searching for this money. The fact is that he is very much wishes to eliminate me as a factor in the settlement of the estate. I speak carefully; I know exactly what I am saying."

She bowed her head slightly and was silent for a moment. The silence was the more marked from the fact that the hood of her habit concealed her face.

"What you say is very serious."

"Yes, and his offense is equally serious. It may seem odd for me to be saying this to you when I am a stranger—when you may be pardoned for having no very high opinion of me."

She turned her face to me—it was singularly gentle and refined—not a face to associate with an idea of self-seeking or duplicity.

"I sent for you, Mr. Glenarm, because I had a very good opinion of you; because, for one reason, you are the grandson of your grandfather"—and the friendly light in her gray eyes drove away any lingering doubt I may have had as to her sincerity. "I wished to warn you to have a care for your own safety. I don't warn you against Arthur Pickering alone, but against the countryside. The idea of a hidden fortune is alluring; a mysterious house and a lost treasure make a very enticing combination. I fancy Mr. Glenarm did not realize that he was creating dangers for the people he wished to help."

She was silent again, her eyes bent meditatively upon me. Then she spoke abruptly.

"Mr. Pickering wishes to marry my niece."

"Ah, I have been waiting to hear that. I am exceedingly glad to know that he has so noble an ambition. But Miss Devereux isn't encouraging him, as near as I can make out. She refused to go to California with his party—I happen to know that."

"That whole California episode would have been amusing if it had not been ridiculous. Marian never had the slightest idea of going with him; but she is sometimes a little—shall I say perverse?—"

"Please do! I like the word—and the quality!"

"—And Mr. Pickering's rather elaborate methods of wooing—"

"He's as heavy as lead!" I declared.

"—Amuse Marian up to a certain point; then they annoy her. He has implied pretty strongly that the claim against me could be easily adjusted if Marian marries him. But she will never marry him, whether she benefits by your grandfather's will or however that may be!"

"I should say not;" I declared with a warmth that caused Sister Theresa to sweep me with those wonderful gray eyes. "But first he expects to find this fortune and endow Miss Devereux with it. That is a part of the scheme. And my own interest in the estate must be eliminated before he can bring that condition about. But, Sister Theresa, I am not so easily got rid of as Arthur Pickering imagines. My staying qualities, which were always weak in the eyes of my family, have been blessed to a trifle."

"Yes."

I thought pleasure and hope were expressed in the monosyllable, and my heart warmed to her.

"Sister Theresa, you and I are understanding each other much better than I imagined we should"—and we both laughed, feeling a real sympathy growing between us."

"Yes, I believe we are"—and the smile lighted her face again.

"So I can tell you two things. The first is that Arthur Pickering will never find my grandfather's lost fortune, assuming that any exists. The second is that in no event will he marry your niece."

"You speak with a good deal of confidence," she said and laughed a low, murmuring laugh. I thought there was relief in it. "But I didn't suppose Marian's affairs interested you."

"They don't, Sister Theresa. Her affairs are not of the slightest importance—but she is!"

There was frank inquiry in her eyes now.

"But you don't know her—you have missed your opportunity."

"To be sure, I don't know her; but I know Olivia Gladys Armstrong. She's a particular friend of mine—we have chased rabbits together, and she told me a great deal. I have formed a very good opinion of Miss Devereux in that way. Oh, that note you wrote about Olivia's intrusions beyond the wall! I ought to thank you for it—but I really didn't mind."

"A note? I never wrote you a note until to-day!"

"Well, some one did!" I said, then she smiled.

"Oh, that must have been Marian! She was always Olivia's loyal friend and apologist."

"I should say so."

"But you shouldn't have known Olivia—it is unpardonable! If she played tricks upon you, you should not have taken advantage of them to make her acquaintance. That wasn't fair to me!"

"I suppose not! But I protest against this deportation. The landscape hereabouts is only so much sky, snow and lumber without Olivia."

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I went home and studied the time-table.

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BANKER SOUNDS WARNING

(Continued from page 6.)

dustrious citizens; and what intelligent observer can fail to see and deprecate such fruits of civilization or of education as the pitifully absurd 'snob' or 'climber' in American society and depraved and dangerous demagogue and trickster in American politics?

"Our school system, excellent as it is, has its defects in two directions: there should be less effort and time given to studies which are ornamental rather than practical, and greater pains should be given to laying foundations in a sense of moral responsibilty.

Broader Education.

"There must be something attempted of a deep and fundamental sort in this our plan of public education. It should be so fundamental as to assist its subject to withstand the stress and temptation of later life. It is easy for those who have not wealth to blame the excesses and follies of those who have it. It is not infrequent that the man who today denounces the rich monopolist, becomes himself, by some fortuitous circumstance, the rich monopolist of tomorrow, without desire or liking for denunciation. It is not long ago that a certain foremost opponent of monopoly, a governor of a southwestern State, chanced to become largely interested in oil wells. Immediately thereupon, his own fury against the monopolist dried up more quickly than did ever an exhausted well. We should remember that what is right is right now, and at all times. Our education should proceed upon broad and reasonable lines, and our children should be led to weigh well the questions and problems of life, so that their mental and moral fibre may grow with their growth and strengthen with their strength."

Mrs. Peter VanFleet, of Liberty street, has recovered from an attack of the grip.

Harry McGee, of the borough, continues to improve from an operation for appendicitis.

Dr. C. B. Lurburrow, of West Front street, is entertaining his father from Atlantic Highlands.

Misses Nora Noonan and Margaret Egenton are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Y. Burke, of Rock avenue.

John Y. Kenney and William Y. Burke, of Elizabeth, spent Sunday as the guests of Edward Y. Burke, of Rock avenue.

Miss Julia G. Shinn, who has been visiting in town for several days, left today for Philadelphia, where she will remain for a week or more.

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Bowling and General Sports

PLAINFIELD IN THE LEAGUE

Lackawanna Baseball Association Admits This City to Membership.

AND ELIZABETH, TOO

Robert Murphy Chosen President —Six Teams in Big Baseball League.

At a meeting of the Lackawanna Baseball League, held last night at the office of A. Philetus Konkle, Broad street, Newark, officers for the ensuing year were elected and Plainfield and Elizabeth were admitted into the league. The Plainfield team will take the place of the Orange-Clifton team and Elizabeth will take the place that Morristown left vacant. The league this season will be made up of the following teams: Dover, Irvington, Summit, Chatham, Plainfield and Elizabeth.

At half past seven Mr. Konkle, who was acting president in place of President Stillwell, of the Morristown club, whose team was withdrawn from the league, called the league to order. Immediately after the meeting was called and the minutes of the last meeting had been read, action was taken on the proposition to admit Plainfield and Elizabeth into the league. After a little discussion, both places were admitted.

After that question had been settled the election of officers was held and it resulted as follows: Robert J. Murphy, of Summit, was elected president; Frank Hopper, of Irvington, vice-president; A. Philetus Konkle, of Chatham, secretary, and William H. Cawley, Jr., of Dover, treasurer. President Murphy appointed the following as the executive committee: A. P. Konkle, W. H. Cawley, Jr., and David F. Driscoll.

The following were appointed to draw up the schedule: Frank Hopper, of Irvington; A. P. Konkle, of Chatham, and D. F. Driscoll, of Elizabeth.

President Murphy was ordered to call the next meeting as soon as the schedules of the Eastern, Atlantic and Tri-State Leagues appeared. The following were at the meeting: Robert J. Murphy, Summit; Frank Hopper, Irvington; A. Philetus Konkle, Chatham; William H. Cawley, Jr., Dover; David F. Driscoll, Elizabeth and Plainfield.

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ENDURANCE CONTEST THE LATEST IN BOWLING

TEN TEAMS WILL PARTICIPATE IN TWELVE-HOUR STRUGGLE.

Something new in the way of bowling, which has become a decidedly popular sport in Plainfield this winter, will be introduced at McLaughlin's alleys next Wednesday. Enthusiasts in the game have arranged a twelve-hour endurance contest and it will be the second time that one has been held in this State, the first having taken place at Madison early in the season. The entries have been limited to ten teams and nearly that number have already signified their intention of taking part.

The contest will begin at 1 o'clock in the afternoon and will stop at1 the next morning. According to the rules the members of the teams can relieve each other as often as they please and the aggregate number of pins secured by each two men in the twelve hours will be counted. For the team securing the most pins a prize of $15 is offered and for the second $8. In addition $5 will be presented the bowler making the highest individual score.

Among the teams to take part are P. L. Gaddis and "Steady Bill" Dilks, who have a comfortable lead in the two-man tourney which has been in progress at the alleys all winter; Ed Britton and Joseph Farlee, a strong combination; "Billy" Leland and Sam Dent, two steady rollers; William Skinner and Harry Ackor, also among the tourney leaders; John McLaughlin, Roy Day, Harry Montross and Charles Woolston.

The contest was arranged and will be conducted by George E. Firstbrook, who witnessed the one at Madison and is confident the one in this city will be even more successful.

GETTING TEAM SHAPED.

Y. M. C. A. Athletes Preparing for the State Meet at Paterson.

With two dual meets assured, and one or two more probable, the best material for a championship team to take part in the State meet at Paterson seems likely to be whipped into shape at the Y. M. C. A. in a thorough manner. Physical Director Listman is not ready yet to say who will go on the big team, as a matter of fact, he does not know. The dual meets are designed as try-outs, and the showing made in them will make or mar the athletes so far as the big team is concerned. The dual meet teams will not be kept intact on the basis of one that defeated Passaic. If any of the members can better the performances of the men on the team he will be given a chance to help win a meet.

From now on, Mr. Listman will work on the men to develop their style and form. He has been too busy to individualize the work up to the present, and practically all the men have been going at their own gait and style. Several of them can be improved almost as swiftly as a leaf may be turned by a bit of coaching as to proper methods. In every athletic sport style and knack will help plain strength wonderfully. Men, who left to themselves, would cover a certain distance in a jump, can be taught by a wise coach to stretch their jump by inches. Mr. Listman will try to teach his men all the knack and style there is; and he is a good and experienced coach.

GADDIS AND DILKS LOSE THREE GAMES STRAIGHT.

Leaders Strike Unexpected Defeat at Hands of Causebrook and McLaughlin.

After losing but one game in nearly six weeks, Dilks and Gaddis, leaders in the bowling tourney at McLaughlin's went down in defeat to the tune of three straight last night. They were bested by Causebrook and McLaughlin, who have been rolling good and bad by turns but who had hardly dared to count on a clean sweep themselves. They pulled through the first game by a majority of three, increased it to forty-one in the second and made it twenty-nine in the third.

Both Gaddis and Dilks were well below their average, except in one instance when Dilks made 202. Causebrook was the star roller and kept up an average of 186.1.

The scores:

Causebrook	167	200	192
McLaughlin	189	178	159
	356	378	351
vs.			
Gaddis	151	177	167
Dilks	202	160	155
	353	337	322

BASKETBALL.

The Y. M. C. A. boys' basketball team will play Leal's '09, tomorrow afternoon. The Elizabeth Y. M. C. A. juniors will play the local boys here Saturday morning.

The first Y. M. C. A. basketball team will play the fivr of the Prospect Park, Brooklyn, branch, Monday night, here.

GOLF.

As soon as the various committees at the Plainfield Country Club are completed plans will be laid in preparation for the opening of the season. If the weather is favorable the club will be opened early in April.

Mohicans All-Conquering.

The Mohican stook a firm grip on the premier position in the local basketball league last night by defeating the Apaches. They had an easy time doing it. The Sioux defeated the Cherokees. The Mohicans now look like the league winners. They deserve to win; they haven't lost a game.

FOR SENATOR BY BY THE POPULAR VOTE.

Mr. Brady Introduces a New Bill to Permit Voters to Express Their Opinion.

Trenton, Feb. 27.—In the House yesterday Mr. Brady introduced a bill for the popular expression of choice for United States Senator. It provides that in any year preceding the election of a United States Senator by the Legislature, at the primary election, it may be lawful to select a party nominee for United States Senator, and such nominee shall be entitled to have his name placed on the ballots of his party at the general election. Not less than 500 voters of such political party in each of at least seven counties of the State may file a petition with the secretary of State indorsing any member of their political party as a candidate for United States Senator, at least thiray days before the holding of the primary election.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following real estate transfers have been recorded at the office of the county clerk: B. Frank Coriell et ux. to Christopher H. Stahl, southeasterly side South Second street, 508 feet northeasterly of Clinton avenue, Plainfield, $1; Minnie Thies to George Zepp, Liberty street, corner R. R. Coriell, Plainfield, $2,200; Harry Ullman et ux. to Philip Kline, Washington street, corner Amy L. Moore, Plainfield, $1; Ella T. Manning et al. to Charles F. Randolph, northwesterly side La Grande avenue, 301 feet southwesterly of Berckman street, Plainfield, $1; Frank A. Pope et al. to Jacob B. Luttbeg, southeasterly side East Front street, corner J. B. Luttberg, Plainfield, $1,500; George Wiegand et ux. to Randolph W. Vail, southwesterly side Lyman place, 216 feet southeasterly of West Third street, Plainfield, $2,450.

Mrs. Cramer's Funeral.

The funeral of Mrs. Margaret L. Cramer was held at the home of her daughter, Mrs. S. C. Baker, of West Fifth street, yesterday afternoon. It was conducted by Rev. A. C. McCrea, pastor of the First M. E. church, and was attended by a large gathering of relatives. Interment was made at Hillside cemetery, the pall-bearers being Joseph Haynes, Elias Haberle, Albert Baker, Charles Roberts, Chas. Vincent and William Waters.

John Culp, formerly of this city, but now of Monticello, N. Y., has been visiting relatives and friends in town for a few weeks. He returns today to take charge of the Spring Valley House, which he will open early in the spring.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

Miss Grace Carroll, of the Crescent Avenue church choir, will sing at the Y. M. C. A. meeting Sunday afternoon.

A Danish Lutheran service will be held tonight in the W. C. T. U. rooms at 8 o'clock. There will be preaching by Rev. Kiaer.

Under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the First M. E. church a birthday social will be held in Vincent chapel, tomorrow night. There will be the exhibition of a number of Japanese slides, a programme of music and refreshments. Admission will be free and the members of the church and congregation are invited.

OBITUARY.

William Toneis.

William Toneis, of Paterson, son-in-law of John Walton, of this city, died last night. A few weeks ago he was taken ill with grip which developed into pneumonia. The direct cause of death, however, was hasty consumption. Funeral services will be held at 8 o'clock tonight at the home in Hilton street, Paterson, and interment will be private. Mr. Toneis is confined to her bed with grip.

CLOSED PORTALS.

There will be initiation at the meeting of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., tomorrow night.

Somerset Council, No. 104, Jr. O. U. A. M., will receive several new applications for members at its meeting Friday night.

WANTS TO BE A CITY.

Special Laws Give Montclair Many Extra Powers—Council to Act.

Montclair, Feb. 27.—At a meeting of the Montclair Town Council Monday night a draft of a bill to be presented to the Legislature for the incorporation of Montclair as a city was read and discussed. For the last few years it has been evident to the citizens of Montclair that the administration of municipal affairs could not be conducted properly under the Voorhees law, which applied to all municipalities other than cites. The town had grown so rapidly since the passage of the law that the Legislature has been appealed to frequently to enact laws for the especial benefit of Montclair, entailing considerable loss of time and expense to the officials and taxpayers of the town.

By the passage of different laws, Montclair at the present time enjoys many of the privileges of a city, but the town officials and many of the leading citizens believe that the time has come for Montclair to become a full-fledged city. For several years the schools have been conducted on the same lines as those in Newark and other cities, the school law having been amended to meet the requirements of Montclair and a few other places in the State. It is not believed that any opposition to the proposed bill will be made here. It is expected that definite action will be taken by the Town Council at its next regular meeting.

BOOMING NEW BOROUGH.

South Plainfielders Go To Trenton; Assemblyman Reassures Villagers.

To further the passage of the bill to make South Plainfield a borough, Archibald Steengraafe and Peter McDonough, leaders of the movement to change the village government, went to Trenton this morning. Assemblyman Drake, of Stelton, who introduced the bill, stoped in the village for a short time before going on his way to the State capital, to tell the South Plainfielders to be of good cheer. He assured them the bill would be passed.

The assurance was received with unconcealed satisfaction in all quarters. Arrangements are being made to celebrate the creation of the new municipality with bonfires.

Colored Coal Thief Jailed.

Oscar Green, colored, was sentenced to 20 days in the county jail for stealing coal, this morning, by Judge Runyon. It was his second offense within two months. Chief Dougherty and Detective Henry Gaffney, of the Central Railroad police, who arrested him, took him to the jail. Eph Carman, colored, arrested on the same charge, was released under suspended sentence. Green is said to have stolen the coal to sell.

New Cop Takes Oath.

All the special officers appointed by the Common Council at its last meeting will be sworn in at Mayor Fisk's office Friday night. They were notified, through Chief Kiely, today, to be at the Mayor's office that night between 7 and 8 o'clock. Tobias Nolan, one of the four men appointed to the regular force, will go on duty tonight. He was sworn in by City Judge Runyon this morning.

Will Give Gounod's "Gallia."

William E. MacClymont, organist and choirmaster of Grace church, is planning to give Gounod's "Gallia," at the church on Tuesday night, March 5, by his regular choir, assisted by many additional voices. This will be the second special musical service given by the choir this winter and is being looked forward to with considerable interest.

—For best results try The Daily Press.

SCHEUER'S SPECIALS

FOR THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

Borden's Eagle Brand Condensed Milk, a can 12½c	Baker's Premium Chocolate, a cake 15c	Fairbanks' Gold Dust Washing Powder, 4-lb package 18c	Fairbanks' Cottolene, 25c size, 2-lb pail 21c
Heinz Tomato Soup, quart can, 25c size, a can 22c	Heinz Strawberry Preserves, 45c kind, 2-lb bottle 39c	New York State Hand-picked Pea Beans, 10 lbs ..... 39c, 5 lbs 21c	Marasquin Cherries, $1.25 size, ½-gallon bottle, 85c
Morgan's Sopolio, regular 8c, a cake 6c	Bon Ami, 10c size, a cake 7c	Libby & McNeil's Veal Loaf, 12c size, a can 8c	Crystalized Ginger, a tin 8c
Huntley & Palmer's Petit Beurre Crackers, 15c kind, a pkg 10c	Choice Pulled Figs, 18c kind, a lb 15c	Grated Pineapple for Pies, 12c kind, large can 8c	Stuffed Dates, 25c kind, a box 17c

CHOICE CALIFORNIA NAVAL ORANGES, a dozen ..... 25c, 35c and 45c
FLORIDA SWEET ORANGES, Indian River Fruit, large size fruit, a dozen 35c

LENTEN SPECIALS.

Salt Mackerel, white and fat, lb 12c
Smoked Bloaters, per fish 3c
Boneless Codfish, a lb 12c
Salt Herring, a lb 5c
Salmon (Colman Flag) a can 12c
Bird Rock Lobster, ½-lb can 20c
Bird Rock Lobster, 1-lb can 35c
Little Neck Clams, a can 10c
Sardines, in oil, a can 4c
Sardines, in mustard, large tin 8c
Smoked Salmon, thinly sliced in glass ..... 16c and 28c
Boneless Herring, glass tumblers 10c
Russian Sardines, a bottle 10c
Fresh Ground Horseradish, a bottle 8c

N. O. Molasses, finest quality, best Plantation, open kettle, gallon, 58c; a quart 15c
Syrup, Golden Drips, pure sugar syrup, a gal. 45c; a qt 13c
Flour, Hecker's Hygenic, whole wheat flour, 12 lb bag 39c
Buckwheat, new Sussex County, 25 lb bag, 76c; 12 lb bag, 39c
Graham Flour, fresh ground, 5-lb bag 14c
Rye Flour, fresh ground, 5-lb bag 14c
Oatmeal, best White Rolled Oats, 6 lb bag 21c
Corn Meal, best granulated, yellow or white, 5-lb bag 13c
Hominy, fresh ground, in bulk, 4 lbs for 10c
Barley, new course, 3-lb bag, 11c
Farina, Best Wheat Farina, 4-lb bag 15c

CANNED FRUIT AND VEGETABLES.

Corn, Royal Blue, sweet, can 10c; per dozen $1.10
String Beans, Varick Brand, can 10c; per dozen $1.10
Succotash, Leroy Brand, can 10c; per dozen $1.10
Pumpkin, Queen Quality, can 10c; per dozen $1.10
Peas, Fort Hill Brand, can 12c; per dozen $1.30
Spinach, Nabob Brand, can 14c; per dozen $1.60
Asparagus, Shrewsbury Points, can 20c; per dozen $2.20
Pears, in heavy syrup, large can 15c; per dozen $1.70
Peaches, Wheeler Brand, a can 14c; per dozen $1.65
Apples, gallon can 25c
per dozen $2.75
Blueberries, hand selected, can 15c; per dozen $1.70

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Ginger Snaps, lb 5c	Lemon Cakes, lb 5c	Nic-Nacs, lb 5c	Spice Drops, lb 10c
Fancy Baldwin Apples, pony basket 35c	20 Stamps with pony basket White or Yellow Turnips 20c	20 Stamps with 3 large rolls Toilet Paper 25c	20 Stamps with 3-lb box Crescent Laundry Starch 20c

$1.00 in Stamps With Any of the Following:

3-lb box large California Prunes 25c
1 box Gold Medal Cocoa 20c
1 box Hasty Lunch Chocolate 18c
1 bottle Vanilla Extract 15c
1 bottle Lemon Extract 15c
1 package Farina 10c
3-lb package Rice 20c
2-lb package Scheuer's Oats .. 10c
1 package Parlor Matches 12c
1 bottle Royal Shoe Dressing .. 10c
2 cakes Scouring Soap, each ... 5c
2 bottles Ink, a bottle 5c

In Our Meat Department.

Choice Young Turkey, a lb ..... 20c and 22c
Roasting Chickens 18c and 20c
Corned Beef Tongues, lb 15c
Legs of Lamb, lb 16c
Shoulder of Lamb, lb 12c
Prepared Ham, lb 15c
Fresh Rump Roast, lb 12c
Rump Corned Beef, lb 12c
Fresh Pork Sausage, lb 14c
Pickled Tripe, a lb 5c
Hamburg Steak, lb 10c
Philadelphia Scrapple, lb 10c

$1.00 in Stamps With Any of the Following:

4 lbs. California Prunes 25c
3-lb package Buckwheat 15c
¼-lb package Black Pepper 10c
¼-lb package Cinnamon 12c
¼-lb package Cloves 12c
1 package Macaronni 10c
1 bottle Cider Vinegar 10c
1 can Baked Beans 10c
1 can Black Jack Stove Polish 10c
1 box Tooth Powder 10c
8-lb bag Salt 10c
1 box Starch Luster 10c
1 box Magic Hand Cleanser .. 10c

BURNHAM'S CLAM BOUILLON half pint bottle, 20c; pint bottle, 35c; quart bottle 65c

Extra Stamps—TEAS.

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70	STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Tea	50c
30	STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Tea	35c
100	STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Premium Baking Powder	45c

Extra Stamps—COFFEES.

30	STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Coffee	32c
30	STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Coffee	29c
20	STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Coffee	27c
20	STAMPS FREE WITH 1 pound Coffee	23c

Finds His Kidnapped Girl.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 27.—After a search of nearly a year Cecilia Demetro, twelve years old, kidnapped daughter of a wealthy Greek of Little Rock, was found yesterday in a gypsy camp near Thornton, Ill. Leo Demetro, her father, obtained trace of her from a gypsy in Salt Lake City. Accompanied by deputy sheriffs Demetro went to Thornton. Before Demetro could reach his daughter John Joe, king of the camp, burst from a tent and seized Cecilia. Demetro clutched the gypsy by the throat and they fell to the ground. Scores of Joe's followers crowded around, but the sheriffs drew their revolvers and took the girl away.

Legislator Draws a Knife.

Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 27.—The floor of the House of Representatives yesterday was the scene of a vigorous encounter between R. N. Hackett, who has been elected to Congress, and Representative C. G. Bryant, of Wilkes county. Hackett struck Bryant on the ear and jaw. Bryant drew a pocket knife and started for Hackett, but was stopped and disarmed. He then tried to hit Hackett with an ink stand and later with a chair, but the blows fell short. When quiet was restored Bryant apologized for his offensive wards that brought on the fracas during a committee hearing. Hackett is a Democrat and Bryant a Republican.

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CHANGING THE AUTO LAW

Senator Jos. Frelinghuysen's Amendments Provides for Twenty-five Inspectors.

TOURISTS' LICENSES

State Commissioner to Get $1,500 Extra a Year—Chief Inspector $1,500—Other Provisions.

In the event of the enactment of a measure introduced in the State Senate by Senator Joseph Frelinghuysen yesterday, there will be two important changes in the present automobile laws.

It provides first, for increasing the number of paid inspectors to 25, and also that there may be appointed 25 additional inspectors who are to serve without pay. The paid inspectors are to receive $3 a day.

The present law provides for seven inspectors, but on the recommendation of the joint committee on appropriations the Legislature last year fixed the compensation so low that only three individuals competent to act in that capacity could be employed with pay and the other four inspectors served without remuneration of any sort.

The services rendered by the unpaid inspectors were of such a high order that State Commissioner of Motor Vehicles J. B. R. Smith gave them praise in his annual report and Senator Frelinghuysen, who has fathered all the automobile legislation in this State, is so pleased that he desires to largely increase their number.

The second feature of the bill provides for short-term licenses for tourists in this State, to be issued in such manner as the State commissioner shall direct. These licenses are for three days and the charge is $1. These tourists must file the address of counsel upon whom service may be made in case of accident in this State.

Another innovation incorporated in the new bill gives the State commissioner $1,500 a year, in addition to his salary as assistant secretary of State, which is $3,000. It also fixes the salary of the chief inspector at $1,500 a year.

The provisions regulating the use and speed, license and registration fees and penalties are practically the same as in the present law.

DOUBLE CELEBRATION AT THE HIGH SCHOOL.

Anniversaries of Washington and Longfellow Appropriately Observed.

Exercises in commemoration of Washington and Longfellow were held yesterday in the Plainfield High School. It was the one hundredth anniversary of the birthday of the great American poet. The programme was of a strictly patriotic nature and one of unusual interest.

The exercises opened with "Hail Columbia," sung by the school. Miss Rose Siegal recited "Under the Elm." "An Appreciation of Longfellow," written by Miss Corleina Lounsbury, was read by her. Miss Sadie Brouwer recited "The Cross of Snow." A trio composed of the Misses Irene Dunham and Henrietta Winn, and the Messrs. Guin Fountain and Doane, sang "She Sleeps, My Lady Sleeps." "Snow Flakes" was recited by Miss Ruth Klein: and "The Skeleton In Armor," by Richard Harrigan. A vocal solo entitled "The Arrow and the Song, was given by Miss Queena Tillotson. "Morituri Salutamus," the poem which Longfellow read at the fiftieth anniversary of his college class, was recited by Adelbert Van Brakle. The exercises concluded with "America," by the school.

Reception to National Commander.

County Chairman F. H. Smith, together with several veterans from this city, were among those who attended a reception last night to Robert B. Brown, of St. Louis, national commander of the G. A. R., and staff, at Bender's Hotel in Lorraine. The affair was arranged by Department Commander Atkinson, of Roselle, and was under the auspices of Ulrich Dahlgren Post, No. 25, of Elizabeth. Commander Atkinson [illegible] and there were speeches by Commander Brown and his staff as well from department officers.

Funeral of Levi Bird.

The funeral of Levi Bird was held at his late home on Somerset street, yesterday afternoon, a large gathering being in attendance. It was conducted by Rev. J. O. McKelvey and Rev. Phil. A. Parsons. Interment was made in the North Plainfield cemetery, the pall-bearers being Worth Codington, John Emmons, Jacob Voehl, Lewis Bird, William Debele and Robert McNabb.

—Augustus Mobus is having a home erected for himself at Watchung and Codington avenues.

PEOPLE'S NATIONAL OPENS DOORS APRIL 1

MESSRS. M'CUTCHEN, SAUNDERS TOWNSEND AND CASE AMONG DIRECTORS.

The People's National Bank, of Westfield, which has been fostered by the Plainfield Trust Company, was formally organized yesterday with a capital stock of $50,000 and a surplus of $10,000. The citizens of that town have been enthusiastic over the proposition and have over-subscribed to the amount of stock issued. It was decided to open the new institution for business in the Abbott building on Broad street, about April 1.

While the directors are mostly Westfield men, several Plainfield capitalists are interested. Yesterday's meeting was held at the Westfield Club. These directors were elected: Joseph E. Gallagher, R. P. Grant, W. E. Tuttle, Jr., E. A. Merrill, E. L. Cole, Dr. R. R. Sinclair and E. T. Perrine, of Westfield, and Charles W. McCutchen, Samuel Townsend, J. Herbert Case and William L. Saunders, of Plainfield. All of the Plainfield directors but Mr. Saunders are directors in the Plainfield Trust Company. A meeting will be held in a few days to elect officers.

BILL THAT AFFECTS UNION COUNTY MUCH

PLACES CERTAIN ROADS UNDER REGULATIONS OF STATE LAW.

Senator Hillery, of Morris county, has introduced a bill in the State Senate which applies to Union county. It provides that roads built under the old county bonding law shall hereafter be under the regulations of the State Aid Road Law.

The bill provides that it shall be lawful for Boards of Freeholders in the several counties of this State that have heretofore acquired and improved, or that may hereafter acquire and improve any road or roads under the act to which this is a supplement, to keep and maintain such roads in repair in the same manner and to the same extent as State aid roads may now be repaired and maintained under the State Aid Act. It shall not be necessary to advertise or contract for work or material for such repairs otherwise than as required for State aid road repairs in and by the State Aid Act of 1905, with its supplements and amendments.

It is made lawful by the bill for the freeholders of any county that has heretofore acquired and improved any road or roads under the act to which this is a supplement (and which has a county supervisor of State aid roads) by resolution to place the repair and maintenance of all such roads under the charge and supervision of such county supervisor of roads. The act is to take effect immediately.

PETER KIERNAN DEAD.

He Was Shortstop On Nine That Defeated Westfield.

Word has been received here of the death of Peter Kiernan, who played shortstop on Philip Daab's championship baseball team in this city two years ago. He was one of the best known semi-professional players in the metropolitan district, and won many friends among the fans here.

He died about a month ago, at his home in New York. He is survived by two small children. His wife died several years ago. Kiernan's work figured largely in the championship baseball race against Westfield; he was a fast fielder and in the majority of the games he started off—he was first on the batting order—with a hit or a base on balls.

Working on Tax Budget.

The March meeting of the Common Council will be held on Monday night, when it is expected that matters of much importance will be taken up. The finance committee just now is busy getting the details in shape for the annual budget which will be announced in a short time. The various committees make their report to the finance committee of the amount thought necessary for each department during the year and all these amounts have to be considered in detail to see whether the amount asked for can be appropriated. It is the general opinion that the appropriations for the coming year will not greatly exceed those of last year.

King's Daughters Musicale.

The Benevolent Band, King's Daughters, will hold a musicale at the residence of Mrs. Craig A. Marsh, 308 West Eighth street, Thursday afternoon, March 14, at 4 o'clock. Tea will be served at 5 o'clock.

TALKS ON TUBERCULOSIS

Dr. Livington Farrand and Dr. Frederick Bailly to Speak Here.

AT STATE EXHIBITION

To Be Shown Here Every Day Next Week—Under Direction of the Clinical Society.

The State Tuberculosis exhibit which has been secured by the Committee on Tuberculosis of the Plainfield Clinical Society, will be opened on Monday, March 4. The exhibit will show, by means of charts, photographs, models of tenement house rooms, tents, shacks, and other interesting applicances, the manner in which tuberculosis may be prevented and cured. It contains nothing unpleasant, objectionable or dangerous but is for the purpose of interesting the people in the great question of the prevention and cure of this disease.

Tuberculosis, commonly called consumption, is a preventable and curable disease. It is chiefly caused by the filthy habit of spitting. In the United States there were 200,000 deaths from this cause in 1906; in the State of New Jersey there were 4,000; and in Plainfield exactly twenty-six. These figures are appalling especially when it is realized that if the sputum of the consumptive was properly taken care of, tuberculosis would be as rare as smallpox.

The exhibit will afford the people of Plainfield and North Plainfield an opportunity to learn something about the prevention and cure of this disease. There will be an address by Dr. Livingston Farrand, secretary of the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis, and also a lecture, illustrated by stereopticon views, by Dr. Frederick Bailey, of Elizabeth, on Tuesday night, March 5, at 8:15 at the exhibition rooms.

The exhibit will be shown in the Stirling building at No. 210 Park avenue. The room will be open every afternoon from 1 until 6 o'clock, and every night from 7 until 10 o'clock, during the week beginning Monday, March 4, and ending Sunday, March 10.

The exhibit arrived last night. The committee on tuberculosis of the Plainfield Clinical Society, which has the matter in charge, will meet tomorrow night to make final arrangements for bringing the attention of the people to this exhibit.

MISS REYNOLDS' FUNERAL.

Service Carried Out As She Had Requested Just Previous to Death.

Before a large gathering of relatives and friends, the funeral of Miss Ethel J. Reynolds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hazelton C. Reynolds, of Summit avenue, was held at the parents' home, yesterday afternoon. The service was carried out in strict accordance to the wishes of the young woman as she had planned the details just previous to her death. Rev. J. O. McKelvey, pastor of Warren chapel, was in charge and Elmer D. Cutting sang two of Miss Reynolds' favorite hymns, "Some Day We'll Understand" and "One Sweetly Solemn Thought." Judge William N. Runyon acted as accompanist.

There was an unusually large array of floral tributes that included many set pieces, among them a large one from the New York banking house in which Miss Reynolds was employed at the time her illness began.

Interment was made in Evergreen cemetery, the pall bearers being Thomas DeMeza, George Pope, Thomas M. Muir and Harry Blimm.

Swimming Hole to Be Abandoned.

Convinced that the swimming hole on his property is more of a nuisance than a benefit, H. C. Compton, of West Front street, has decided to have the bath-house removed and the place fenced in to prevent its being used during the coming summer. It was through the efforts of the Board of Trade that the place on Mr. Compton's land in the West End was opened as a swimming hole and through the generosity of Senator Ackerman that the bath-house was erected, but the boys have abused the privileges given them. Boys of all sizes have gathered at the place and besides making a nuisance of themselves in cold weather have used the bath-house as a place to play crap. In the future the boys will have to seek another place to swim.

Boys' Mission Band Will Entertain.

The members of the Boys' Mission Band, of Trinity Reformed church, will hold an entertainment in the lecture room of the church Friday night, March 15, at 8 o'clock. The programme will include recitations, vocal and instrumental music and two dialogues. A silver offering will be received.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD BILL INTRODUCED YESTERDAY

HUDSON COUNTY DEMOCRAT SPONSER FOR THE BOROUGH MEASURE.

In the lower house at Trenton, yesterday, Assemblyman James Baker, of Hudson, introduced a bill to incorporate the village of South Plainfield as a borough. The measure was at once referred to the committee on boroughs and it is needless to say that the residents of the Middlesex hamlet will make a strong fight to have favorable action taken on it without delay. The South Plainfield Good Government Club is sponsor for the bill and so far as can be learned it has the almost unanimous support of the taxpayers in general. The Middlesex county politicians, however, are just as much opposed to the scheme as they were a year ago and it is said that they may be depended upon to put every obstacle in the way to prevent its passage.

It is a rather peculiar fact that none of the Middlesex Assemblymen introduced the bill. Just why Assemblymen Drake, Crowther and Haines are opposed to it has not been learned, but the fact remains that a Hudson county Democrat came to the aid of the South Plainfield civic club. It is reported that Senator George S. Silzer, of Metuchen, who is also a Democrat, will take care of the measure when it reaches the upper house.

CONVICTED OF KILLING; HE GETS A NEW TRIAL

ITALIAN WHO FATALLY STABBED FELLOW COUNTRYMAN WINS ON APPEAL.

Luigi Scaduti, of Bayonne, who on June 7, 1905, murdered Lorenz Fauchi, a fellow fish peddler, in this city, and was sentenced by Judge Vail to three years in State Prison for manslaughter, is given a new trial by a decision of the Supreme court given yesterday.

Scaduti was indicted at the October term of the Grand Jury in 1905, tried and convicted of manslaughter. His counsel, J. P. Owens, assisted by W. W. Wilson, of Elizabeth, appealed the case. In the meantime Scaduti was released on bail.

The two Italians at the time of the murder were engaged in selling fish in this city. Each had a certain territory and it was understood that one was not to interfere with the other's customers. It was claimed at the time that Fauchi violated the agreement and repeatedly went into Scaduti's territory. On June 7 the two men quarrelled and Fauchi was killed. Scaduti claimed that he was acting in self-defense.

AGAIN "CONJUNCTION."

Police Court Humorist Wins Suspended Sentence.

Conjunction Jones played his old role of prisoner in the city court this morning. He was charged with stealing coal from Central Railroad cars, by Chief Dougherty, of the railroad police. He was drawn into his usual foolery, and won a suspended sentence. He told Judge Runyon after the hearing that he came into court prepared to go to jail.

Conjunction rung his usual new word. "Sploosibility" is his latest contribution to the language. It means sincerely—"anything in de latitude uv reality an' frum de haht."

Pastor's Aid Society Elects.

The members of the Pastor's Aid Society of the First Presbyterian church met this week and elected these officers for the coming year: President, Mrs. Eugene Bond; first vice president, Mrs. LeRoy Gates; second vice president, Miss McConaughy; secretary, Miss Helen Burroughs; treasurer, Mrs. Freeman Shotwell. The society discussed plans for the year but nothing definite was decided upon for the present. Later an entertainment or reception may be given.

Miss Hamilton Gives Sleighing Party.

Miss Mabel Hamilton, of Fairview avenue, gave a sleiging party last night in honor of her cousin, who is visiting her from Brooklyn. There were thirty young people in the party. Afterward Miss Hamilton entertained the party at her home by serving refreshments.

Missionary Meeting.

The Missionary Society of Hope chapel held its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Mary E. Firstbrook, Grant avenue, yesterday afternoon. The attendance was over 40. Refreshments were served after the session.

—Mr. and Mrs. Horace J. Martin, Sr., will move April 1 from 505 Watchung avenue to 26 Duer street, the house now occupied by Frank Lyons.

COME INTO A FORTUNE

Three Plainfielders Get Possession of $500,000 By Court's Decision.

A WILL IS ASSAILED

Third Cousins Try To Break Testament Benefitting H. J. Storrs, Miss Mary Storrs and Mrs. Electa Storrs Craft.

Through a decision of Surrogate Jackson, at Mineola, L. I., Tuesday, Henry J. Storrs, Miss Mary Louise Storrs and Mrs. Electa Storrs Craft, all of this city, have come into possession of half a $1,000,000 estate. They were bequeathed the fortune by the late Stephen Mott Wright, their cousin.

The other half of the estate was left to Mrs. Ida Beach Stuart. William H. Dodge and Stephen S. Dodge, third cousins of the testator, applied for a revocation of the will on the ground that they were not cited when the will was probated, and alleged, further, that fraud and undue influence figured in the drawing of the instrument.

Henry J. Storrs is an assistant controller of New York city. He has lived here, on Kensington avenue, for more than thirty years. The late Mr. Wright spent much of his time with them.

The Wright residence at Sea Cliff, and its contents, go to Mrs. Stuart.

CONTRACTOR DROPS DEAD; STRICKEN WITH APOPLEXY.

William Pangborn, Who Built Many Fine Homes, Dies Suddenly.

While passing from one room to another at his home at 7 o'clock last night, William Pangborn, the well-known contracting mason, was stricken with apoplexy and fell to the floor. By the time members of his family had reached his side life was extinct.

Mr. Pangborn was the son of Stephen Pangborn and brother of Freeman and the late Isaac Pangborn. He had lived in Plainfield practically all his life and had erected many of the finest residences in the city. He was a member of the Odd Fellows and a stockholder in the Watchung Water Company. He leaves a widow, one daughter, Mrs. Harry Weber, and one son, Albert Pangborn.

The funeral will be held at his late home and will be private.

Literature for the Sailors.

In response to a request for magazines and literature of all kinds which can be used for distribution among the sailors, Mrs. M. C. Dobbins, of Elmwood place, sent six barrels of such literature yesterday to Captain George Benn, of the Mission Yacht Association, Brooklyn. Persons having literature which they want to give to this work may send them to Captain George Benn, Mission Yacht Association, No. 619 Fifty-eighth street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

To Study Christianity in India.

The Christian Endeavor Society, of the First Presbyterian church, has arranged with the pastor, Rev. C. E. Herring, to take up the study of "The Christian Conquest of India." The first Sunday night in each month for eight months will be devoted to this study and Mr. Herring will take charge of the meetings which will be held at the usual hour, 7 o'clock, preceding the preaching service.

Lenten Service at Grace Church.

Rev. E. J. Knight of Christ church, Trenton, was the special preacher at Grace church last night. This was the third mid-week Lenten service held at the church and like the preceding two was largely attended by worshippers. On Wednesday night, March 6, Rev. Albert Longley, of Trinity church, Bayonne, will preach.

Carpenter Breaks His Arm.

Joseph Mills, of Summit avenue, received a broken arm a few days ago by being knocked from a scaffold on which he was working. A fellow carpenter shoved a bale of shingles to him but it came with too much force and carried him off his foothold to the ground. He was assisted home and a physician set the break.

Visiting High School Departments.

C. H. Howe, principal of the High School at Wakefield, Mass., is spending the day visiting the various departments in the Plainfield High School. Mr. Howe has been delegated to watch the work at various high schools in New Jersey and the one in this city was among the first to be selected by him.

Westfield Annexation.

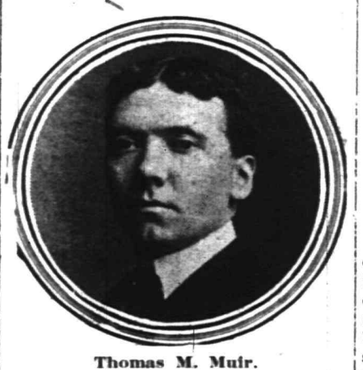
Assemblyman Randolph Perkins introduced a bill in the House yesterday to annex to the town of Westfield, Union county, the portion of the territory from the borough of Mountainside. It was referred to the committee on boroughs.

MUIR'S MINSTRELS IS NOW "EN TOUR"

GOLD MEDAL TROUP WINS FAVOR AT SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

"Tom" Muir's Gold Medal minstrel troupe, of this city, continued its tour of the suburbs, last night, by appearing at Washington hall, South Plainfield, and presenting one of its popular black-face entertainments. It was given under the auspices of the South Plainfield school for the benefit of the piano fund and standing room only was on sale before the curtain rose.

The programme was similar to



Thomas M. Muir.

those the Gold Medals have been giving at Scotch Plains, New Market and other places and the audience was quick to show appreciation of the artists' efforts by frequent and enthusiastic applause. Several local jokes and an original song relative to the South Plainfield borough matter "brought down the house."

The Four H. Quartette, which has become a widely known organization, presented its singing and talking act, "Twenty Minutes of Harmony and Fun," and made one of the biggest hits of the evening. The quartette is composed of Harry Roberts, first tenor; Horace J. Martin, Jr., second tenor; Hugh Ricketts, baritone, and Harry Blimm, bass. During the act the members introduced several new songs that took well. As usual Mr. Muir was enthusiastically applauded.

Following the show an informal dance was held, the troupe having been accompanied from Plainfield by a large delegation of friends.

The company will continue in nearby places and has already arranged for a show at Bound Brook on March 12 and another at Mount Bethel on March 19.

SECOND REGIMENT MEN RESENT THIRD'S CLAIM

QUESTION OF RELATIVE EFFICIENCY MAINTAINS BRIGADE DEADLOCK.

Officers and men of the Second Regiment, of Trenton, strongly resent the claims of the officers and men of the Third Regiment, of Camden, that the latter is the more efficient military organization of the two, and that on that account Colonel John A. Mather, and not Colonel Dennis F. Collins, should be elevated to the command of the brigade, over which position a deadlock is now existing.

The Camden men base their claim on the report of the War Secretary of the United States, which gives them a percentage of 98.18 at inspection as against the Second Regiment's 90.69.

The Second Regiment men claim that the general average of the National Guard work for the past year shows them to be in advance of the Camden men in every line of military work.

Entertained National Officers.

National Commander Brown, of the G. A. R., accompanied by his staff, was entertained at a banquet at Roselle Inn, Roselle, last night, Department Commander Atkinson, of that place, being the host. There were about 150 veterans present, including several past officers from Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, of this city. Commander Brown left today for Atlantic City, where it is proposed to hold the National Encampment this year.

Vincent Miner Receiving Teller.

Owing to the marked increase in business, the Plainfield Trust Company inaugurated a new method yesterday for handling it more expeditiously. Heretofore, Albert Steiner has acted as paying and receiving teller and there were many times when he was unable to do this work quickly. Vincent Miner has now been made receiving teller and Mr. Steiner will devote his time to the work of paying teller.

—Neuman Brothers have a large display of fresh fruits and vegetables at all times of the year. They are featuring Florida strawberries at present.

PUPIL'S HEAD CUT IN FIGHT WITH TEACHER

Young Saverd Alleges South Plainfield School Principal Used Bell as Weapon.

BOY WAS DISOBEDIENT

Lad Refused To Go Home When Ordered—Frank Meskill Will Not Talk—Complaint Is Made.

After just recovering from a school episode that furnished lots of material for discussion at the village grocery store and other social clearing places, South Plainfield has again been upset by an occurrence from the same source. It happened yesterday with Principal Frank Meskill and fourteen-year-old Michael Saverd, a pupil, as the principals and from stories that are circulating it closely approached the old-time district school rough-and-tumble act.

Principal Meskill would not discuss the matter today but young Saverd readily told his version. He was driving home from Plainfield in a sleigh, Tuesday afternoon, with John Geary and Allen Morgan, he told a reporter today, when they encountered Mr. Meskill walking on Park avenue near Avon Park. The latter resides on East Second street, this city, and generally makes the trip to and from the school on foot. Savered claims he did not see the principal until almost directly upon him and then pulled into a drift to escape running him down. According to the report, Meskill believed that the boy had deliberately crowded him off the road and that he and his companions had jeered and hooted at him.

At any rate, when Saverd appeared at school yesterday morning, the boy alleges, he was instructed by the principal to go home and when informed it was because of the occurrence of the day before he refused. Meskill allowed him to remain for the morning but when he appeared again after the noon recess, it is said, he repeated his command and when met by a second refusal, shoved him outdoors. Savered swung around through another entrance and it is alleged as he came in Meskill started toward him. The boy grabbed up a book and threw it at the principal and the latter according to the lad's story, retaliated by striking back with a hand-bell which he had been ringing. The edge caught Saverd on the head and inflicted a bad gash, at the same time putting a stop to hostilities.

The boy hurried home with a bad headache and the bleeding cut and his parents sent him to Dr. Nelson. The physician fixed him up but the head ached all night. This morning the boy and his father, Thomas Saverd, visited Justice R. P. F. Von Minden, at his office in this city, and preferred a formal charge of assault against Meskill. The father says he will also have the matter brought to the attention of the school board.

Only a few weeks ago, the village was wrought up by the sudden leaving of a teacher, brought about, it was said, by indignities heaped upon her by the pupils. The trustees declared there was no more than the ordinary unruliness at the school but there have been rumors since then that there have been sharp clashes between the instructors and children. Several times local lawyers were consulted by parents.

A. C. E. Mass Meeting.

The local Christian Endeavor Union will hold a public mass meeting at the Seventh-Day Baptist church on Tuesday night, March 5, for the purpose of considering the proposition of continuing the mission work at the Hunter Avenue Tabernacle in the West End. The mission work was started several months ago. Up to the present time it has been carried on by a few Endeavorers, who are now anxious that all of the Endeavor societies of the city and borough become interested. The subject will be fully presented Tuesday night, and a vote will be taken to decide the question as to whether the union will support the work.

Grand Master Workman to Speak.

Grand Master Workman Fred P. Fowle, of Irvington, will deliver an address at the "ladies' night" entertainment to be given by Central Lodge, No. 48, A. O. U. W., tonight. An excellent programme has been prepared by the committee.

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Fancy Table Tumblers, 2 styles; regular 39c value, for, dozen ..... .17

Decorated China Covered Dishes, regular 89c value, for ..... .39

Toilet Paper, 7½ oz. best quality, 5c value; special 8 rolls for ..... .25

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

The Ithaca Conservatory of Music Concert Company will give an entertainment at the Presbyterian church Thursday night, March 14.

Preparatory service will be held at the Presbyterian church tomorrow night. Communion will be celebrated Sunday morning.

The Piscataway school board has bought a 100-foot lot back of the New Market school for a playground.

The Monday Night Club will hold an entertainment at the Methodist Episcopal church tonight.

Mrs. S. C. Fisher is planning to build on her Dunellen avenue lot in the spring.

Charles Shugars, who recently left the hospital, is steadily regaining his health.

Terence Quinn has moved into part of Mrs. Helen Farrier's house.

Miss Carpenter entertained the Embroidery Club Tuesday night.

The fire company will hold its monthly meeting tonight.

Mrs. F. F. Randolph has been suffering from grip.

Mrs. George Huff is recovering from her illness.

Mrs. Mary Martin is ill.

'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

A number of new electric light poles are being erected on Jerusalem road, and that part of the township will soon be enjoying street lights with the rest of the community.

It is reported that W. S. Rapp, who formerly conducted the hotel on the corner, will again take charge of the old hostelry this spring.

Charles Reick, who has been in Rochester for several months, is visiting his sister, Miss Nettie Reick, of Westfield avenue.

Miss Tillie Schroeder, of Jersey City, has been spending several days with her aunt, Mrs. Frank Hosinger, of Park avenue.

The new house being built on Farlee avenue is nearly completed and will be ready for rent by April 1.

The regular quarterly conference meeting will be held at the Methodist church Snday.

Mrs. Isaac Ryno, of Park avenue, has been entertaining relatives from out of town.

Twilight Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., meets tonight in the library rooms.

JOURNALISTIC OPINIONS

FRELINGHUYSEN AND TILLMAN.

Senator Joseph S. Frelinghuysen, of Somerset county, is an announced candidate for Governor, to succeed Governor Stokes. He is about thirty-eight years old, a fire insurance manager, is wealthy enough to have a reported income of $150,000 a year and bears a name that is among the most honored in New Jersey history. He is possessed of a degree of ability, is ambitious and persistent. The first time he ran for Senator in his own county he was defeated by Senator Childs, but the second time he ran he defeated the man who had defeated him. He is the father of the State laws governing automobiles.

Senator Frelinghuysen is an organization man, but he is something more; he is a machine man. This was made manifest by his vacillating conduct in the matter of the Senatorial re-election. He seemed at first to be of the same independent opinion as his colleague Assemblyman Smalley; viz., that Senator Dryden had made himself the issue and had failed at the polls on election day. Later, he became Senator Dryden's champion, was in several conferences with him and worked hand in glove with the machines to secure Mr. Dryden's re-election. He told his fellow Senators that it required great courage to oppose Mr. Dryden, but it required a great deal more to favor him and he was going to do the latter. Undoubtedly, Mr. Frelinghuysen would have behind him all the forces that he represented when he showed the supreme, the superlative courage necessary to stand by the machine, and later by the slate made by the "Big Five." It remains to be seen whether this support will prove helpful or detrimental, but whichever it may be Mr. Frelinghuysen will have it. That is, unless he vacillates once more and comes out on the side of the independent Republicans. Several months must elapse before the next Gubernatorial election; time enough to afford opportunity for a thorough study of the situation and a change of political heart.

As for the candidacy of Assemblyman Peter Tillman, of Union county, it will startle a good many people of New Jersey. Tillman is a candidate for Governor, beyond any doubt. He has said so himself to a News representative. Everybody in every county in the State, excepting Union, will at once inquire, "Who's Tillman?" and this is perhaps his greatest strength. Mr. Tillman is one of the Union county men who signed a paper saying he would not go into the Republican caucus, and then went in the caucus. He resides in Rahway, and though well-to-do is not very wealthy. He is about as near to the Governor's chair as Rahway is to the moon. The latter is within sight, but not within reach. In the meantime the candidacy of William M. Johnson, of Bergen, is not languishing, though Tillman and Frelinghuysen are in the field. Mr. Johnson served very acceptably in the Senate from 1896 to 1900, was President of the Senate in the latter year and was afterward First Assistant Postmaster-General under President McKinley. He is wealthy and is a philanthropist, having given to Hackensack a splendid public library. What he and his friends will do to head off the Frelinghuysen candidacy remains to be seen. Mr. Johnson is an organization man, and has also been known to give aid and comfort to his county machine, but not so aggressively as Frelinghuysen. The latter can never be acceptable to the independent Republicans; whether they can favor Mr. Johnson or not only the future will tell.

It is not impossible, however, for the Colby Republicans to name a candidate of their own, and to elect him. —Newark News.

JAMES E. MARTINE.

Our good and much esteemed contemporary, the Hackensack Record, seems to think that there was some corporation taint in the Democrats going to James Martine.

It evidently does not know Martine.

Why, there is not in the broad confines of the nation a better Democrat or radical in the fullest sense of the word than James Martine. He has always been a Democrat and from his very constitution must always be a Democrat in the strictest and truest sense. He is a Democrat 365 days in the year, and when it is leap year you can add another Democratic day for James Martine.

He carries his Democracy into every rule of his life. He is a true Democrat because he tries to treat other people as he would be treated and only those who take the golden rule for their guide through life can be called real Democrats. Being a Democrat means a great deal more than voting the Democratic ticket on election day. It means a regard for the rights of others as vigilant as for one's own. A true Democrat recoils from tresspassing on the rights of others as he would resent an encroaching on his own.

That is the kind of a Democrat James Martine is.

He is a Democrat in the general, radical sense, from the top of his head to the ground and several feet into the ground.

There is no more corporation or any other taint on James Martine than there is on the heaven sent snow of yesterday. He never knew what it was to seek or have a lick at any corporation ladle.

Martine is worthy of any honor. The Herald was for Stevens on account of coming before the people for United States Senator. But it has as high a regard for Martine as a Democrat as it has for any Democrat in the State.

Martine's life is one of pure serenity. He doesn't smoke, chew, nor drink, he loves God, hates the devil, and religiously votes the Democratic ticket. This last sad rite he performs whether he is running on it or not, which shows his Democracy to be a different brand from some more pretentious Democrats not a thousand miles from Passaic.

The Elizabeth Times says that Martine will never again be an candidate for office. Mr. Martine has certainly done his share of running and has always preached Democracy pure and undefiled every time he did run. He seemed to look on his candidacy rather as an opportunity to preach the gospel of Democracy than a chance to get an office. He knows people will always listen to a candidate when they will not come to hear a lecturer. But whether Martine runs or does not run his life will be to teach and live Democracy.

Success to Martine. May his tribe increase.—Passaic Herald.

ERNEST R. ACKERMAN.

Union county, usually fortunate in the choice of its representative in the Upper House of the State Legislature, is especially so in the present instance. Senator Ackerman's course last winter gave promise of much merit, and his course this year in the choice of United States Senator, and later, in the choice of State Treasurer, has demonstrated that he is one who listens only to the voice of his constituents, and is controlled only by the highest principles of right. He is, first of all, a party man, and is controlled by the will of the organization to which he belongs, in the truest sense of that term. When the election of United States Senator produced a situation somewhat embarrassing to him, he did not hesitate. First of all, he ascertained the will of the individual members of the party and of the county of which he was the chosen representative, and this done, he did not hesitate to incur the odium of selfish individuals who posed, because of their prominence in the party organization, as bosses and dictators of his action. He did not bolt the party caucs. He only bolted the caucus of the pseudo leaders who assumed to control his action. He obeyed the true will of his party organization. Later, when Senator Dryden had withdrawn, he cordially announced his willingness to abide by the decision of the caucus which would name Senator Dryden's successor. But when certain over-zealous friends of Senator Dryden unwisely assumed that Briggs stood for all that Dryden had stood for, and that they themselves had brought about the change from Dryden to Briggs, he simply asked for time to investigate the statements and find out whether or not these assumptions were true. This time could not be allowed, and he accordingly refrained from going into the caucus, until he could make such investigation. Had the time for investigation been given, he could have found the falsity of the claims and charges and there would have been no trouble. Later, when the question of the State Treasurership, which involved the same claims and charges, was presented, he did investigate and found that there was not only no truth in them, but that they were entirely he work of unwise, and in some insances, false friends of the Morris county gentleman. Upon ascertaining these facts, he did not hesitate to place himself squarely on record as in favor of Mr. Voorhees' election. And in every other case where Senator Ackerman has been called upon to act, he has consulted only the interests of right and of his constituents. He is in the highest and best sense a party organization man.—Warren Tidings.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The annual meeting of the McAll Auxiliary will be held at the Public Library Wednesday morning, March 6, at 11 o'clock.

Rev. Arthur S. Phelps, of St. Paul's church, Bound Brook, will be the special Lenten preacher at St. Stephen's church, tomorrow night.

The Boys' Mission Band of Trinity Reformed church will hold its regular monthly meeting in the church parlor, Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Prof. Smith, the State entomologist, will give an illustrated lecture on mosquitoes before the Men's Club of the First Baptist church, Monday night, March 11.

The third free Lenten recital will be held at the Church of the Holy Cross Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock. F. Clinton Lee, organist, will be assisted by a well-known singer.

Judge W. B. Green, reciter and story-teller, will entertain the Men's Club of the Congregational church on Tuesday night, March 5. Refreshments will be served after the entertainment.

The annual meeting of Faith chapel will be held early in March when reports will be presented and officers elected. The past year has been the most successful in the history of the organization.

Dr. Harold Corbusier, of Watchung avenue, will lecture in Grace church parish house tonight before the colored mission, on "The Boxer Uprising in China." The proceeds will be for the benefit of the mission.

Preparatory service will be held at Trinity Reformed church tomorrow night at 8 o'clock. The elders will meet after the service to receive any who may desire to unite with the church. The regular communion service will be held Sunday morning.

The members of the Ladies' Aid Society of the First M. E. church are urged to bring in their birthday offerings at the social and entertainment to be held in Vincent chapel, tonight. There will be an exhibition of Japanese lantern slides and a programme of music.

"AND THE CAT CAME BACK."

Husband Used to Sing This to Her, Declares Hoboken Woman, Who Is Seeking Divorce.

Hoboken, Feb. 28.—The suit of Mrs. Christina Schultze, of Fourth street and Park avenue, Hoboken, for a divorce from John Henry Schultze, was heard yesterday before Vice Chancellor Lindley M. Garrison in the Chancery chambers.

Mrs. Schultze alleged cruelty. She is fifty years old. Schultze is forty, and lives at 502 Bloomfield street, Hoboken. Mrs. Schultze was a widow when she married Schultze in September, 1899.

Mrs. Schultze wept now and then while she told the vice chancellor of beatings, insults and threats she says she suffered from her husband. They moved many times about Hoboken and once they went to California, but returned from the West in a few months.

After a stormy quarrel she left him in May, 1905, but soon returned to him, she says, and then she got into a habit of leaving and returning. He used to sing "And the Cat Came Back" after their reunions, she says.

Very High Finance.

New York, Feb. 28.—New light on the celebrated "readjustment of securities" of the Chicago and Alton, by which E. H. Harriman and his associates made millions, was furnished just before the close of yesterday's hearing before the Interstate Commerce Commission, when the present controller of the Alton testified that the readjusters had mortgaged a railroad line which was never built and for which no funds had been provided. He testified further that the books of the company authorized the payment to one Lewis L. Stanton of $13,000,000 for preferred stock in the Alton and a short line of railroad, and that no such payment had ever been made. On the other hand the issue of bonds intended to reimburse Mr. Stanton was turned over to the syndicate which delivered the stock and the road. Mr. Stanton was referred to as a dummy who was used to conceal the identity of the real owners of the preferred stock and the short line of railway. Mr. Harriman in his testimony on Tuesday practically admitted as much and the assumption of counsel was that he represented the reorganization syndicate. This unusual testimony was given by Charles M. Hillard, who was made controller last October by the Rock Island interests under the system for alternate control of the Alton made with Mr. Harriman. He was an almost eager witness for the government. Lawyers for the Harriman interests declared that Mr. Hillard had encountered some bookkeeping methods which, while regular, were not understood by him, and added that investigation would show that there are no irregularities in the transactions referred to.

Statistics of Disease.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 28.—Out of only two-fifths of the popoulation of the United States more than half a million lives were offered up in 1905 as a sacrifice to disease. Startling as this death rate may seem it was less than that for the preceding year, but was in excess of the number of deaths registered for any other year. The death rate from nephritis and Bright's disease, apoplexy, cancer, diabetes and appendicitis is increasing, while that from old age, bronchitis, convulsions, peritonitis and scarlet fever is decreasing. The greatest death rate recorded for any one disease in 1905 was that from pulmonary tuberculosis, amounting to 56,770, while pneumonia follows closely with a death rate of 39,068, exclusive of broncho-pneumonia. The much dreaded cancer shows a steadily growing death rate, the figures being 24,330.

Saved Two But Lost His Life.

Piqua, Ohio, Feb. 28.—In trying to save a woman with a baby in her arms from death Aaron Alexander was killed yesterday by a Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton passenger train. The woman and child were uninjured.

GOTHAM'S AMUSEMENTS

Last night's audience in the Savoy theatre to see "The Man of the Hour" had a good laugh not provided in the lines of the author, George H. Broadhurst. In the second act, the scene of which is laid in the Mayor's office, Frank MacVickers, who plays the role of Richard Horrigan, supposed to represent Charles Murphy, walks up to Frederick Perry, who essays the role popularly supposed to represent Mayor McClellan, and says: "A fine figure you cut posing as you do. Why, your father before you was one of us. He was a grafter and I have the facts to prove it." Before Mr. Perry could go on with the lines denouncing the supposed Tammany boss a man sitting down near the stage jumped up and yelled "You're a liar." Then, realizing that his emotions had carried him away the interrupter slid back into his seat, while the audience joined the actors on the stage in a hearty laugh.

One of the latest favorite among the singers in Oscar Hammerstein's new Manhattan Grand Opera House, is Mlle. Regine Arta. She is a dramatic soprano of rare merit, and has an appearance and a personality which instantly appeal to her auditors. Mlle. Arta is a native of Pittsburg, and went abroad six years ago to finish the cultivation of her voice and to study under the best masters in Europe for grand opera. Hher chief instructor was the celebrated M. Artaud, of Paris, under whose able tutelage Mlle. Arta fitted herself for the brilliant operatic career which she has been enjoying for several years in France and Belgium. Arta has been heard several times this season at the Waldorf-Astoria, and at the homes of the "400" in New York. Mlle. Arta has the advantage of being young and beautiful, as well as talented and accomplished.

A cruel joke was perpetrated on Miss Julia Sanderson, the clever little vaudeville singer and dancer. When Miss Sanderson was rehearsing for her new song, "Bessie and Her Little Brown Bear," her little nephew, a boy of fourteen, was visiting the charming young actress at her New York home. Spying the brown "Teddy Bear" that she uses in her act, lying on the sofa, the young hopeful took it into an adjoining room, ripped it open, and substituted Miss Sanderson's pet bull terrier for the sawdust interior. When Miss Sanderson resumed rehearsals, her nephew handed her the hybrid terrier, "Teddy." Hher fright can be imagined when the supposedly inanimate bear began to wriggle and growl. It was several hours before she recovered from the shock.

Telharmonic Hall, at 39th street and Broadway, New York, the mammoth electrical plant of the Cahill Telharmonic System, continues to draw thousands of visitors weekly. The "new music for an old world" ac McClure's Magazine styled it, is heard and the wonders of its production fully explained, with a view of the hundreds of dynamos. The musical staff, under the direction of Elliott Schenck, renders at this week's recitals a programme including Schumann, Rossini, Gounod, Boch, Grieg and Chopin. All the elements of orchestral tone are illustrated. The musical arc lamp continues to excite amazement, while a new feature is the biographic representation of distant audience of the music, which may be heard in thousands of distant audiences at once. Daniel Gregory Mason in the current Outlook says of it: "It is not a substitute for an orchestra; it is something better." Galbrilowitsch, Caruso, Melba, Bonci, Puccini, Hertz and other great musicians have been recent enthusiastic visitors to Telharmonic Hall, where recitals and demonstrations are given every afternoon and evening.

William R. Codington, of Sandford avenue, has returned from a few days' visit at Atlantic City.

Edward Mundy, son of Clark Mundy, of Stone street, the borough, is quite ill at his home with pneumonia.

Mrs. T. B. Titsworth, of the Babcock building, left yesterday for Washington, where she will visit relatives for a few weeks.

Miss Margaret Smith, an operator at the local telephone office, who has been substituting in the Elizabeth office for a week, has returned to Plainfield.

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Wash Stand—White enamel; worth $19.00; cut to..... $10.00

Arm Chair of mahogany with leather back; suitable for office; a $16.00 piece for..... $10.00

Card Table of golden oak with adjustable top; formerly $14.50; now marked $8.00

China Closet of golden oak; glass front; beautifully made; formerly $121.00; now $80.00

Extension Table—Golden oak; 10-foot size; high-class piece; worth $89.00; now marked..... $60.00

Bedroom Suite—Mahogany finish; bed and dresser; regularly $102; price cut to $65.00

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79c C. M. Forks, 39c.
98c Gravy Ladle, 49c.
$1.98 Oyster Ladles, 98c.
$2.75 Soup Ladles, $1.39.
75c Cream Ladles, 39c.
50c Sugar Spoons, 25c.
50c Butter Knives, 25c.
98c Sugar Tongs, 49c.
$1.25 Berry Spoons, 59c.
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A PRIMARY BILL HAS SPECIAL ORDER.

Senator Colby's Measure Will Be Taken Up Next Tuesday Morning.

Trenton, Feb. 28.—The session of the Senate yesterday, like all preceeding ones for several weeks, opened with the presentation of numerous petitions protesting against a repeal of the "bishops' law" and the attempt to legalize the sale of liquor on Sunday in any form. This was followed by a petition from Hunterdon county, urging the abolition of voting machines.

Included in several bills favorably reported was the Colby direct primary bill, Senate 65. The Senator from Essex asked that, in order to save time and avoid a recurrence of the action on the civil service bill which, after being passed on second reading, was sent back to committee, the measure be made a special order for next Tuesday morning. That order was made.

Accompanying the direct primary bill, in the report made by the Committee on Elections, was an adverse report on the Hinchliffe bill requiring municipalities, instead of county governments, to bear the cost of municipal primary elections.

President Minch called the bill up for second reading in the usual manner, when Senator Avis remarked that under the rules the consent of the Senate was necessary to secure action on any bill adversely reported. This led Senator Gebhardt to audibly remark that such a practise was "worse than killing a bill in committee," which caused a vigorous protest from Senators Bradley and Colby, the two members of the committee.

The Senators declared the bill had received most careful consideration and the introducer of the measure had been informed of the intended adverse report.

Senator Avis said that his remark had been misunderstood by the Senator from Hunterdon, but at the same time he (Avis) maintained an adverse report was the advice of the committee, and unless it was accepted committees might as well be dispensed with.

Mr. Hinchliffe succeeded in having further debate suspended by asking that further consideration of the measure be dispensed with.

The Hinchliffe bill, vesting Boards of Freeholders with power to prohibit any person or persons from tearing up county roads for the laying of pipes or conduits, or for any other purpose, was passed by a vote of 13 to 3, after the most ceremonious debate which has ensued this session.

Mr. Robbins led the attack on the bill, which, he said, conferred too much power on the Boards of Freeholders. Senator Hinchliffe said the sole object of the bill was to give the Passaic Board of Freeholders, which has constructed more than 2,000 miles of stone roads, or more than any single county in the United States, the right to protect these roads.

PREACHES 38 YEARS; DECLINES HIS SALARY.

The Rev. S. M. Loose, of Fremont, Ohio, Supports Himself By Operating a Farm.

There is one minister who believes that if religion is touched with the taint of grasping commercialism—at least for him—it is not religion. "Freely receive and freely give" is the utilitarian doctrine to which the Rev. S. M. Loose, of the Brethren church, faithfully subscribes, and his strict adherence to it has made his life one of practical spiritual worth, says a Fremont, Ohio, newspaper.

For thirty-eight years this man has labored as a minister and has never accepted a cent of salary. Never considering his work as a feature to exploit before the public, he has modestly and quietly sought to do good; in fact, he has been so retired that but few persons outside his congregation are aware that he is giving his life to the saving of souls, and that in this work he neither asks nor expects any pecuniary reward.

He is merely doing what he thinks is right.

He owns a farm a few miles from Fremont, which is well known all over this section of the country as being a home where the gate is always open to the visitor, the needy, and even the stranger finds there a hospitable welcome. The life of the Rev. Mr. Loose has been the real "simple life;" not the one of the faddist, who adopts it for some particular fancy, or that of the ascetic, who deserts the world for rigid seclusion."

PUBLIC HEARING WILL BE GIVEN BREUNIG BILL.

"Bishops' Law" Repealer and Several Other Excise Measures to Be Taken Up Next Monday.

Trenton, Feb. 28.—With a show of virtue calculated to provoke a smile on the part of those who are conversant with the stormy scenes which marked the Democratic joint caucus Tuesday afternoon in discussing the excise question, the caucus decided to give a public hearing next Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock on the Breunig bill to repeal the "bishops' law;" the Blohm bill, which is designed to legalize the sale of liquor on Sunday, and the Buck local option bill, after which the present intention is to report all three in the Assembly and force them to a vote, which will be an adverse one. After that a compromise measure will be introduced, and there is a possibility that it may be passed.

Only twenty-eight Democratic Assemblymen will vote for the Blohm bill, not more than twenty for the Breunig repealer and only thirty are sure for the compromise bill prepared by Mr. Silzer for the conference. Assemblyman Morris refused to attend the conference Tuesday, and other members and Senators left when the debate became acrimonious.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac L. Brown, of Brooklyn, have returned after a visit of several days here with relatives.

John A. Wearren, of Rock avenue, formerly employed by A. H. Enander, the plumber, has enlisted in the U. S. Navy and is now on the Battleship Kansas. He has secured a leave of absence for three days and is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Wearren, of Rock avenue.

OPPOSE TINKERING WITH JERSEY COURTS.

Proposed Judiciary Amendments Like Those Once Defeated at the Polls.

Trenton, Feb. 28.—In the absence of any public demand, the proposed amendments to the judiciary article of the State Constitution are not likely to meet with favor at the hands of the present Legislature.

An examination of these amendments shows a striking similarity to those submitted to the people in 1903 and which were defeated at the polls. The citizens of New Jersey, always jealous of any tinkering with the courts, then emphatically expressed a desire that no change should be made.

For several years the upper courts fell back in their work to such an extent that the Legislature, at its last session, made three important changes in the method of administration: the first authorized Supreme Court Justices to refer all issues to Circuit Judges for trial; the second authorized two or more Circuit Judges to sit in the same county at one time, and the third authorized the appointment of two additional Circuit Judges.

Under this legislation an additional Judge was appointed. Two Judges are now sitting in Essex and Hudson counties, respectively, and the Justices of the Supreme Court are devoting themselves exclusively to prerogative and review work. So well has this plan, inaugurated and put in force by the Legislature itself, worked out, that the Court of Errors and Supreme Court have caught up with accumulated business and the trial Judges are keeping pace with the litigation in the counties. Following this policy, and maintaining the present system, Circuit Judges may be added as the legal business incident to the growth of the State increases.

The proposed amendments of the Supreme Court is conferred upon the legal branch of a tri-bodied court, the chancery powers upon the equity branch of this body, and the review work upon the appeal division. County courts are to continue under that name, with slight modification of jurisdiction. The change is in name rather than substance. The total number of trial Judges is reduced to fourteen, instead of twenty-three. How this can result in anything other than a further clogging of the wheels of justice is not apparent to the lay mind.

CLARK CLUB TO BE CHANGED.

Famous Non-sectarian Pleasure House Now for Episcopalians.

Elizabeth, Feb. 28.—Much to the surprise of many members of the Clark Club, announcement was made yesterday afternoon that at a special meeting of the rector, wardens and vestrymen of Grace church, it was decided to assume control of the organization and make it a church club instead of a general club, as at present.

At present Clark Club is composed of a large number of Catholics and members of Protestant faiths other than the Episcopalian. The change is made to strengthen both Grace church and the Clark Club. Their action was taken upon the recommendation of the wife of Bishop Potter by whom Clark Club was endowed.

Sub-Treasury Shortage.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 28.—The United States Sub-Treasury in this city is short $173,000. That the money could have been mislaid or sent out by mistake is declared by Secret Service officers to be almost impossible. That the Sub-Treasury has been cleverly robbed of the amount mentioned and that more than one man is implicated are the theory on which the government detectives and Sub-Treasury officials are proceeding. And yet not an arrest has been made, although the shortage was discovered last Tuesday evening when the books were being balanced for that day. George W. Fitzgerald, an assorting clerk, frankly admitted last night that the deficiency occurred in his cage. So far as the public knows suspicion is not directed toward Fitzgerald more than to any other of the employees who may have had access to the money. Fitzgerald says he reported the shortage to William Boldenweck, the sub-treasurer, as soon as he discovered it. Mr. Boldenweck corroborated the story that Fitzgerald frankly told him the money was missing.

Will Not Bury His Wife.

Asheville, N. C., Feb. 28.—Superintendent of Health Reynolds says that the neighbors of W. C. Gray, of Edgartown, Mass., who has been shut up in his house here for two weeks with the body of his wife, have no right to interfere with him. Dr. Reynolds agrees with the stricken husband, who says that it is nobody's business but his own, and he has a right to keep his wife's body in his house if he wants to. Mrs. Gray's body was embalmed the day she died, which was on February 11. Night and day her husband has remained beside the body, refusing all efforts at comfort and admittance to callers. A son and daughter-in-law remain in the house with him and have brought to bear all their efforts upon him to give up the body. He says that the body will be taken back to their home in Massachusetts, but not until the winter has passed in the North, and that he will not allow it to be buried until the frost is out of the ground.

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ENTITLED TO PROMOTION.

Not only is Col. Dennis F. Collins entitled to promotion to the brigadier generalship by reason of the fact that he is senior colonel of the State's National Guard but on the ground that his regiment shows a higher degree of efficiency. According to the annual report of Brigadier General Congdon as the Inspector General of the New Jersey National Guards for 1906 the Second regiment was ahead of the Third in the general efficiency averages. It received 84.8 per cent. while the Third was given 84.1. These general averages represent military duty performed during the year. So far as general duty is concerned, the report shows that the Second regiment was the highest, it having had a percentage of 83.54 men at Sea Girt while the Third had 81.70.

LEGISLATURE'S SESSIONS WILL END ON MARCH 22.

Legislature Under Pressure Rushing to Complete Work In Four Weeks.

From the way the Republican leaders in the Senate and the Democratic leaders in the House talk, it seems likely that the present Legislature will adjourn in four weeks.

Speaker Edgar E. Lethbridge and Majority Leader Abram Klenert have advised the chairmen of committees to get busy. Last week was one of activity in legislative matters as a result of this advice.

It is planned to have the whole calendar of bills considered and all work completed March 22, the week before Holy Week.

It is confidently expected that all matters can be cleared up on scheduled time.

President Minch, of the Senate, and Majority Leader Hillery said yesterday that they could see no reason why the present session should not be finished before April 1.

NO UNION SAYS RECORD.

New Idea Men Won't Join With Dickinson Followers.

At the meeting of the Central Republican Committee, in Jersey City last night, Corporation Counsel Geo. L. Record made a speech in which he poured cold water on the proposition of Mayor Fagan's followers harmonizing with the followers of Colonel Samuel D. Dickinson. This has been publicly hinted for several weeks.

"We are asked to accept a lot of promises in return for harmonizing with the regular Republicans," said Record, "but where is the surety company that will stand back of any such promises? I think it will be hard to find. We are fighting for principles which the regulars will not stand for. This idea of picking out candidates regardless of party choice is one thing the regulars stick to and against which we are fighting for. We believe in giving everybody a voice. It is foolish to talk of settling with the regulars, because they stand for one thing and we another."

He took occasion to praise Governor Hughes of New York for breaking up corruption in politics and alluded to him as the kind of man the Central Republican Committee members liked.

EMBALMED PET POODLE.

Dog in Satin Casket Will Rest in Family Plot.

Long Branch, Feb. 28.—"Tannie," a pet boodle belonging to Edgar L. Morris, was shot yesterday to end its misery. The dog had been a pet in the family for twelve years. Edgar, who is a son of an undertaker, embalmed the body and placed the canine in a satin-lined casket.

Mr. Morris said last night that the dog would be interred in the family cemetery and that he would place an engraved slab at the head of his grave.

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Wings and Flies

By Tom Muir.

The most enterprising chorus girl in the world has been discovered at the New York Hippodrome. She is Miss Mildred Bernhardt—commonly called "Sarah" Bernhardt—and in addition to appearing twice a day at the Hippodrome, she has opened a retaurant across the street from that institution, and serves two meals a day to over 150 chorus girls and men employed at the Hippodrome. Miss Bernhardt's restaurant is located in the basement of No. 135 West Forty-fourth street, and caters exclusively to employees of the Hippodrome. Outsiders who try to eat there are very likely to be told by Miss Bernhardt herself that all tables are reserved. She has all she can do to feed the Hippodrome chorus girls and the chorus men, and her restaurant is so popular that any afternoon after the matinee a line of from thirty to fifty chorus girls can be seen in front of her restaurant, waiting an opportunity to get places at the tables. Miss Bernhardt opened her restaurant two weeks ago, and at the conclusion of her first week's business she figured that her profits amounted to $71.89. Her salary as a chorus girl is only $18 a week, but she will not resign from the Hippodrome to run the restaurant.

THE FORUM.

W. C. T. U.'s Excise Remonstrance.

Editor, The Daily Press:

Will you kindly allow me to state through the columns of your paper that the Women's Christian Temperance Union send every year a protest to the Common Ccuncil against the granting of licenses to sell intoxicating liquor. A protest was sent this year as usual, in care of the city clerk. Why it was not read does not appear. Also in regard to the article in last night's Daily Press concerning a communication to the Jr. O. U. A. M. That communication was not a personal one but was from the Women's Christian Temperance Union through its correspondent.

Thanking your in advance for publishing this, I am,

Yours very truly,

(Mrs.) Carrie L. Bennett,

Corresponding Secretary W. C. T. U.

Feb. 27, 1907.

SHE HAS GONE TO MARRY HER INJURED SWEETHEART.

Wallower Badly Hurt Saving An Employe from Explosion of Mining Cartridge.

Miss Marie Russert, daughter of Mrs. J. B. Russert, of New Brunswick, has gone to Joplin, Mo., where she will be married early in March to Frank Wallower, a mining engineer and operator of that city, to whom her engagement was announced some time ago.

The wedding was to have taken place in June and the honeymoon journey was to have been to Europe, where a tour of Switzerland and France was to be made by automobile.

A short time ago Mr. Wallower had his hands terribly injured by the premature explosion of a dynamite cartridge in one of his mines. He tried to rescue a careless workman and seized the cartridge to throw it away just as it exploded. One hand was torn off completely and the other terribly injured. He is now convalescing after lingering between life and death, and his fiancee has gone to join him. They will be married in Joplin.

NO EXCISE LEGISLATION.

Senator Minturn Doubts if There Will Be Any This Session.

Trenton, Feb. 28.—Senator Minturn, the Democratic leader in the Senate and chairman of the joint caucus, yesterday afternoon gave out a statement of his views on the situation regarding excise legislation. Mr. Minturn said:

"It is doubtful if there will be any excise legislation at this session. The Democrats in the House cannot get together. Seven or eight of them will not stand with the majority. The thing to do is to put the Blohm bill before the House and let its opponents defeat it. The members who favor excise legislation and who come from metropolitan counties were elected on that issue and are in fact pledged to it.

"Now, in honor, they are bound to make good their pledges by putting up the Blohm bill and voting for it. They can then go home and point to the fact that they did all they could to make good." Senator Minturn was at the two Democratic caucusses held to consider the excise question and advised the action which he mentions in his statement.

Typhoid on Battleship.

Norfolk, Va., Feb. 28.—The battleship Connecticut, which is running a race with death to get those of her crew among whom an epidemic of typhoid fever has broken out, to the New York Navy Hospital, passed the Virginia Capes today. She reported by wireless to this station that fifteen of the ill are in a critical condition and may not live to reach New York. Another case developed today.

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Wood Beds—A few sample beds in oak or birch, were $8.50; sale price.....**$5.00**

Chiffonieres—Birds-eye Maple, several patterns to choose from; prices were up to $24.50; your choice **$15.00**

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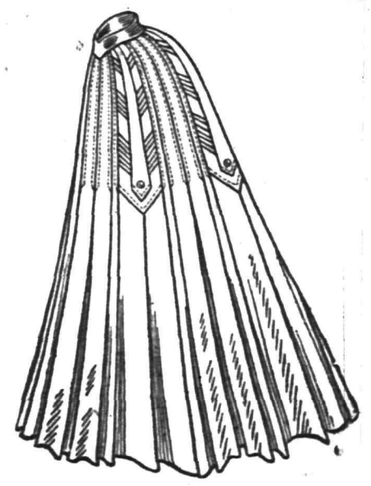

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New York, Feb. 28.—Robert Engelman, who had a tailor shop at No. 219 West Sixty-eighth street and lived at No. 172 West 135th street, was found dead yesterday in his shop, which was filled with gas from a leaking pipe in the basement. He died sitting in a chair. Coroner Harburger announced that Engleman's death appeared to be accidential. Sixteen hundred feet of gas had escaped from the pipe during the night. The lives of a dozen families in the building were endangered by the escaping gas, and at least twenty persons, mostly women and children, were made ill and were in danger of asphxiation. The coroner said the man's death was apparently due to negligence, and at the inquest on March 5 a strict investigation will be made to fix the responsibility.

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NEWS IN THE SUBURBS

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

The minstrel entertainment held in Washington Hall last evening was in every way a success. An informal dance was held afterwards. Everyone enjoyed the fun and returned home at a late hour. Mr. Muir has consented to give another performance in the near future.

Fred Wetzler has resigned his position as night operator at the local station of the Lehigh Valley Railroad. It will take effect on March 1 and he will return to his home for a vacation.

Thomas A. Linaberry, recently appointed a notary public by Governor Stokes, has received his commission and it will be effective as soon as he is sworn in by the county clerk.

The regular monthly meeting of the Good Government Club will be held in Temperance Hall tomorrow night. Special business will be transacted.

Joseph Kelley has returned to his regular duty as day operator on the Lehigh Valley Railroad at this place after a week's illness.

William Hamilton, Peter J. McDonough and Archibald returned yesterday from a visit to the State House in Trenton.

Patrick Kane and wife are rejoicing over the birth of a boy.

(Additional suburban news on page 2).

Sun Spotted Yet.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 28.—John A. Brashear, an Allegheny astronomer, says another big sunspot is due about Friday. He observed five smal spots on Monday. There is a possibility the large one coming will disintegrate but present indications are it will be at hand. Its full effect will not be perceived on the earth until the middle of next week, when there may be electrical disturbances caused by the great solar phenomenon. Mr. Brashear says the spot should make its appearance in the western part of the sun on Friday. It will gradually move toward the central meridian, arriving in five or six days.

Record Cold Up N. Y. State.

Rome, N. Y., Feb. 28.—The cold weather of the last six weeks is the most severe known by any inhabitant. The Forest port feeder of the Black river, eleven miles long, running from Woodhull to Booneville, three feet deep, is frozen from top to bottom, a condition never before known. Ice on Oneida Lake is twenty-two inches thick and four ton loads are crossing daily.

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"UP THE NILE FROM CAIRO TO THEBES"

DR. CHARLES MOLDENKE GIVES ILLUSTRATED LECTURE.

Dr. Charles Moldenke, of New York, gave an instructive and interesting illustrated lecture at St. Peter's German Lutheran church, on Grove street, last night, on the subject, "Up the Nile from Cairo to Thebes." The lecture was given for the benefit of the church and was attended by an audience that filled the edifice. Dr. Moldenke has taken this trip two or three times, his last visit to Egypt being just ten years ago this month. He being an egyptologist he made a special study of the ancient temples, devoting much time to the inscriptions to be found therein, as well as in the noted tombs.

The views shown last night are probably among the finest ever taken in Egypt and Dr. Moldenke gave lucid description of his journey which covererd about 400 miles up the Nile. He told in detail of the conditions to be found in that ancient land, explaining the method of raising crops, the natural fertilization caused by the overflowing of the Nile, and mentioned the fact that one section is so fertile that three crops are raised in one year.

For the Bible student and those who have made a study of Egyptian writings, the views of the temples and tombs were probably the most interesting and being so well versed in his subject the doctor was able to explain them in a way that was easily understood by all. Interpersing his reference to the more serious features of the trip, he related many amusing incidents which helped to make it a real pleasure for all. The lantern was operated by the speaker's brother, Dr. Richard Moldenke, of Watchung.

INSURANCE REPORT HELD UP.

The Special Senate Committee Promise It In a Week or Two.

Trenton, Feb. 28.—The special Senate committee appointed last year to investigate insurance affairs in New Jersey has not yet completed its labors.

Senators Thomas J. Hillery, James F. Minturn and Edmund W. Wakelee are understood to be busy framing bills for presentation to the Legislature, which are destined to remedy evils the committee is said to have found. A meeting of the committee will be held next week, at which, it is expected, the work will be completed.

If that is found impossible, it was said by a member of the committee, the bills will be completed the following week, and the report will then be submitted to Governor Edward C. Stokes.

Work of Ammonia Fumes.

New York, Feb. 28.—Harry F. Baker, of engine company No. 26, died at Bellevue Hospital, yesterday morning, from ammonia fumes, which killed Adam Damm, of the same company, shortly after midnight, in the fire in the Volunteer Market, at No. 573 Eighth avenue. Three others are in a precarious condition. With two of its members dead and the others ill, the entile batallion was in bad shape yesterday. Many of the men will have to have sick leave, whether they want it or not, after their suffering from the fumes at the blaze, at which Chief Langford had given his men one of the hardest fights he had ever seen. He was loud in his praise of the heroic work of the men.

James Nash, of the New Madison, has returned from a visit with friends at Perth Amboy.

Henry Brose, of the borough, has been detained at home with an attack of the grip.

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PERSONAL.

Howard A. Pope, of East Fifth street, is ill at his home with the grip.

Edward Cooley, of Watchung avenue, has returned from Lawrenceville, Va.

Mrs. George Morton, of Westfield, has been visiting relatives in town for a few days.

Mayor Charles J. Fisk is detained at his home in West Seventh street with a slight cold.

Mrs. A. B. Kuft, of New street, who underwent an operation at the hospital a few days ago, is improving.

Mrs. F. W. Cotton and Mrs. Albert I. Lewis, of San Francisco, who have been visiting friends here, have returned home.

Mrs. John C. Ketcham, of Westfield, has returned home after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sampson, of East Fifth street.

Miss Ernestine C. Smith, of Madison avenue, who has been detained at home for a short time by a slight illness, is able to be out again.

H. C. Strong, of the firm of H. C. Strong & Co., sugar brokers, of New York, has been spending a few days with Louis McIntosh, of Arlington avenue, and V. L. Frazee, of the New Madison.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Volk, of Elmwood place, have leased W. R. Codington's house on that street, which is occupied now by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brownell, and will take possession April 1.

BOTH COULD NOT WEAR TROUSERS.

Court Refuses to Separate Couple Who Quarrelled Over Home Control.

Vice-Chancellor Bergen, at Newark, dismissed yesterday a bill for limited divorce brought by Mrs. Nellie Fugle against Frederick W. Fugle, of No. 528 Kearny avenue, Kearny.

It appeared from the testimony that the couple disagreed over the question as to which was to dominate in the affairs of the household. Mrs. Fugle averred that her husband was a "poor provider, that he constantly nagged her and was frequently abusive to her."

In his defense, Fugle declared that as his wife was a vocalist of high merit and a musician of much ability, she had established an earning capacity greater than his. This fact, Fugle claimed, was at the bottom of their domestic troubles, and his wife taunted him with receiving a smaller income as manager of a New York fur concern than she obtained from her professional work. "She insists on being boss of the house," Fugle declared.

The Vice-Chancellor could not find a very serious side to the family complications. He advised the Fugles to go home and adjust their differences.

"If I should grant a divorce on the grounds alleged in this bill," said the Vice-Chancellor, "it would be an admission that the ordinary quarrels of every married couple in the State constituted ground for a legal separation."

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

DIED.

BRENNAN—In this city, Feb. 28, 1907, Madeline Christina, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brennan, aged 1 year, 2 months, 3 days.

Funeral from the residence of her parents, 756 Webster place, Friday, March 1, at 2 p. m. Interment in St. Mary's cemetery.

YATES—At Redlands, Cal., on Monday, Feb. 25, 1907, Sam J. Yates, formerly of Plainfield, N. J., son of Susan Jackson and the late Joseph W. Yates.

Notice of funeral hereafter. 2 26 3

PANGBORN—Suddenly, on Wednesday, Feb. 27, 1907, at his home, No. 57 Chatham street, North Plainfield, William H. Pangborn.

Funeral private. 2 28 2

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Salesman.

$2.50 A DAY guaranteed agents for our low-priced scissors, razors and household necessities; many making $5 a day; general agents wanted on salary. Ziegler Co., 225 Locust St., Philadelphia. 2 25 4 m th

Help Wanted.

WANTED—First class toolmakers on punch and die, and jig and fixture work; state experience and reference. Address Employment Dept., Stanley—G. I. Electric Mfg. Co., Pittsfield, Mass. 2 28 10

IRONERS wanted on muslin underwear; also a few bright girls to cut embroideries. Apply at factory, 320 West Front St. 2 27 2

WANTED—Young colored man, with references. Call 721 Watchung avenue.

WANTED—Good colored cook; references required. Call 721 Watchung avenue.

WANTED—A boy. J. W. Gavett, West Front St.

Help Wanted.

WANTED — Experienced saleswoman to take charge of laces and embroideries. Woodhull & Martin Co. 2 28 tf

MACHINISTS wanted; floor hands. Apply at Ransome Concrete Machinery Co., Dunellen, N. J. 2 28 2

WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family. Apply 813 Webster place. 2 28 3

MACHINISTS wanted; sheet iron workers. Apply at Ransome Concrete Machinery Co., Dunellen, N. J. 2 28 2

WANTED—Lathe, planer, vice and floor hands. Aluminum Press Co., Dunellen, N. J. 2 27 tf

PATTERNMAKERS wanted. Aluminum Press Co., Dunellen, N. J. 27 tf

WANTED—Experienced chambermaid and waitress (colored). 717 Watchung avenue. 2 25 tf

WANTED—Young girl for nursemaid. 1402 Watchung Ave. 2 26 tf

WANTED—A white nurse girl for child four years old. Call 948 West Seventh St. 2 26 tf

WANTED—White girl for general housework; no washing. Call afternoons, 955 West Sixth St. 1 24 tf

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework; family of three. 678 West Seventh St. 2 23 tf

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at once at Mrs. Keller's Intelligence Office, 22 Somerset place. 12 29 tf

MACHINISTS—First class horizontal boring mill and lathe hands wanted at the Watson Stillman Co., Aldene, N. J. 2 23 7

WANTED — Experienced cook; white; reference required. Apply 1060 Central Ave. 2 4 tf

GIRL wanted to cook, wash and iron; references required. Apply 526 West Seventh St. 1 29 tf

GIRL wanted, about 12 years old, to help about the house. 424 West Front St. 2 27 2

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at once at Mrs. Day's Intelligence Office, South Plainfield, N. J. 2 9 tf

Lost and Found.

LOST—Sunday last, package containing eleven handkerchiefs, marked C. Reward for return, 112 Jackson avenue. 2 28 2

LOST—Saturday, between Park avenue and theatre, lady's silver open face watch with monogram L. L. A. Reward if returned to this office. 2 28 2

LOST—Small brown, long haired dog; short legs and long feathered tail; wore collar; answers name Togo. Any information about him appreciated, or reward for his return to W. L. Murray, Rockview Heights, borough.

LOST—Gold charm from watch-fob, initial "M." Return to this office and receive reward. 2 28 3

LOST—A garnet bow knot pin. Reward if returned to L. F. Hersh & Bro., 106 East Fourth St. 2 27 3

LOST—Boston terrier, brindle and white. Reward if returned to L. E. Waring, 120 West Seventh St. 2 26 3

LOST—Young Irish water Spaniel, in neighborhood of Netherwood. Reward for return to 1211 Putnam avenue. 2 25 tf

POOR girl will be grateful if the finder of her souvenir pocketbook will leave it at Daily Press office. It was lost yesterday noon while she walked from Fourth street and Park avenue to East bound railroad station and thence through tunnel to North avenue. It contained a sum of money and was given her by a dear relative now dead. 2 16 tf

For Rent.

TO LET—Five rooms; $12; upstairs 183 Somerset street; gas and city water in kitchen. Ernest T. Hand, 1020 East Front St. 2 28 tf

TO RENT—Five rooms, heated, with bath, etc., for light housekeeping; $20; from April 1; near depot. Address Watchung, Press office.

SMALL family wanted to rent eight-room house; all improvements; centrally located. Apply Neuman Brothers, grocers. 2 27 3

HOUSE to let; 7 rooms; improvements. 659 East Sixth St. 2 27 4

TO LET—Modern house, 8 rooms and bath and reception hall; situated 811 College place; $50 per month; others $20 a month and up. John H. Doane, 221 Park Ave. 27 3

FOR RENT—First-class steam heated apartment, containing 8 large light rooms and bathroom and all improvements; in perfect condition throughout; 4 minutes' walk to North Avenue R. R. station; ready for occupancy March 1; references required. For particulars address A. M. Lederer, city. 2 21 6

TO LET—Large, new store, No. 407 Watchung avenue. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin building. 9 24 tf

DENTIST office, heat, telephone, light, water, door attendance. 178 East Front street. 1 11 tf

Miscellaneous.

PAINTER, decorator, paperhanger, prepared to meet all requirements, real estate, landlords or private; reliable, responsible; get my estimate. Louis Liercke, Plainfield P. O. Box 561. 2 28 1m

WILL lady who spoke to gentleman on Twenty-third street ferry last Saturday night kindly communicate to Charles Harrison, 78 Ferry street, Newark, N. J.?

PUBLIC auction sale, 136 East Front street, Monday, March 4, 10 a. m., grocery stock and fixtures, including refrigerator, cash register, scales, counters, canned goods, teas, etc. 2 28 3

ASHES and rubbish removed; city or borough. Geo. Miller, 518 West Fourth street. 2 28 3

COME! Buy or sell horses. Cathers' auction, Saturday, March 2, 108 Somerset street. 2 27 3

MRS. BONY — High-class dressmaking; French models; fine work remodeling; moderate prices. 12 Stone St., North Plainfield. 2 25 1m

DRESSMAKING, and the making of children's clothes. 120 Madison avenue, Jackson building, flat 18. 2 25 6

REMOVAL NOTICE—New York dental parlors removed to Woodhull & Martin building. 2 18 1m

DOGS and all kinds of pets boarded. 36 Raymond Ave. 2 21 1m

NEXT—We are next to station and next to bargain; bring in your bargain and be next to buyers. Ira L. LaRue, 152 North Ave. 1 8 tf

GENERAL typewriting and stenographer. Call at 33 Somerset street, N. Plainfield. A. G. Daudt. 2 2 1m

FREE! FREE! Six fine square pianos, for cost of tuning and carting only; great chance for beginners and others. Call at once, Hadley's piano salesrooms, 315 West Front St. 23 tf

DEAD animals removed. Ruckman Brothers, 204 Plainfield avenue, 'phone 415-L. 8 28 6m

P. F. LATOURETTE, auctioneer; sales promptly attended to; satisfaction guaranteed. 326 West Front St. 2 10 tf

BEFORE selling your furniture see Latourette, 326 West Front St. tf

BABIES crochet sacques for sale; all prices; also ladies' knitted sweaters made to order. Mrs. Mayer, 54 Pearl street, North Plainfield. tf

THE highest cash price paid for household goods, furniture, etc. Fred W. Hand, Auctioneer, 136 East Second street. 'Phone 1722. tf

Wanted—Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Stable manure. Address G. G., care Press. 2 28 3

WANTED to rent farm, 25 acres, convenient station; reasonable. Address D. L., care Press. 2 27 2

WANTED—Saddle pony or small saddle horse. Address Saddle, care Press. 2 26 3 eod

WANTED—A milk route, about 100 quarts. Address N. B. Giles, Dunellen, N. J. 2 19 6 eod

WANTED—Combination billiard-pool table; give full particulars, present condition and lowest cash price. Address Combination, Press office. 2 25 6

WANTED—Old geese and duck feather beds; double other buyers' cash prices. Address C. F. Dickinson, General Delivery, Plainfield. 2 21 9

I WANT to buy pony cart; must be cheap for cash. P. O. Box 301, Plainfield, N. J. 2 25 6

WILL care for good horse for the winter for use of same. Address Good Care, care Press. 10 6 tf

Money to Loan.

TO LOAN on bond and mortgage, $3,000, also $3,500, on satisfactory risks. J. F. MacDonald, 149 North avenue. 1 31 tf

MONEY to loan, five per cent. gilt edge real estate. J. T. Vail. 1 14 tf

MONEY to loan at 5 per cent. on first mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot. tf

TO LOAN—Money on first mortgages at 5 per cent. V. W. Nash, Jr., 221 Park avenue. 6 22 tf

$4,000.00 TO LOAN on first bond and mortgage, on Plainfield property at five per cent. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin Building, East Front street. tf

TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street. tf

Rooms and Board.

LARGE and small steam heated rooms to let, with board. M. B. Lindsay, 602 Central Ave. 2 23 6

TO LET—Three or four rooms, light housekeeping. Address Light, care Daily Press. 2 26 5

TWO large rooms to rent, with board. 110 East Fifth street, near Park avenue. 2 15 tf

GOOD accommodations; low rates. Boyce's Hotel, 97 Somerset St. tf

COMFORTABLE, well heated rooms, with excellent board; also table board; evening dinners a specialty. For terms call or address Mrs. A. L. Waldorf, 132 and 134 Crescent Ave. 2 8 tf

For Sale.

FOR SALE—Barn, built of heavy frame work, new slate roof, to be removed off premises; also large, well built corn crib; mowing machine, horse rake, harnesses, several wagons and cows. Frederick W. Gray, Hillside avenue. 2 28 3

FOR SALE—Two houses, front and rear. Apply 343 Cottage place. 2 28 1m

FOR SALE—Two fresh cows, with calves by side, or without. 625 West Front St. 2 28 3

SEVEN-ROOM house for sale, $1,500. Inquire 112 Elmwood place, or 407 New street. 2 28 6

FOR SALE—Fresh cow; also one 200 and one 400 egg incubator. Wm. T. Dayton, New Market, N. J. 2 28 3

FOR SALE CHEAP—A valuable business property, three minutes' walk from the depot. Enquire 208 West Fourth St. 2 27 6

FOR SALE—Seven-room house in West End, one block from trolley; $1,800. Address House, care Daily Press. 2 16 tf

COUPE Rockaway, good condition, at a bargain; $65. Apply L. M. French, 36 Somerset St. 2 26 3

FOR SALE—Very desirable eight-room house; all improvements, gas and electric light; lot 40x170; possession May 1; a good bargain. J. T. Vail. 2 16 tf

HOUSES for sale, cash or installments; some to rent; lots for sale. Apply D. F. Dugan, 511 East Seventh street. 2 25 6

RICH Jersey milk, fresh from the farm, for sale by C. Martin, 20 Grandview avenue; seven (7) cents a quart at dairy. 2 26 6

FOR SALE—Four lots on Westervelt avenue, near Front street; terms to suit. Apply 103 East Fourth St., near Park Ave., Bacon. 6 11 tf

FOR SALE—At one-half cost, 8-horse Westinghouse compound engine (Junior) in good condition; cost $250; our price $125. Call at Daily Press office.

FOR SALE OR FOR RENT—Several houses, stores and offices. J. P. W. Taylor, 102 North Ave. 12 20 tf

Chickens and Eggs.

FIFTY white Leghorn hens for sale at 75 cents each. D. Kersting, Somerville, N. J. 2 28 6

FOR SALE—100 chicks, two weeks old; Plymouth Rocks and White Wyandottes. Call after 5 p. m. at 9 Codington Ave. 2 27 4

WANTED—Two setting hens; good price paid. George Bridge, Fourth and Rock Ave. 2 26 3

EGGS FOR SITTING—From one pen each of Buff, Black and White Orpingtons, related to our winners at $5 per dozen; also from White and Buff Leghorns, Barred Rocks and Rhode Island Reds at $2 per dozen; inspection invited. Sunswick Poultry Farm, South Plainfield, N. J., George J. May, manager. 2 18 1m

BLACK ORPINGTON COCKERELS AND PULLETS—A few choice ones for sale; fine shape and color; good enough to show; brothers to first prize winners at the late large shows; write for prices; eggs $5 per setting. Oak Tree Poultry and Game Farm, Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J. 1 21 tf

Real Estate Agents.

NEW HOUSES FOR SALE—Two elegant new houses on West Eighth street, 3 baths, large high lot, shade and every modern improvement; tile baths; three fine houses at Netherwood, every improvement, shade and high terraced lot; two fine new houses on West Seventh street, every improvement; best location; also 8-room house on Summit avenue, near Westervelt. Call and see plans, Manning or McIntyre, 163 North avenue, open evenings. 1 31 1m

FOR SALE—Fine new 10-room house situate on a high terraced lot, 100x250, in the best section of Netherwood; hard wood floors and trim; 2 tiled bath rooms, 3 fireplaces, steam heat; occupancy April 1; will finish to suit purchaser. Plans can be seen at the office of William H. Abbott, 163 North avenue; also have plans for several houses which I am erecting in other parts of the city; prices from $7,500 to $12,000. 1 29 1m

THOSE desiring to own a farm should consult one who has been selling farms for years, and he is yours truly, William Henry Rogers, 136 Park avenue, Plainfield; telephone 44. tf

Situations Wanted.

GERMAN girl with good references wants position as child's nurse. Apply 109 Central avenue until Saturday. 2 28 3

WANTED—By man and wife, position in family; good workers; reliable references. Apply 140 South Broad street, Westfield.

COLORED man would like position at any kind of work. 327 Cottage place. 2 28 3

Other classified ads on page 8.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

March 3: "The Duty of Testimony."

By REV. WALTER J. YATES, D. D.

Acts i, 8; Ps. cvii, 2-8; Matt. x, 32, 33; Rom. x, 9, 10; Rev. xii, 11.

If it is a truth that man as a race is lost and that all men by practice are sinners and that Jesus Christ came to save all from their sins and that some of us are conscious that He has saved us, then one of the most binding duties on us is to tell as widely and convincingly as possible the facts of our salvation and bear witness for Christ.

However severely the burdens of our everyday existence may press upon us and the struggle for a living may tax time and energies, there is no one who needs or can afford to let the bread and butter problem absorb the best of his effort and interest. Our needs are more pressing than those merely of the stomach. We must have bread, but we more urgently need Him who is our life as well as the giver of every good thing. Our lives get stunted and mean when we keep them too close down to the merely earthly. We need God and the constant refreshing of His presence to live anyway satisfactorily. The fullness and richness of our life do not consist even a little in the abundance of the things we have or the prominence of the place we occupy. The quality of a life depends on the extent to which it is God filled.

So our duty and ability to witness for Christ do not depend on the amount of talent we have or the position in which we are placed.

What is it to witness for Christ?

Many seem to act as if it is making a formal speech or "testimony in meeting" for ordinary folks and preaching a sermon or giving an address by ministers and such like people.

We would not in the least underrate the value of sermons and the more formal varieties of Christian testimony, but there is a vast world of other witnessing which is immensely important and which is too much neglected.

Let every one cultivate the habit of regularly speaking in the services of the church to be sure. There is great gain by such systematic methods to personal growth in the religious life. But this should be only the beginning of the work of witnessing. By far the more important is the unconscious testimony which breathes at all times from us as the perfume exhales from the rose because it is a rose.

So we are to be so thoroughly Christian at all times and in every place that the Christ light just naturally shines through the face, and the Christ tones speak through the voice, and the Christ presence is felt in the grip of the fingers, the flash of the eye, the spring of the step and every line of the countenance and curve of the body.

Is this fancy, do you say? It is our business to make it very fact—practical everyday fact. And shame on us also if we have not already begun it in right good earnest. We say we love Him and want to show that love. Then begin to do it by making your tones of voice sound like His. Ah, no imitation now! Be the thing you want to appear to be. The lips must speak from the heart. Fill the mind and heart with Jesus, live all the time with Him, and we shall talk like Him and look and act like Him. This is the best kind of witnessing possible.

Let us have fellowship in spirit, and we shall also have fellowship with Him in work.

Love's Due.

It is often said that a service rendered another loses all its moral worth to the doer and becomes ignoble as soon as any return is expected, even that of appreciation or gratitude. Is that quite true? It is not the highest or most generous spirit that will measure its benefactions by the thanks returned or cease bestowing them where they are needed even though gratitude should utterly fail, but nevertheless love has a right to look for love's reward. Earth holds no sweeter pleasure than that of bestowing gifts and blessings upon those whom we love—the surrounding of dear lives with comforts and enjoyments at the expense of our toil and sacrifice. It sanctifies labor and robs all hardship of its sting to know that through it our hand can pour out largess, our care infold some dependent one like a protecting garment, but we long to see the face beam, the eyes brighten. It is love's due recompense. It would be neither human nor natural not to long for and expect it.

God expects it. He pours out the treasures of His goodness and beneficence, He guards us through the careless days and thoughtless nights, He is patient with the patience of the Most High, but still the heart of love that is above all human love longs for recognition. He sends His rain upon the just and the unjust, indeed, and is kind to the unthankful, but it is upon those who know and rejoice in His love that He bends the smile of the Father.—Forward.

To Claim God For Our Own.

The Lord is my Shepherd; He maketh me to lie down; He leadeth me; He restoreth my soul. Lay your attention upon the little word. Ask yourself if, since it was first put upon your lips, you have ever used it with anything more than the lips; if you have any right to use it; if you have ever taken any steps toward winning the right to use it. To claim God for our own, to have and enjoy Him as ours, means—as Christ, our Master, said over and over again—that we give ourselves to Him and take Him to our hearts. Sheep do not choose their shepherd, but man has to choose, else the peace and the fullness of life which are here figured remain a dream and become no experience for Him.—Professor George Adam Smith.

AND

If you've been experimenting with so-called "watches;"

AND

If you've become disgusted with them as timekeepers;

AND

If you've resolved to get a real watch, a correct timekeeper, this time,

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25.00 Bedroom Suits, now **18.98** One Out of 60.	9.00 Couches, now **6.00** One out of 60.
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Topic.—Being honest with yourself and God.—Luke xii, 1-3; Josh. xxiv, 14.

Dishonesty toward God, or, as it is more commonly called, hypocrisy, has prevailed throughout all time. It began with Cain, who made an offering to God, but not a sincere and honest one. In the days of Joshua there were those among the children of Israel who professed to believe in God, yet worshiped idols, and therefore he was called upon to exhort them to "fear the Lord and serve Him in sincerity and in truth and put away the gods which your fathers served on the other side of the flood and in Egypt and serve ye the Lord." In the time of Christ the Pharisees were the personification of hypocrisy, and the Master often denounced them for their false professions and warned His disciples against their example. And how much hypocrisy there is in the religious world today! How many profess religion, yet do not possess it! How many have the form of godliness, but not its power! All such are dishonest with themselves and with God. Many of them are deceiving even themselves while they are trying to deceive God. No doubt many Pharisees in Christ's day really believed themselves to be all they professed. They were blind, and, while ever ready to pick flaws in others, they could see no faults in themselves. No more pitiable condition can be imagined than for a man to be hypocritical in his religion and yet to think that he is honest and sincere. His case is almost hopeless, for if we do not realize our sinfulness it will be impossible for us to seek pardon for it. Let us therefore examine our hearts thoroughly and see whether we are really what we profess to be—whether we are honest in our religious lives.

There is every reason why we should be sincere and honest in religion, and no argument can be advanced in favor of hypocrisy. Hypocrisy avails nothing with God. We may deceive men for a time by pretense, but God cannot be deceived. Insincere religion is no religion. "God is a spirit, and they that worship Him must worship Him in spirit and in truth." Otherwise it is not worship, but mockery. The hypocrite may repeat prayers, but he never prays. God sees the heart, and no religious forms, however numerous or elaborate, can make up for insincerity in the heart. Moreover, hypocrisy is soon detected. Job declares that hypocrisy is like the spider's web. How apt the illustration! The spider's web is wonderfully woven, but what is weaker? And, though we may most carefully weave a false life, sooner or later its true character will be known. We may deceive men for a time, but not for all time. We may even deceive ourselves, but in the day of judgment, if not before, the scales will fall from our own eyes, and, with shame and remorse, we will call upon the hills and mountains to fall upon us and cover us. And in that day Christ tells us that "there is nothing covered that shall not be revealed, neither hid that shall not be known." Those who avoid detection in this life will then have their true character made known.

Why should any one be satisfied with mere religious pretense? It is just as easy, even more so, to have religion itself. God will give any one who wants it a new heart and help him to lead a sincere life. So why should we be satisfied with mere profession? If religion is worth imitating, is not its possession infinitely more valuable? Let us therefore love and serve God, but let us be sure that we do it "in sincerity and in truth."

BIBLE READINGS.

Ps. i, 1-6; v, 1, 10; Eccl. xii, 13, 14; Matt. vi, 1-11; John iv, 19-24; Acts v, 1-11; Rom. xiv, 11, 12; Gal. vi, 7, 8; Eph. iv, 25-32; Phil. iv, 8, 9; Rev. xxi, 10, 22-27.

His Farewell.

The closing paragraphs of Mr. Vogt's farewell letter when resigning the general secretaryship of the United Society of Christian Endeavor are significant: "I wish that you would make Christian Endeavor your chief private concern this year. Study it from all sides. Interest in it all the especially influential people you can. Make it thoroughly successful in your church. There was never a day when it had so large possibilities as today. I have probably seen more of its failures than you have and more of its successes, and I know those possibilities. And most heartily I wish you great personal blessing, as little suffering as possible and as many of the glad things of life as may come. Already I begin to think how short the time for accomplishment is. Truly I hope you may have the great delight of laying your hand to something that will help to bring in His day of justice and righteousness and love."

A Russian Convention.

In the Evans tea house, in Wenden, a number of delegates from the Baltic provinces and Lithuania met to hold the second session of the Baltic provinces. An excursion was made to the house of prayer of the Brotherhood of Weissmanhof, and the Christian Endeavor convention proceeded by train, on invitation of their highnesses the Princesses Marie and Sophie Lwen, to Castle Kreman. There a chapel service was held and a society founded, their highnesses being enrolled as active members.

In Samoa.

The Christian Endeavor [illegible] called by the Samoans [illegible] which literally signifies [illegible] "The Samoans," says a mis[illegible] gard everything in the n[illegible] enant as being unspeak[illegible]

THE HOUSE OF A THOUSAND CANDLES

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CHAPTER XVII.

Golden Butterflies.

If you are one of those captious people who must verify by the calendar every new moon you read of in a book, and if you are pained to discover the historian lifting anchor and spreading sail contrary to the reckonings of the nautical almanac, I beg to call your attention to these items from the time-table of the Mid-Western and Southern Railway for December, 1901: The southbound express passed Annandale at exactly 53 minutes after four p. m. It was scheduled to reach Cincinnati at 11 o'clock sharp. This, I trust, is sufficiently explicit.

To the student of morals and motives I will say a further word. I had resolved to practice deception in running away from Glenarm House to keep my promise to Marian Devereux. By leaving I should forfeit my right to any part of my grandfather's estate; but of more immediate importance was my absence from Glenarm House at this juncture, when the attacks of Morgan and the strange ways of Bates made it clearly my duty to remain. Pickering and I were engaged in a sharp contest, and I was beginning to enjoy it to the full, but I did not falter in my determination to visit Cincinnati, hoping to return without my absence being discovered; so the next afternoon I began preparing for my journey.

"Bates, I fear that I'm taking a severe cold and I'm going to dose myself with whisky and quinine and go to bed. I shan't want any dinner—nothing until you see me again."

I yawned and stretched myself with a groan.

"I'm very sorry, sir. Shan't I call a doctor?"

"Not a bit of it. I'll sleep it off and be as lively as a cricket in the morning."

At four o'clock I told him to carry some hot water and lemons to my rooms; bade him an emphatic good-night and locked the door as he left. Then I packed my evening clothes in a suit-case. I threw the bag and heavy sister from a window, swung myself out upon the limb of a big maple and let it bend me to its sharpest and then dropped lightly to the ground.

I passed the gate and struck off toward the village with a joyful sense of freedom. I reached the station without incident and waited in the freight shed to keep out of sight of the station loafers until my train drew up, then quietly jumped aboard. I bought a seat in the Washington sleeper and after supper in the dining car made myself comfortable and dozed and dreamed as the train plunged through the dark. The through passengers about me went to bed, and I was left sprawled out in my open section, lurking on the shadowy frontier between the known world and dreamland.

"We're runnning into Cincinnati ten minutes late," said the porter's voice, and in a moment I was in the vestibule and out, hurrying to a hotel. At the St. Botolph I ordered a carriage and broke all records changing my clothes. The time-table informed me that the Chicago express left at half-past one. There was no reason why I should not be safe at Glenarm House by my usual breakfast hour in the morning if all went well. To avoid loss of time in returning to the station I paid the hotel charge and carried my bag away with me.

"Doctor Armstrong's residence? Yes, sir; I've already taken two loads there."

The carriage was soon climbing what semed to be a mountain to the heights above Cincinnati. To this day I associate Ohio's most interesting city with a lonely carriage ride that was as strange to me as a trackless jungle in the wilds of Africa. And my heart began to perform strange tattoos on my ribs. I was going to the house of a gentleman who did not know of my existence, to see a girl who was his guest, to whom I had never, as the conventions go, been presented. It did not seem half so easy, now that I was well launched upon the adventure.

I stopped the cabman just as he was about to enter an iron gateway whose posts bore two great lamps.

"That's all right, sir. I can drive right in."

"But you needn't," I said, jumping out. "Wait right here."

Doctor Armstrong's residence was brilliantly lighted, and the strains of a waltz stole across the lawn cheerily. I made a detour and studied the house, seeking a door by which I could enter without passing the unfriendly Gibraltar of a host and hostess on guard to welcome belated guests.

A long conservatory filled with tropical plants gave me an opportunity. Promenaders were passing idly through it and out into another part of the house by an exit I could not see. A handsome, spectacled gentleman opened a glass door within a yard of where I stood, sniffed the air and said to his companion as he turned back with a shrug into the conservatory:

"There's no sign of snow. It isn't Christmas weather at all."

He strolled away through the palms and I instantly threw off my duster and cap, cast them behind some bushes and boldly opened the door and entered.

The ball room was on the third floor but the guests were straggling down to supper and I took my stand at the foot of the broad stairway and glanced up carelessly as though waiting for some one. It was a large and brilliant company and many a lovely face passed me as I stood waiting. The very size of the gathering gave me security, and I smoothed my gloves complacently.

The spectacled gentleman whose interest in the weather had given me a valued hint of the open conservatory door, came now and stood beside me. He even put his hand on my arm with intimate friendliness.

There was a sound of mirth and scampering feet in the hall above and

At the Top of the Stair, Her Height Accentuated by Her Gown of White, Stood Marian Devereux.

then down the steps, between the line of guests arrested in their descent, came a dark laughing girl in the garb of Little Red Riding Hood, amid general applause and laughter.

"It's Olivia! She won the wager!" exclaimed the spectacled gentleman, and the girl, whose dark curls were sheken about her face, ran up to us and threw her arms about him and kissed him. It was a charming picture—the figures on the stairway, the pretty, graceful child, the eager, happy faces all about. I was too interested in the scene to be uncomfortable.

Then, at the top of the stair, her height accentuated by her gown of white, stood Marian Devereux, hesitating an instant, as a bird pauses before taking wing, and then laughingly running between the lines to where Olivia faced her in mock abjection. To the charm of the girl in the woodland was added now the dignity of beautiful womanhood, and my heart leaped at the thought that I had ever spoken to her, that I was there because she had taunted me with the risk of coming.

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LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

The announced attraction at the New Plainfield theatre this afternoon and tonight is the ever popular production of the musical farce comedy, "Happy Hooligan's Trip Around the World," which comes to us this season as an entirely new production, embellished with new and tasteful scenery, and costumes of richness and value that are entirely beyond anything ever before seen in musical comedy. As the costumes and scenery are new, so are also the specialties, music, dances and ensembles. The entire production has been made by the management a glittering and gorgeous spectacle, and no expense has been spared to have everything of the very highest class. There is a cheerfulness and gaiety about Mr. Opper's genial hobo which, when put into dramatic form, makes his influence well nigh irresistible. When the curtain goes up the most chronic case of dejection gives way to good feeling, and the misanthrope becomes at once a creature who views life with rays of the sun shining in his mind. There are no dumps, blue devils, vapours, megrims or hypochondriasis in "Hooligan's Trip Around the World." Instead there is life, alacrity of spirit and pure hilarity, which never fails to smooth the ruffled brow or care and palliate melancholy. "Happy Hooligan's Trip Around the World" should be taken at frequent intervals, as the price is within reach of all.

Kerker Morton, who has written a goodly number of farce comedies and who bids fair to fill the place left vacant in the hearts of millions of amusement goers by the lamented demise of Charles H. Hoyt, is the author of the musical comedy, "Hans and Nix," in which those past masters of wit, Gordon and Gilbert, are starring this season. "Hans and Nix," from all accounts, is a clean, up-to-date entertainment, full of vim and dash, and with special scenic stage settings and costumes that are in keeping with the demands of present day audiences. The piece was one of the big hits of last season in the east, and the new version, the music of which was written by Harry Von Tilzer, will in all probability duplicate its popularity of last season in the west on its present tour. It will be seen at the New Plainfield theatre tomorrow night.

"A Woman of Fire," which will be the attraction at the New Plainfield theatre Saturday afternoon and night, can boast of more surprises, stirring situations, thrilling and exciting climaxes and scenic effects to the square inch than any play of its kind written in the past decade. From the rise of the curtain to the finish of the play, action is intense. There is no attempt at exaggerations. Every scene and every incident in this absorbing play is true to life and a faithful reproduction of the places they are supposed to represent. The plot is a novel yet plausible one. The characters move and act like real human beings. When a thing is said or done, there is reason for it, and there is no necessity to bore the auditor with baseless explanations. If you care to be amused, surprised, entertained or thrilled then you certainly will like "A Woman of Fire," for it contains all these ingredients and a great deal more. The play is in four acts, and nine sensational scenes. It was written by Theodore Kremer, who considers this play his very best work.

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Test Piano Tone By 'Phone.

Winsted, Conn., Feb. 28.—William G. Ward, a local merchant, while driving through North Hartland, a farming village fifteen miles distant, stopped at the home of E. J. Barnes to get warm. He said he sold pianos. Barnes became interested and said he wanted to hear the tone of the instrument before he made a bargain. Stepping into the telephone Ward called up his store here, had a $350 instrument rolled up close to the telephone transmitter and then ordered Miss Elizabeth Hartnett, a saleswoman, to play a few selections. The music over the wire enthralled the Barnes family, the deal was closed and the piano was shipped to the Barnes farm today.

John Gaub, of Duer street, who has been detained at home by illness, is able to be out again.

George E. Hall, of Belvidere avenue, has recovered from a recent illness and returned to business.

Mrs. H. C. Compton, of West Front street, is much improved from an illness that has detained her at home for some time.

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PLANS FOR THE MAKING OF LAKAWANNA TEAM

NAT STRONG APPOINTED DAVE DRISCOLL IN HANDLING FRANCHISES.

Nat Strong, whom Plainfield fans will remember as an ex-officio attache of the Daab nine in the Westfield campaign, is associated with Dave Driscoll in handling the Elizabeth and Plainfield franchises in the Lackawanna League. Strong will manage the Elizabeth combination and Driscoll will steer the Plainfield team.

As in past seasons, Strong will manage the Murray Hill team. Most of that team may play in Elizabeth in the league. Billy Gilbert, the ex-Giant, who has refused to play with Newark, has signed with the Murray Hills, and the one-time world's champ may be seen in harness here. John Dunham, of this city, is an uncle of Gilbert's, and the second baseman will get a family greeting if he comes here.

Driscoll's plans for the formation of a team here include the signing of five or six local players. He will have a semi-professional battery and a fast infielder and a leftfielder of the same caliber. Phil. Smith will probably pitch. The other end of the battery is still a matter of speculation.

DIAMOND DUST.

Jack O'Neil, who caught for the Plainfield nine in the last Westfield series and in the short-lived P. B. A. season, was among the athletes who haunted the Hotel Victoria lobby yesterday. Jack was seen talking with deep earnestness to Manager Joe Bean, of the Jersey City Club. Jack caught a bit for Jersey City two years ago, as a substitute.

Jack hailed a Daily Press man who was in the lobby with joy.

"Always glad to see a Plainfielder," declared Jack. "Plainfield is the finest town to play ball in I ever struck. The fans there are the real thing. That dinner they gave us was the finest I ever ran into. We won a pennant for Red Bank last summer and the people never even said goodbye. Plainfield is the gem town."

Jack said he was going to move out of the Bronx.

"There are too many saloons up there," he sighed. "They spoil the prospect.

He is thinking of a nice little place on Prospect Park West, Brooklyn.

Nat Strong is booking Sunday dates for the Chatham Lackawanna League team.

Billy Gilbert, the ex-Giant, likes Plainfield because his uncle, John Dunham, lives here. Billy says he would like to play here and he probably wil because he will not consider Newark's offer and intends to go in for independent ball.

"I can play as fast as any of the big leaguers yet," he said Tuesday afternoon to a reporter. "Why, I'm only 32 years old. Ask Uncle John Dunham if I'm not."

The Philadelphia Giants have bumped into the color line in the New England league. The Worcester team will not take them on, although all the other clubs have given them dates.

Hugh Duffy, owner of the Providence team and last year's steersman of the Quakers, is interested in Plainfield.

"I have always wanted to see Plainfield," he told a local fan who met him at the Victoria Hotel, New York, yesterday. "I've heard a lot about the town, both as a show place and the home of wise fans. Some day soon I am going to pay Plainfield a visit. I hear an old team-mate of mine, Billy Nash, visits Plainfield a lot. I met him in Boston two weeks ago, but he didn't mention Plainfield. I am going to write him and have him meet me in Plainfield and show me the town."

Nat Strong's Murray Hills will play on Olympic field this season. The team will be stronger than ever.

BASKETBALL.

The Y. M. C. A. boys' five will play the Leal's '09 team this afternoon.

COLLECTOR'S BONDSMEN WIN IN UPPER COURT.

Suit to Recover for Official's Shortage Must Be Brought by Freeholders.

Chief Justice Gummere, of the Supreme Court, handed down a decision yesterday in the case of Alexander B. Allen against Edward Humphrey and Jacob Sharp, sustaining the contention of the defense that the suit was improperly brought and that the plaintiff had no legal standing in court. The defense was represented by Codington & Swackhamer.

The action was brought by the plaintiff, acting for the Board of Freeholders of Hunterdon county, to recover $5,000, alleged to have been unlawfully collected and retained by H. E. Park, late county clerk of Hunterdon county. Messrs. Huhphrey and Sharp were sureties on the official bond. When the suit was commenced against the sureties, Codington & Swackhamer were associated with Senators Large and Gebhardt, of Hunterdon county in the defense.

A demurrer to the plaintiff's declaration was promptly filed, alleging that the suit was improperly brought and that the plaintiff had no standing in court. From the opinion it seems doubtful whether the plaintiff can bring an action again with any prospect of success.

His Busy Day.

Waterbury, Conn., Feb. 28.—Errico Salvatine, twenty-four years old, who holds a job as "first broom" in a coal yard here, made a unique twenty minute record yesterday. While he was at work a runaway horse tore down the street, bowling him over and knocking off his hat. When he jumped up Salvatine found that his pocketbook and $8 were gone. He sprinted for home, taking a short cut across a railroad trestle. A wildcat engine caught him midway of the bridge and hurled him through three inches of ice into a shallow river. He was dragged out and twenty minutes from the time the runaway saw him he was being thawed out at his home. Last night he led an impromptu harmonica orchestra at a christening.

VARIED PROGRAMME AT WARREN CHAPEL

UNDER AUSPICES OF MISSIONARY AND AID SOCIETY.

Under the auspices of the Missionary and Aid Society, one of the most delightful entertainments that has ever been given in Warren chapel was conducted last night. It was for the benefit of the furnishing fund of the new chapel and was witnessed by a large gathering.

The programme opened with mandolin selections by Theodore Gavett and LeRoy Long, accompanied by Miss Long, and was followed by an original offering by Miss Elsie Goddord, called "An Old Fashioned Album." A huge album that resembled in every way the familiar family photo-holder stood on the platform and Miss Goddard was beside it dressed as an old lady. In an entertaining way she told all about the members of her family and the familiar folks in the village where she lived. As she mentioned each character, the cover of the album was turned over and they were revealed as if in a photograph. They were posed for by various young people and as Miss Goddard related facts about them there were accompanying songs appropriate to each, sung by Mrs. A. J. Stiglitz and William Holmes.

Those who represented characters were the Misses Kampman, Jewitt, Brown, Honeyman, Alice and Ella Osborne, Ferry and Pope; and Messrs. William and Lester Glenney, J. Whitney Baker, LeRoy Long, Joseph Gavett and Charles Monfort. The final "picture" was given by Miss Goddard and Rev. W. E. Honeyman.

Miss Nora Schenck and Mr. Holmes sang a duett and Mr. Holmes contributed a solo after which another original number was given by Mrs. A. V. D. Honeyman and was styled her "Musical Notes." A large sheet was stretched across the platform and on it was a musical staff, but the faces of young men and women appeared where the notes should have been. Mrs. Honeyman was supposed to have collected the "notes" while on a European trip and they assisted her in telling the audience about it. The audience enjoyed it very much and showed its appreciation by frequent applause.

The entertainment was given by a committee from the Missionary and Aid Society and an offering was taken that netted a substantial amount. Mrs. J. O. McKelvey acted as accompanist during the evening.

LECTURE ON PERU.

All who are interested in South America should avail themselves of the opportunity of hearing Harriet Chalmers Adams' travel and talk on "Peru" tomorrow night at the Y. M. C. A. hall. By story and picture, Mrs. Adams takes her audience on a journey through this most attractive land. The trail she followed led across the desert and the highlands down into the enchanting forest country. The New York Herald says: "It is not to be wondered at then that little Mrs. Adams has marvelous tales to tell of strange lands and strange people, of hairbreadth escapes in the forest's depths and terrible hardships endured on the bleak highlands and far off the beaten track where led by the call of the wild which comes to those of us who listen she had, in spite of fatigue, danger and hunger, her hours of exaltation in realizing that she alone of civilized women had reached these border lands." Seats are now being reserved at Hodge's drug store.

Army Martyr Rewarded.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 28.—The House yesterday passed a Senate bill raising Lieutenant James Carroll to the rank of major. Lieutenant Carroll is the officer who submitted himself to the sting of mosquitoes inoculated with the germs of yellow fever while stationed in Cuba, and as a result has been an invalid ever since.

Getting Force Readjusted.

Tobias Nolan, one of the four new policemen, began his duties last night. The newly promoted officers have not been assigned to their new work by the chief yet.

Marine Band Coming.

The United States Marine Band will appear at the New Plainfield theatre on Easter Monday night under the auspices of the Plainfield Elks.

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DIRECT NOMINATIONS BILL UP ON TUESDAY

SENATE MAKES SENATOR COLBY'S MEASURE SPECIAL ORDER.

While the meeting of the State Senate at Trenton yesterday was comparatively brief it was an exceedingly busy one while it lasted. After Senator Hutchinson had presented a petition favoring the recommendations of the immigration commission, Senator Gebhardt, of Hunterdon presented petitions against voting machines and against the repeal of the Bishops' laws. Anti-repeal petitions regarding the same act were also presented by Senators Ackerman and Avis.

Senate bill 65, providing for direct nominations at the primaries, was made a special order for next Tuesday morning on second reading. This was done at the suggestion of Senator Colby, its introducer, who made the request, he explained, in order to save time and avoid a recurrence of the action on his civil service bill which, after being passed on second reading, was sent back to committee.

The committee on elections reported adversely on the Hinchcliffe measure requiring municipalities, instead of counties, to bear the expense of municipal primary elections. When President Minch called the bill up for a second reading Senator Avis declared that under the rules the consent of the Senate was requisite to secure action on any bill reported. Senator Gebhardt took exception to this, declaring that he was opposed to any rule requiring a motion to place a bill on second reading after an adverse committee report.

Senators Colby and Bradley, the members of the committee to which the bill had been referred, stated that it had received most careful consideration and that Senator Hinchliffe had been notified that the committee intended to make an adverse report. Senator Avis held that it was the province of a committee to report a measure as it believed was right, whether this report was favorable or unfavorable, and he declared that unless committee reports were accepted they might as well be abolished.

The discussion was brought to a close when Senator Hinchliffe asked that further consideration of the bill be dispensed with.

Another measure up on second reading was a joint resolution for the election of Senators and Assemblymen by districts, which is a companion to the resolution already passed by the Senate establishing assembly districts.

The only bill passed yesterday was Senator Hinchliffe's measure giving boards of freeholders the power to regulate or prohibit the tearing up of county roads, and it was not without a vigorous fight that it was finally sanctioned by a vote of 13 to 3.

CITY JOTTINGS.

—Florida strawberries and fresh-picked mushrooms are features of Neuman Brothers' fruit and vegetable display. Lots of others every day.

—One of George Voehl's large baker wakons broke down on West Front street at an early hour this morning, a rear axle snapping off as the wagon passed over the trolley tracks.

—Leslie Cobb, of this city, who was to have been sentenced in the Union County Court, yesterday, on a charge of assault and battery, was excused for a week owing to the death of his wife. He will be arraigned next week.

RHODES SCHOLARSHIPS.

Eight Jerseymen Are Among the Lucky Ones.

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 28.—Dr. G. R. Parkin, administrator of the Rhodes scholarships here, announced Tuesday night the l ist of American candidates who have passed the examination of the University of Oxford held throughout the United States. Out of 215 candidates 138 passed, a lager proportion than ever before. Of the forty-eight States all produced candidates but three. Candidates who have passed the examination in previous years are eligible for election in competition with those whose names are n ow given, provided they fulfil the other conditions as stated in the regulations.

The election is to be completed in each State, and the names of the successful competitors forwarded before the first of April. Elected scholars enter into residence at Oxford in October next. Of the 138, forty-five will be chosen to go there, they comprising the most prominent educationalists of the States. The scholarships are worth $1,500 per year.

The successful candidates from New Jersey are S. A. Devan, W. Elsing, R. H. Hanel, D. G. Erring, J. A. Muller, P. K. Rogers, P. L. Urban, E. W. Walker.

Nurse Brought Her Whole Family.

Lewis Skinner is recovering from a severe attack of pneumonia. A trained nurse is constantly at his bedside, with a wife and parents ready to assist.—Middleville (Mich.) Sun.

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OBITUARY.

Madeline Christina Brennan.

Madeline Christina Brennan, the fourteen-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brennan, of Webster place, died this morning. The funeral will be held at the parents' residence tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock and interment will be at St. Mary's cemetery.

Mrs. Charlotte Crook.

Mrs. Charlotte Crook, of 898 Lafayette avenue, Brooklyn, died at her home Sunday. The funeral was held yesterday morning and interment was at Greenwood. Mrs. Crook was a sister to the late Mrs. Kate C. Philpott, of Plainfield avenue, and was well known in Plainfield.

Mrs. Fritz Conde.

Mrs. Amelia Conde, wife of Fritz Conde, a former resident of this city, died at her home at 181 Third street, Elizabethport, yesterday. She had been ill for more than a year with a l ingering complaint. Mrs. Conde was forty years old and was well known in Plainfield, the family having lived on Orchard place for many years. She leaves two sons. The funeral will be held at her late home tonight and interment will be in this city tomorrow. Mr. Conde has planned to return to Plainfield to live.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

Rev. Mr. Boheson will speak at the Rescue Mission meeting at the W. C. T. U. rooms tonight.

The Ladies' Sewing Circle of the Christian church will hold an important meeting in the church tonight.

The Young Women's Mission Band of Trinity Reformed church will meet in regular monthly session tomorrow afternoon in the parlors of the church.

The Christian and Missionary Alliance Society will meet Friday afternoon at 2:30 at the W. C. T. U. rooms. Miss Cromwell, of Cranford, will lead, and the subject will be, "Divine Healing." All are invited.

Are you the son of a minister, or are some of your boy friends minister's sons? It is a common saying that ministers' sons turn out badly. Well, don't you believe it. There is a noted French scientist who has studied into the subject, and he has a long list of names to prove that the sons of ministers make up the larger number of the world's great men. Here, for instance, are some of the names: Agassiz, Hallam, Jonathan Edwards, Whateley, Parkman, Bancroft, the Wesleys, Beechers and Spurgeons, Cowper, Coleridge, Tennyson, Lowell, Holmes, Emerson, Charles Kingsley, Matthew Arnold, Dean Stanley, Macauley, Thackeray, Sir Christopher Wren, Sir Joshua Reynolds, Swift, Sterne, Hazlitt, Presidents Cleveland and Arthur, Peter Stuyvesant, Adoniram Judson, Timothy Dwight, Henry Clay, Fritz Green Halleck, Morse, the inventor; Justices Field and Brewer, Senator Dolliver, Governor Robert E. Pattison and Governor Hughes.—American Boy.

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